
Media Alert

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Scottcrest Park to Be Renamed Margaret Jenkins Park Ceremony Honors Long Years of Service & Dedication To Local Community

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department, in recognition of the wishes of the neighbors of Scottcrest Park, located at 10700 Rosehaven, 77051, will give the park a new name. Beginning at 12:00 noon, Saturday, June 2, 2012, the park will be known as Margaret Jenkins Park. The renaming ceremony will honor the long years of service and dedication that Ms. Jenkins has spent in the interest of her community.

- Who:** Mark Ross, Deputy Director, H.P.A.R.D.
Ms. Margaret Jenkins
Borris Miles, State Representative, District 14
Wanda Adams, Council Member, District D
Representatives of the office of Al Green, U.S. Congress, Ninth District
- What:** Renaming of Scottcrest Park to Margaret Jenkins Park
- When:** Saturday, June 2, 2012
12:00 p.m.
- Where:** Scottcrest Park (to be renamed Margaret Jenkins Park)
10700 Rosehaven
Houston, TX 77051
- Why:** To celebrate the renaming of Scottcrest Park to Margaret Jenkins Park in honor of her outstanding contribution to the community

Scottcrest Park, a 19-acre site in southern Houston, has served as a center of recreation for the neighborhood around it since 1978. A movement within the community to honor Ms. Margaret Jenkins for her unwavering concern for the residents of the area and her pride in the neighborhood has led to the decision to give her name to the park.

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department (H.P.A.R.D.) stewards and manages over 38,752 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.