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TREECOVERY EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 16

ROCKPORT, TX – The City of Rockport and the Texas A&M Forest Service will be holding a free TreeCovey program on Friday, March 16. TreeCovey is a Texas A&M Forest Service managed fund to provide free trees and technical support to Texas communities affected by natural disasters.

The event kicks off with a Tree Workshop from 1:15 – 2:30 pm at the Rockport Service Center, located at 2751 SH 35 Bypass. Specialists will be on hand to discuss recommended tree species for Aransas County and the proper planting and care of trees.

Following the workshop, individuals are invited to help plant trees from 3 – 4 pm in three Rockport parks that experienced severe damage. Tools for planting will be provided, but volunteers should bring their own gloves.

Parks receiving trees are Mathis Park, 810 South Live Oak; Spencer Park, 400 East Bay; and Zachary Taylor Arboretum Park, 702 South Pearl Street. The trees were grown by Top Notch Tree Farm and donated through the TreeCovey Fund.