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## MEDIA ALERT

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### **HPARD Community Center Renaming Honors Community Contributions By Bessie Swindle**

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department invites Houstonians to join the festivities as the community center in Cloverland Park takes on a new name. The facility will be renamed in honor of Ms. Bessie Swindle.

- WHO:** Council Member Wanda Adams, District D  
U.S. Representative Al Green  
State Representative Al Edwards  
Ada Edwards, Former Council Member, District D  
Ms. Bessie Swindle, Honoree
- WHAT:** Community Center Renaming
- WHEN:** Saturday, March 21, 2009  
10:00 a.m.
- WHERE:** Cloverland Park  
11800 Scott Street  
Houston, Texas 77047
- WHY:** The contributions Ms. Swindle has made to her community will be recognized as the Houston Parks and Recreation Department renames the Cloverland Park Community Center in her honor. A dedication ceremony and ribbon-cutting will take place at the park.

For additional information on the Houston Parks and Recreation Department, call (713) 865-4537 or visit our web site at [www.houstonparks.org](http://www.houstonparks.org)