



Media Alert

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Groundbreaking Celebration To Be Held For Lansdale and E.L. Crain Parks

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department and City Council Member Mike Laster, District J, will host a groundbreaking celebration on Friday, November 13, 2015, for renovations to two Sharpstown-area parks, Lansdale Park and E.L. Crain Park. The event will take place at 9:45 a.m. at Lansdale Park, 8201 Roos, 77036.

WHO: Joe Turner, Director, Houston Parks and Recreation Department
Mike Laster, Council Member, District J
Bill St. Cyr, Community Representative

WHAT: Groundbreaking Ceremony

WHEN: Friday, November 13, 2015
9:45a.m.

WHERE: Lansdale Park
8201 Roos
Houston, TX 77036

The scope of work for Lansdale Park includes construct a new splash pad (5,720 SF) with associated water service and drainage; replace entry sidewalk; install new lighting; provide tree planting with associated irrigation; and install picnic tables and benches. The scope of work for Crain (E.L.) Park includes demolish asphalt trail and asphalt pad; provide grading and detention; construct new concrete trail (2,200 linear feet) and entry plaza; upgrade the swing set area; provide tree planting with associated irrigation; and install picnic tables and benches. The project cost for Lansdale Park and Crain Park is \$1,308,974.74 of which \$1,000,000 was received from the Southwest Houston Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ #20) TIRZ 20. Project cost include design, construction, contingency, civic art, construction management and testing.

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department (H.P.A.R.D.) stewards and manages over 37,859 acres of parkland and greenspace for the City of Houston and develops and implements recreational programming for citizens of all abilities. For more information on the Houston Parks and Recreation Department, call (832) 395-7022 or visit www.houstontx.gov/parks.