HISD MEDIA ADVISORY

HISD to receive 250 bicycles from Houston Parks Board to create Art Bike Parade entries

WHAT:

The Houston Independent School District this weekend will receive 250 new bicycles donated by the Houston Parks Board, in collaboration with the Orange Show Center of Visionary Art, to enable students and teachers to create entries for the city's inaugural Art Bike Parade on Saturday, May 9.

Schools will use science, technology, engineering, art and math (STEAM) to transform the bikes into mobile art pieces. All grade levels will participate in the project.

School representatives will pick up bikes for their campuses Saturday at HISD's Barbara Jordan Career Center in northeast Houston.

Media is invited to attend.

WHO: HISD Board of Education Trustees, principals and staff

WHEN: Saturday, Feb. 22

9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

WHERE: Barbara Jordan Career Center

5800 Eastex Freeway, 77026

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The Houston Independent School District is the largest school district in Texas and the seventh-largest in the United States, with 280 schools and more than 209,772 students. The 333-square-mile district is one of the largest employers in the Houston metropolitan area, with more than 27,000 employees.

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