



## AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

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**MEETING DATE:** 03/20/2023  
**PREPARED BY:** Jason O'Mara, Assistant Director of Parks and Recreation  
**AGENDA CONTENT:** Discussion on the 2023 Spring Events  
**AGENDA ITEM SECTION:** Regular Agenda

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**BUDGETED AMOUNT:** NA **FUNDS REQUESTED:** NA

**FUND:** NA

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

#### Spring Cleanup

This year's Spring Cleanup is scheduled to take place on Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> from 8 am – 12 pm at the Angleton Junior High School's parking lot. The event will continue to feature the following services.

- Heavy trash disposal by Waste Connections
- Tire recycling by Liberty Tire
- Electronic recycling by Raki Computer Recycling
- Paper shredding by Data Shredding Service

All vendors have been contacted and confirmed for onsite support. Each was present at the Fall Sweep, so they are familiar with our operations which helps ensure a smooth planning and execution process for the event.

In addition, staff are working to bring new offering through a partnership with Keep Pearland Beautiful to include services for accepting paint (oil, latex, aerosol) and household cleaning products. Staff are continuing to work on these details and update site plans to integrate the paint and household cleaner drop location.

**Trees for Houston** – Through continued partnership Trees for Houston will supply our event with a variety of native trees to distribute to participants and encourage planting and reforestation in the City of Angleton.

**Communication Plans** – Promotion went out in the recent water bill advertising the event. Staff have been fielding calls on specific items accepted and if assistance is available to unload items. Further promotion through flyers at the Angleton Recreation Center and deliver to local business is ongoing. Promotion on social media and ARC member emails are scheduled to occur weekly

starting March 27<sup>th</sup> and will continue until the event date as we plan to highlight each individual service and offering to encourage community participation.

### **Arbor Day Tree and Butterfly Seedball Giveaway**

Keep Angleton Beautiful will be hosting its annual Arbor Day Tree and Butterfly Seedball giveaway on Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 8 am at the Angleton Recreation Center. We've partnered with Trees for Houston to offer a variety of trees to distribute to community members for planting throughout the Angleton. Staff are engaged in discussions with a community volunteer group to make the butterfly seedballs as a service project for the organization. In addition, staff may be seeking support from our senior program participants to assist with making the seedballs depending on participation from the local volunteer group. Once final details are available, staff will notify the Keep Angleton Beautiful on specifics to assist in Butterfly Seedball creation the week of April 24<sup>th</sup> at the Angleton Recreation Center.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

NA