

CITY OF HOUSTON MEDIA ADVISORY

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CITY AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS TO ANNOUNCE ESTABLISHMENT OF TRAIN HORN QUIET ZONE

WHAT: Houston Councilman Robert Gallegos will be joined by community

members, railroad and school officials to announce the establishment of a train horn quiet zone along a three-quarter mile stretch of the East Belt freight rail line in east Houston. The adjacent KIPP Explore Academy and surrounding neighborhoods have long complained about blaring train

horns that have disrupted classrooms and residents for years.

WHEN: Friday, August 8, 2014 (TODAY)

8:30 a.m.

WHERE: KIPP Explore Academy

(Basketball Pavilion) 5402 Lawndale St. Houston, TX 77023 Key Map: 494X

WHO: Houston Council Member Robert Gallegos, District I

Houston Public Works & Engineering Department officials

Union Pacific Railroad representatives

KIPP Explore Academy officials

Community members

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