PRECINCT THREE PARK & TRAIL UPDATES
March 2, 2020

Park Updates

**John Paul Landing Environmental Education Center**
The John Paul Landing Park Environmental Education Center is now open. The Center is located at 9950 Katy Hockley Road, Cypress, Texas 77433. It is open Tuesday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. For information on the activities scheduled at the Center, please go to the Center’s page on the Precinct Three website at [http://www.pct3.com/Parks/John-Paul-Landing-Park-Environmental-Education-Center](http://www.pct3.com/Parks/John-Paul-Landing-Park-Environmental-Education-Center).

Trail Updates

**Mason Creek Trail (T101-00-00) between Kingsland and Westgreen**
The Harris County Flood Control District (HCFCD) will be completing repairs along the west channel banks to restore the channel bank to its original slope. The trail will be closed at various times in order to facilitate construction. A detour has been established to provide access around the construction site using sidewalks along Westgreen Blvd and Kingsland Blvd. The repairs are expected to begin Monday, March 2nd and will be completed by Friday, May 1st. Please do not try to access the construction site or approach heavy equipment.

If you have any questions regarding the Construction work, please contact the HCFCD at 713-684-4000.

**Mayde Creek Trail (U101-00-00) between Greenhouse Road and Fry Road**
The Harris County Flood Control District (HCFCD) will be desilting South Mayde Creek to restore the Flood Control channel to its original capacity. In order to complete this work, the trail will need to be closed. This includes the pedestrian bridges that connect Heathergold Drive and the pedestrian bridge over the north tributary adjacent to Spanish Needle. The trail will be closed indefinitely once construction is underway. Additionally, residents will see trucks on neighborhood streets, which are necessary to haul silt and other material from the creek beds. Once silt is removed from the channel, it is typically staged along the banks before removal and then disposal at an appropriate location. Noise and vibrations from equipment, as well as odors, may accompany silt removal work. While the intent is to transport stockpiled material as quickly as possible, stockpiled material could remain in some locations overnight or for several days. Please do not try to access the construction site or approach heavy equipment.

If you have any questions please contact Herman Sanders by email at herman.sanders@hcfcd.hctx.net or phone 346-286-4169.
Construction on linear storm water detention basins is underway in the area between Eldridge Parkway and Dairy Ashford Road on the south side of Terry Hershey Park. Safety fencing is in place marking the construction zone, which remains closed to all pedestrian and bicycle traffic. Members of the public are asked to remain clear of this area for their personal safety. Please do not try to access the construction site or approach heavy equipment.

For more information/questions on this Project, please contact:

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George Bush Park – Nobel Road Hike-and-Bike Trail (Updated)
The completion date of the trail project by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on the Noble Road Hike-and-Bike Trail within George Bush Park has been extended to summer 2020. Closure is due to the massive Addicks and Barker Dam Safety Construction Project.

Also closed is Noble Road at State Highway 6 and the Noble Road Trail parking lot.

Terry Hershey Park – Terry Hershey Trail (Updated)
Closure of the Terry Hershey Trail from Park Row to the Addicks Reservoir has been extended until summer of 2020 due to the Corps of Engineers’ dam safety project.

Park patrons with questions about any of these closures or projects can call (281) 531-1592.
For Park or Trail maps, please visit the Precinct Three Parks page.

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