



Houston-Galveston Area Council

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Chris Orlea, PhD
Parks & Recreation Director
City of Pearland
414 Bailey Road
Pearland, TX 77584

12/19/16
To: Mayor and City Council members
Award from HGAC for the Independence Park design that's moving forward. Chris Orlea is planning on attending on our behalf; let us know if you have interest. Clay

Dear Mr. Orlea:

On behalf of the Houston-Galveston Area Council, I am delighted to inform you that the Independence Park Phase 1 was selected to receive an Honorable Mention from the H-GAC Parks and Natural Areas Awards in the Planning Process category. The project serves as a model for other projects in the 13-county region, and we commend the leadership exhibited by the City of Pearland. Congratulations!

I invite you to attend a reception to honor the award winners on Tuesday, January 17, 2017, at H-GAC in Conference Room A, Second Floor. There will be a brief presentation at the H-GAC Board of Directors meeting with the reception and awards presentation to follow at about 10:45 AM. I hope that you or a representative from City of Pearland will be available to accept the recognition and offer brief remarks for 1 to 2 minutes.

Should you have any questions and to RSVP, please contact me at 832-681-2507 or Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com.

Sincerely,

Andrea Tantillo
Senior Communications Specialist
Community and Environmental Department

Cc: Merrie Talley, PLA; Hon. Tom Reid, Mayor

