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Houston Parks and Recreation Department to Break Ground on New Playground at Harwin Park

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department along with City dignitaries and the Alief Super Neighborhood, will break ground on a new playground at Harwin Park on Thursday, March 3, 2022. The Harwin Park playground project is based on a Master Plan developed for the park by the District F community. It includes redevelopment and enlargement of the playground featuring new state-of-the-art playground equipment designed to promote cognitive, emotional, physical, and social development. The project cost \$756,257 and was paid for with funds from the Parks Consolidated Construction Fund, and the Parks and Recreation Dedication Fund.

WHAT: Harwin Park Playground Groundbreaking
WHEN: Thursday, March 3, 2022
10 a.m.
WHERE: Harwin Park
11305 Harwin | Houston, TX 77072
WHO: Kenneth Allen, Director, Houston Parks & Recreation Department
Tiffany D. Thomas, City of Houston Council Member District F
Barbara Quattro, Chair, Alief Super Neighborhood Council #25

Harwin Park is within the Alief-Westwood Complete Communities boundary and is one of the City of Houston's 50/50 Park Partners projects. Landscape Art, Inc. is the General Contractor for the project. The landscape architectural firm of M2L Associates lead the design for the park project. The General Services Department (GSD) manages the design and construction projects for the Houston Parks and Recreation Department.

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department (H.P.A.R.D.) stewards and manage 381 parks and over 39,501 acres of parkland and greenspace for the City of Houston and develops and implements recreational programming for citizens of all ages and abilities. For more information on the Houston Parks and Recreation Department, call (832) 395-7022 or visit www.houstonparks.org.