

INSIDE WILLOW FORK DRAINAGE DISTRICT



Enhancing Our Community
through Drainage, Parks & Trails

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Did Your Home Flood During Hurricane Harvey?

Learn the latest at a second town hall meeting hosted by Fort Bend County Judge K.P. George and Dwayne Grigar, director of county Planning and Infrastructure, at 7 p.m. on Jan. 24 at Betty Sue Creech Elementary, 5905 Mason Rd, Katy, TX 77450. Updates on this important topic will include:

- Status of the Addicks and Barker upstream takings litigation
- Timeline for making a damage recovery claim
- How to start a claim
- What is being done to protect properties impacted by Harvey in the future

WFDD encourages residents affected by Hurricane Harvey flooding to stay informed on this one-time opportunity to seek recovery if their home falls within the flood easement. Representatives from Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP and The AL Law Group PLLC will be on hand to cover topics and answer questions.



Willow Fork Park Announces Spring Calendar

Ready to dig in the dirt? Learn about gardening vegetables? Be amazed by butterflies? Step into nature with family or friends at a variety of free, educational, outdoor programs coming to Willow Fork Park. On the calendar is:

- Feb. 25 - Seed Ball Planting
- March 4 - Spring Vegetable Gardening
- April 1 - Monarch Butterfly Migration
- April 22 - Nature Photography Walk
- May 13 - Bees: Facts & Myths on Nature's Key Pollinator
- May 20 - Historical Katy Prairie Wildscape Garden Dedication

Follow [Friends of Willow Fork Park on Facebook](#) to stay-up-date on the latest park happenings.

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Cleaning Up After the Freeze? Please dispose of yard waste responsibly!

As temperatures warm and homeowners begin to ready their yards for spring—remember to help keep storm drains and channels clean as well. Blowing lawn clippings in drains and dumping yard and other debris into drainage channels can cause buildup over time, clogging storm drains, obstructing drainage, contributing to flooding, and polluting waterways. Residents are responsible for keeping yard waste out of drains and channels, including work by a lawn service. Unauthorized dumping on District facilities, property, easements and rights-of-way is prohibited and “subject to a penalty up to \$10,000” that “may result in a Class C misdemeanor,” according to WFDD’s rules and regulations. Your help in joining WFDD to keep our community clean is appreciated!

If you find this information helpful, please forward to your neighbors.

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