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## **Voters with Disabilities Get “Dibs” on Parking**

Voters with disabilities will have “dibs” on parking spaces at polling places for the Tuesday, March 18, 2014 Primary Election – and the spaces have been marked with signs, not lawn chairs or milk crates.

Thanks to the work of the City of Chicago Department of Streets and Sanitation, the Election Board is able to assure two marked parking spaces for voters with disabilities in front of each polling place that will be open Tuesday for the March 18 Primary Election.

In this massive undertaking, Streets and Sanitation marks spaces with temporary signs at the polling places for more than 1,500 locations that house the 2,069 precinct polling places in Chicago.

Chicago Election Chairman Langdon D. Neal said that reserved parking signs will be in effect from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. for the March 18 Primary Election. Crews from the Department of Streets and Sanitation post the signs the week prior to Election Day.

Chairman Neal praised the Department of Streets and Sanitation, and Commissioner Charles Williams, for the department’s long history of providing this service for voters with disabilities.

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