



## **Can you come?**

Join us to show **STRONG** and **ORGANIZED SUPPORT** for Parks and Recreation at the upcoming City Council Budget Hearings. Commissioner Michael DiBerardinis will be testifying and we want to pack the Council chambers with Park and Recreation advocates from every neighborhood in the city.

## **City Council Budget Hearing** **On Dept. of Parks and Recreation**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 17th**

**10am – Noon**

**City Hall, Room 400**

## **We Are Asking City Council and Mayor Nutter to Restore \$8 Million to Parks and Recreation**

Parks and Recreation has been chronically underfunded for decades.  
The current proposed budget flat lines it.

We need to invest more – not less – into our Parks and Recreation.

The Parks Alliance and dozens of allied organizations are calling on City Council and the Mayor to restore \$8 million to the Department of Parks and Recreation's budget for FY 2013. This will take us back to what was promised for FY 2009 but never delivered.

Over the past four years, Parks & Recreation has received \$43 million less than what was originally promised in the FY2009-2013 Five Year Plan.

It's time for a down payment on promises made!

**We need YOU!!!**