Memorandum

Date: February 20, 2009

Thru: Forest E. Turner
Interim Assistant City Manager

To: Honorable Members of the Quality of Life Committee:
       Pauline Medrano, Chair; Vonciet Jones Hill, Vice Chair; Carolyn R.
       Davis, Angela Hunt, Sheffie Kadane, David A. Neumann, Steve Lazar

Subject: “Trinity Strand Development Plan Update” briefing

Attached is the “Trinity Strand Development Plan Update”
briefing which will be presented to the Quality of Life Committee
on February 23, 2009.

If you have questions, please call me at 214-670-4071.

Paul D. Dyer, Director
Park and Recreation

c: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
   Mary K. Suhm, City Manager
   Deborah A. Watkins, City Secretary
   Thomas P. Perkins, Jr., City Attorney
   Craig D. Kinton, City Auditor
   Judge C. Victor Lander, Judiciary
   Ryan S. Evans, First Assistant City Manager
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   David K. Cook, Chief Financial Officer
   Helena Stevens-Thompson, Assistant to the City Manager

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Trinity Strand
Development Plan Update

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Trinity Strand Trail
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- Located on the Old Meanders of the Trinity River
- 6 miles of hard surface trail
- 2 miles of soft surface trail
- Pedestrian bridges linking both sides of corridor
- Connecting to Katy Trail and Trinity Levee Trail
Trinity Strand Trail

- Park Development Plan adopted by Park Board in July 2004
- Developed in partnership with the Friends of the Trinity Strand Trail
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- Park Board and City Council dedicated the city-owned corridor as official municipal park land in December 2004
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- Existing conditions
Trinity Strand Trail

- Renderings
Trinity Strand Trail

- Scope of current project:
  - 3 miles of hard surface trail – from I-35 to Motor Street
  - 3 pedestrian bridges
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- Overlook plaza at Turtle Creek Drive
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- Overlook plaza at Hi-Line Drive
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- Connection to Katy Trail at Stemmons Park
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- **Funding:**
  - 2003 Bond Program: $1 million
  - 2006 Bond Program: $2.5 million
  - NCTCOG: $4.5 million

- **Schedule:**
  - Land acquisition: on-going
  - Phase I: 3 miles of hard surface trail and 3 bridges
    - Design in progress
    - Construction start 2010-2011
  - Turtle Creek Drive Plaza Overlook
    - Construction start March 2009
  - Hi-Line Drive Plaza Overlook:
    - Construction March 2009
Trinity Strand Trail