



MEDIA ALERT

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Photo Op: H.P.A.R.D. Celebrates the 10th Anniversary of the Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Tribute Planting Project

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department will kick off the 10th Annual Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Tribute Planting at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, November 5, 2016. One of the Houston area’s favorite volunteer events, this annual wildflower planting project began in 2007 as a tribute to Lady Bird Johnson and her dedication to the environment and beautification of Texas. The Houston Parks Board has been the department’s partner in this project for three years. In 2016, volunteers will plant a mixture of wildflower seeds at ten park, esplanade, and library locations.

- WHO:** Volunteers from across Houston
Houston Parks and Recreation Department staff
Houston Parks Board staff
- WHAT:** 10th Annual Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Planting Project
- WHEN:** Saturday, November 5, 2016
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

WHERE:

Hackberry Park	7777 South Dairy Ashford Road, 77072
Herman Brown Park	Oates Road and Mercury Drive, 77013
MacGregor Park	5225 Calhoun, 77021
Mason Park	541 South 75 th Street, 77023
Near Johnson Library	3517 Reed Road, 77051
Robert C. Stuart Park	7250 Bellfort, 77087
Shady Lane Park	10220 Shady Lane, 77093
Spotts Park	Memorial/Waugh Drive Cloverleaf, 77007
	Interview available at this site
Sunnyside Park	3502 Bellfort, 77051
West Orem Esplanades	Between Hiram Clarke and Almeda Road, 77045

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department (H.P.A.R.D.) stewards and manages over 37,851 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.houstonparks.org.