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Elmhurst Public Library Hosts Cookbook Author Shauna Sever

Elmhurst, IL – Join Shauna Sever, cookbook author, TV and radio contributor, and native of the great Midwest for a special holiday season event. Shauna will share her love of food, baking, and some tips to make your holiday gatherings delicious.

As a writer, Shauna's work is best defined by her baking-centric cookbooks. Her fourth, *Midwest Made: Big, Bold Baking from the Heartland*, was named as one of the Best Baking Cookbooks of 2019 by *The New York Times*. Since her career began in broadcast journalism, she uses the same skill set for her regular television appearances on the *TODAY Show* and Food Network. After 12 years of California living, Shauna and her family returned to Chicago, where she now bakes, writes, and is always on the hunt for great old-school Midwestern bakeries.

Louisa Chu will join Shauna in conversation. Chu is a *Chicago Tribune* food critic and is a co-host for the *Chewing* podcast.

This event is made possible by Illinois Libraries Present, a statewide collaboration among public libraries offering premier events.

Virtual Author Visit: Midwest Baking with Shauna Sever
Tuesday, December 13
7-8 p.m.
Registration required: elmlib.org/author.

For more information, visit elmlib.org or call (630) 279-8696.

**Midwest Baking with
Shauna Sever**

Tues., Dec. 13 at 7PM

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