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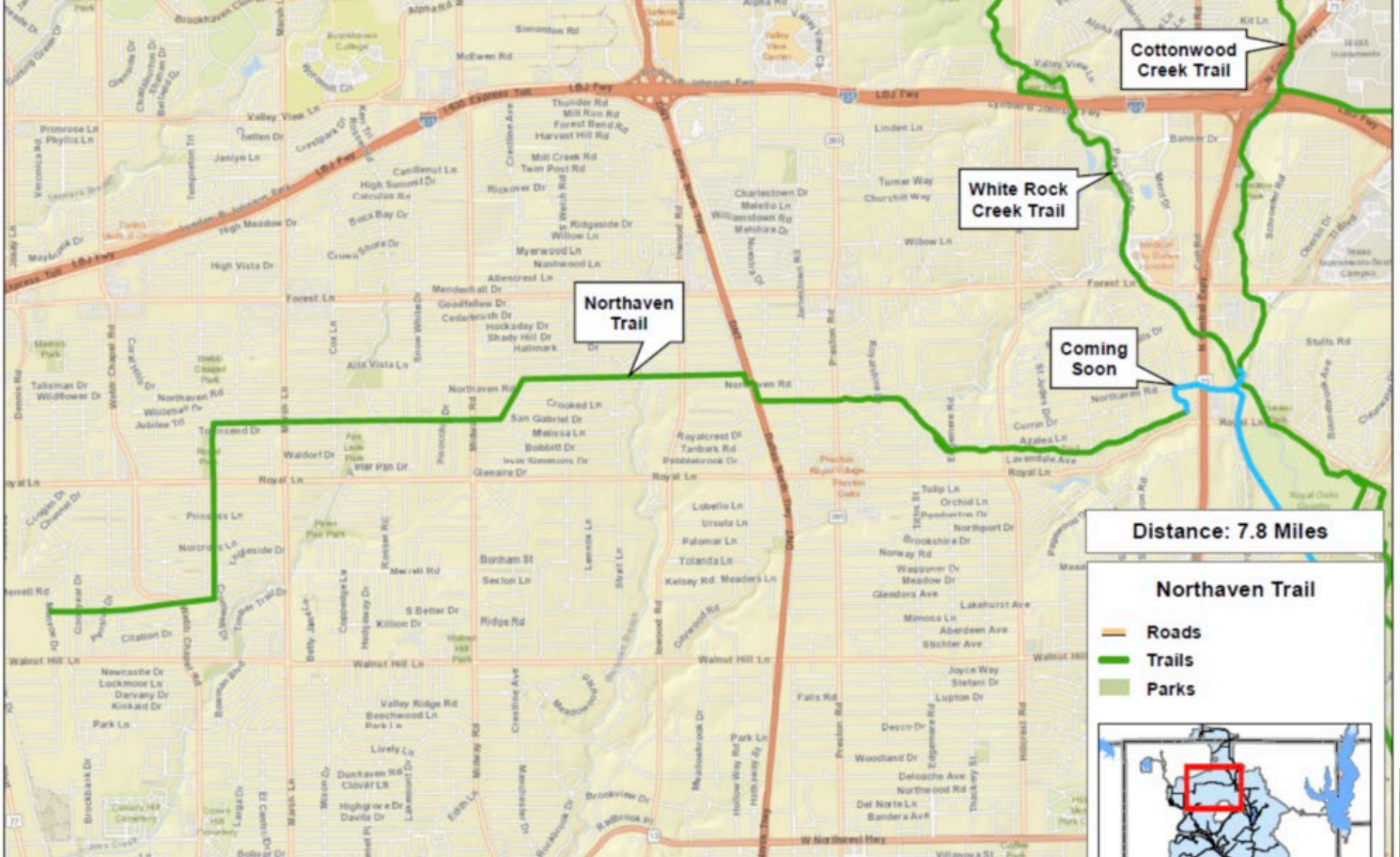


NORTHAVEN
TRAIL

Park Board Update

Thursday December 9, 2021





Northaven Trail

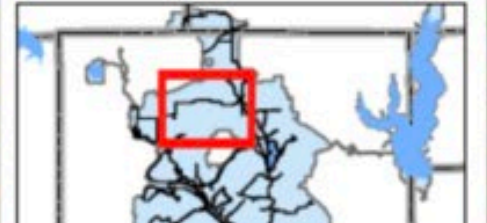
Cottonwood Creek Trail

White Rock Creek Trail

Coming Soon

Distance: 7.8 Miles

- Northaven Trail**
- Roads
 - Trails
 - Parks



History of FONHT

- 501(c)(3) organization formed in early 2010s
- All volunteer organization for the support, maintenance, and beautification of the Northaven Trail
- Founding board members include former City Councilmember Lee Kleinman and former Park Board member Larry Jones
- Partnerships include City of Dallas, Dallas County, NCTCOG, TXDOT, and Oncor

Current Board Members

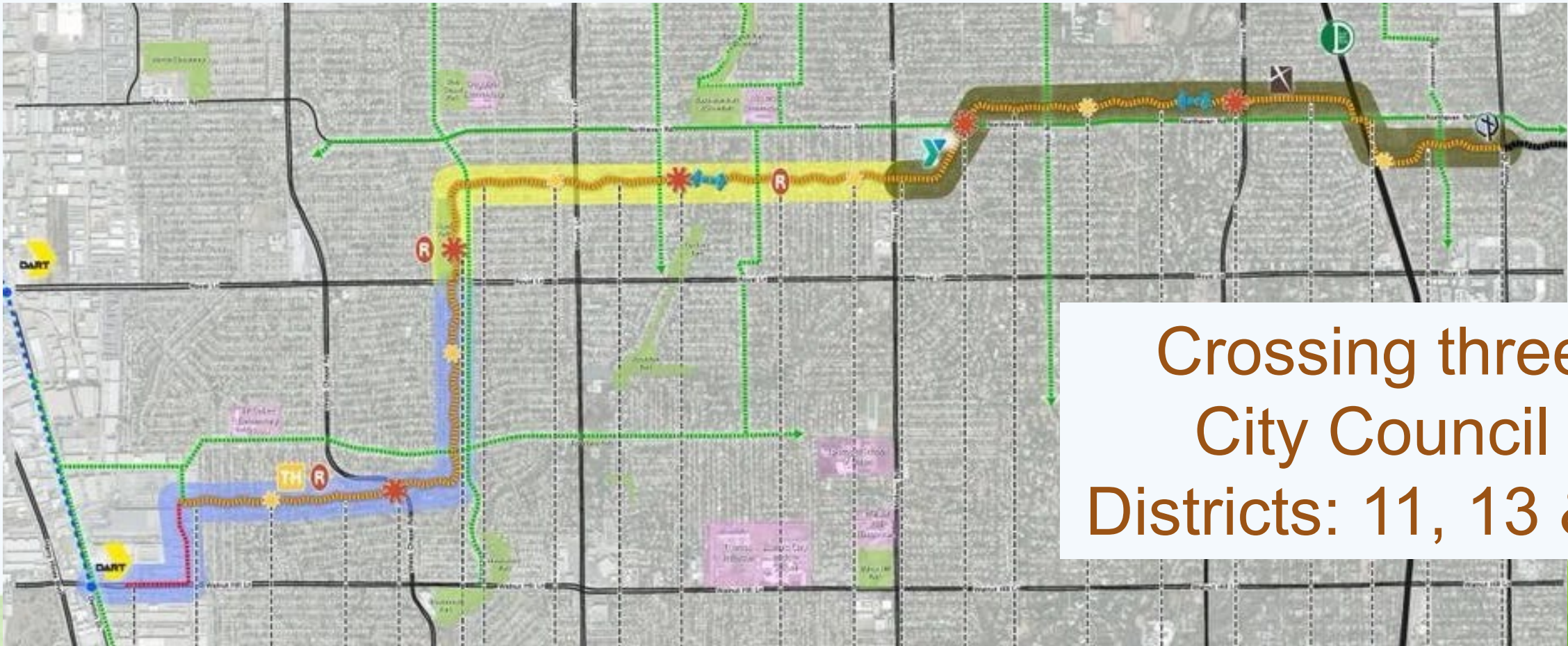
- Jeff Kitner, President
- Don Fortenberry, Treasurer
- Dorothy Buechel, Marketing & Communications Chair
- Will Dawson, Fundraising Chair
- Sally Pretorius, Events Chair
- Cary Fitzgerald, Landscaping Chair
- Scott Carnes
- Arden Fitzgerald
- Eric Haney
- Eric Keese
- Lee Kleinman
- Jason Paru
- Brooke Traister
- Leighton Weiss

Constructed in Three Phases

 Phase 1A – Valleydale to Preston

 Phase 2A – Preston to Cinderella (just west of Midway); Led by the City of Dallas

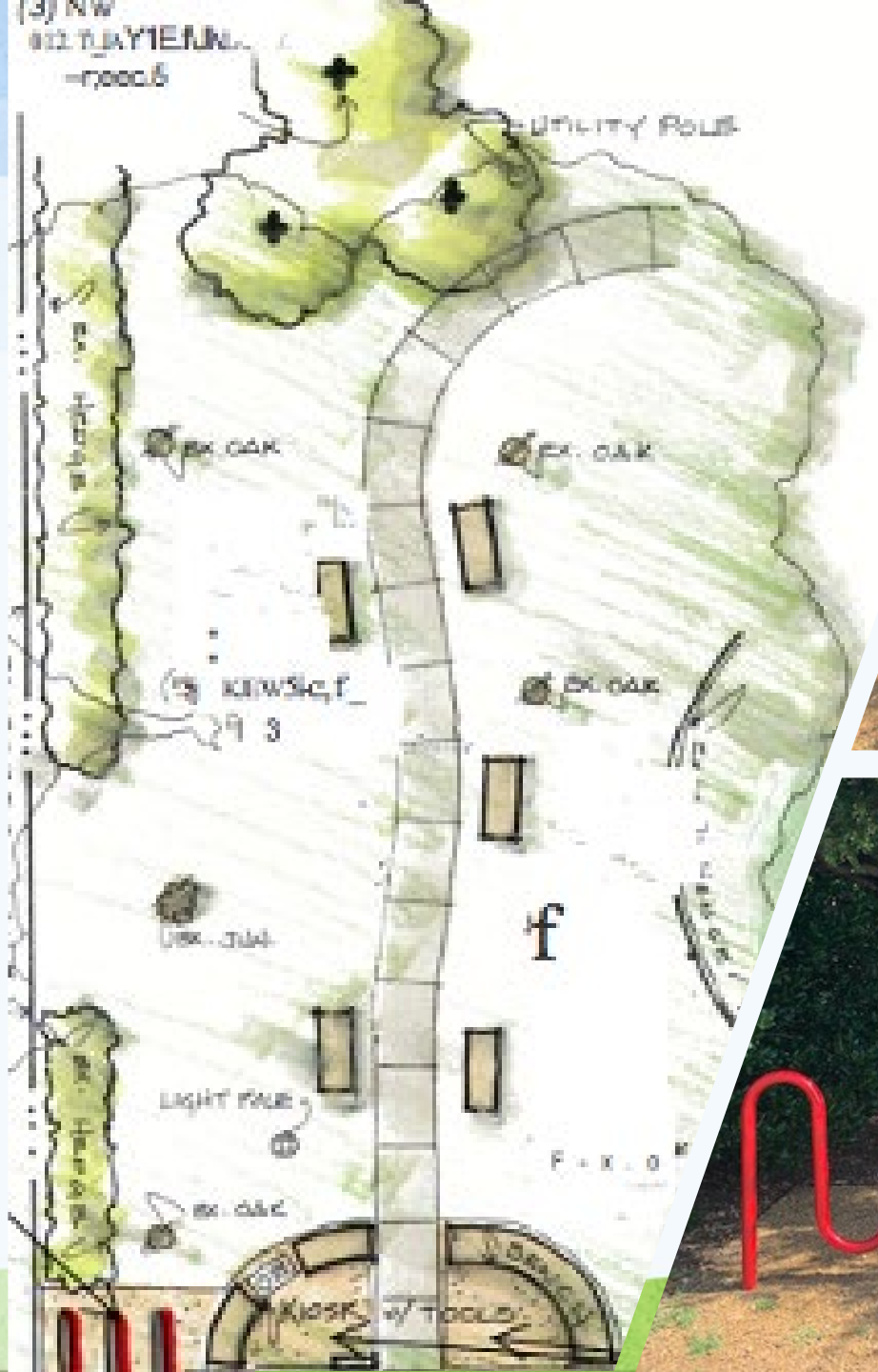
 Phase 2B/2C – Cinderella to Monroe; Led by Dallas County



Crossing three
City Council
Districts: 11, 13 & 6

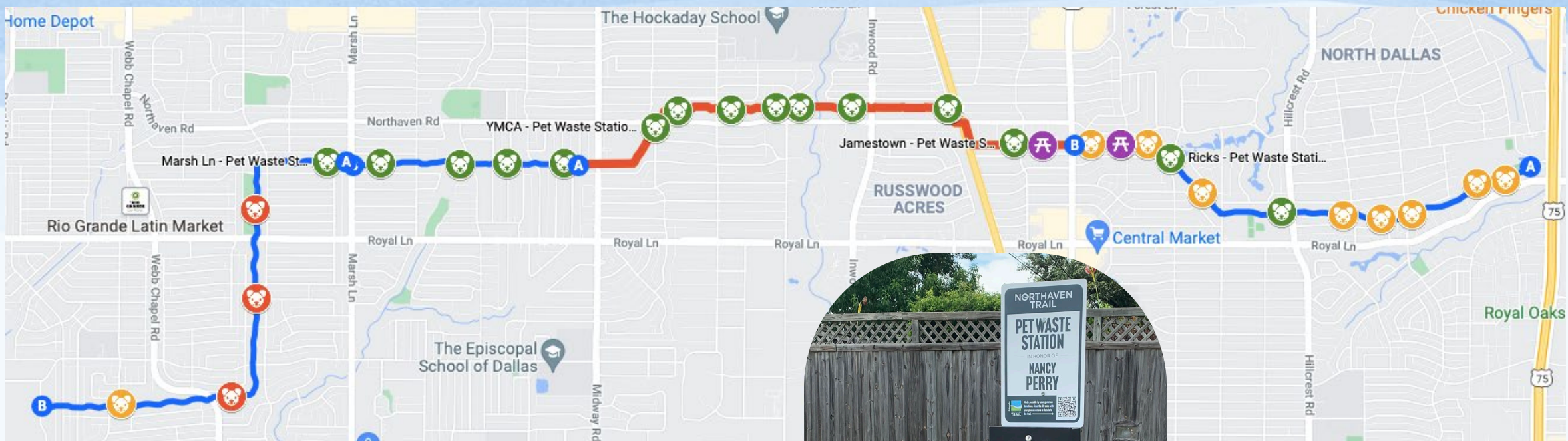
Respite at Pensive





New Respite

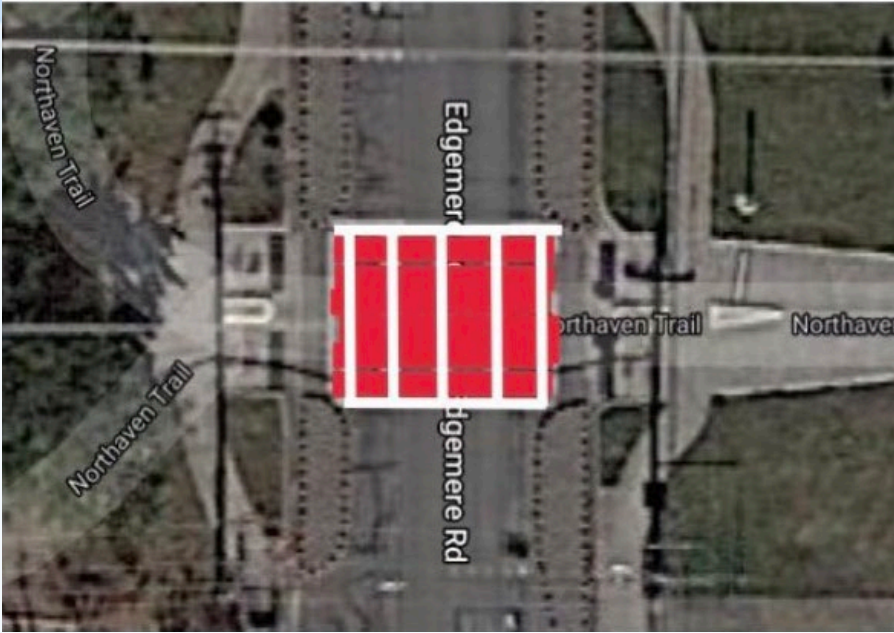
In Partnership with
Northaven United
Methodist Church



20 New Pet Waste Stations Installed

Donated by Trail Users

At Edgemere Road



At St. Michaels Drive



New
Crossings

Low Five

Eastern Expansion over 75

Connects four Dallas trails

- Cottonwood Creek Trail
- White Rock Creek Trail
- SoPac Trail
- Northaven Trail



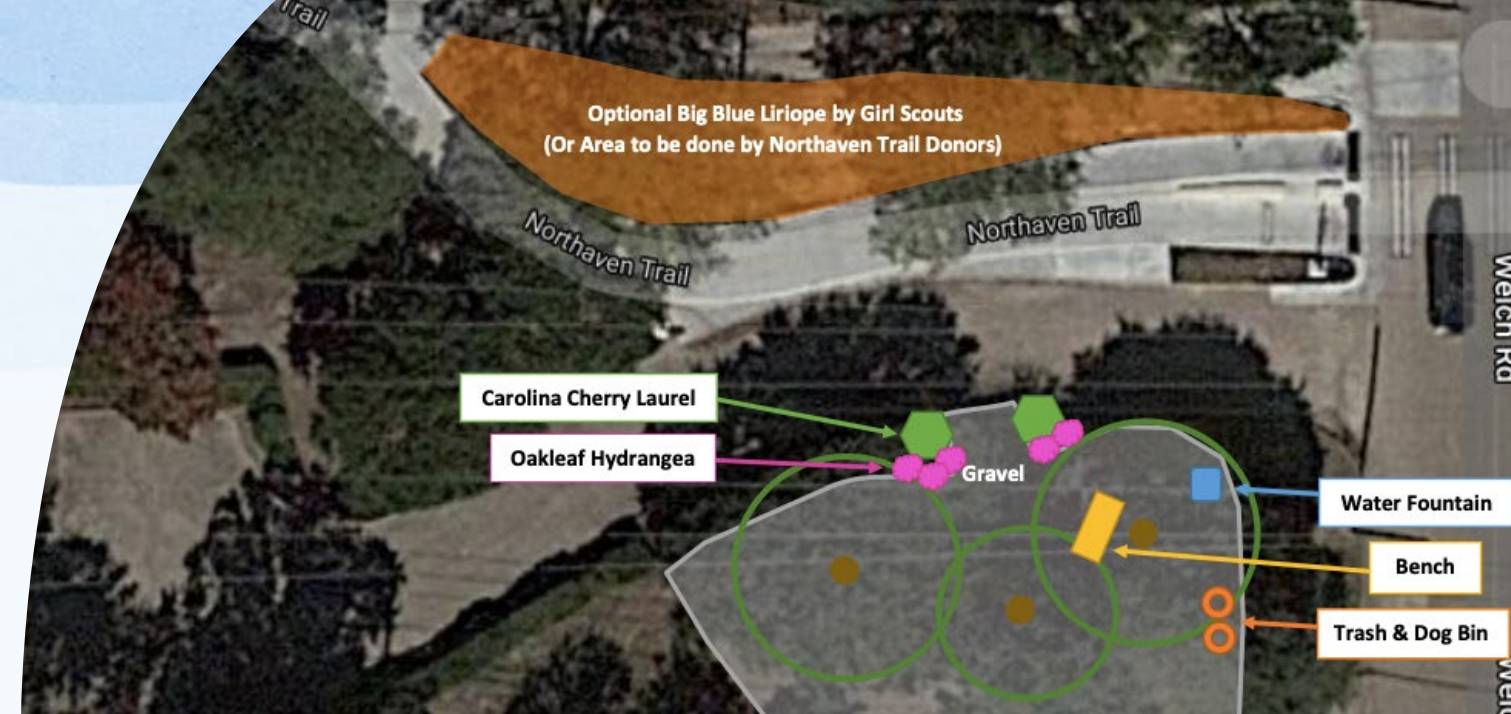


Bridge Construction Progress

New Respite Work In Progress at Welch

- Donor for water fountain secured
- Girl Scouts providing amenities, plants and design
- Oncor engineer provided their requirements

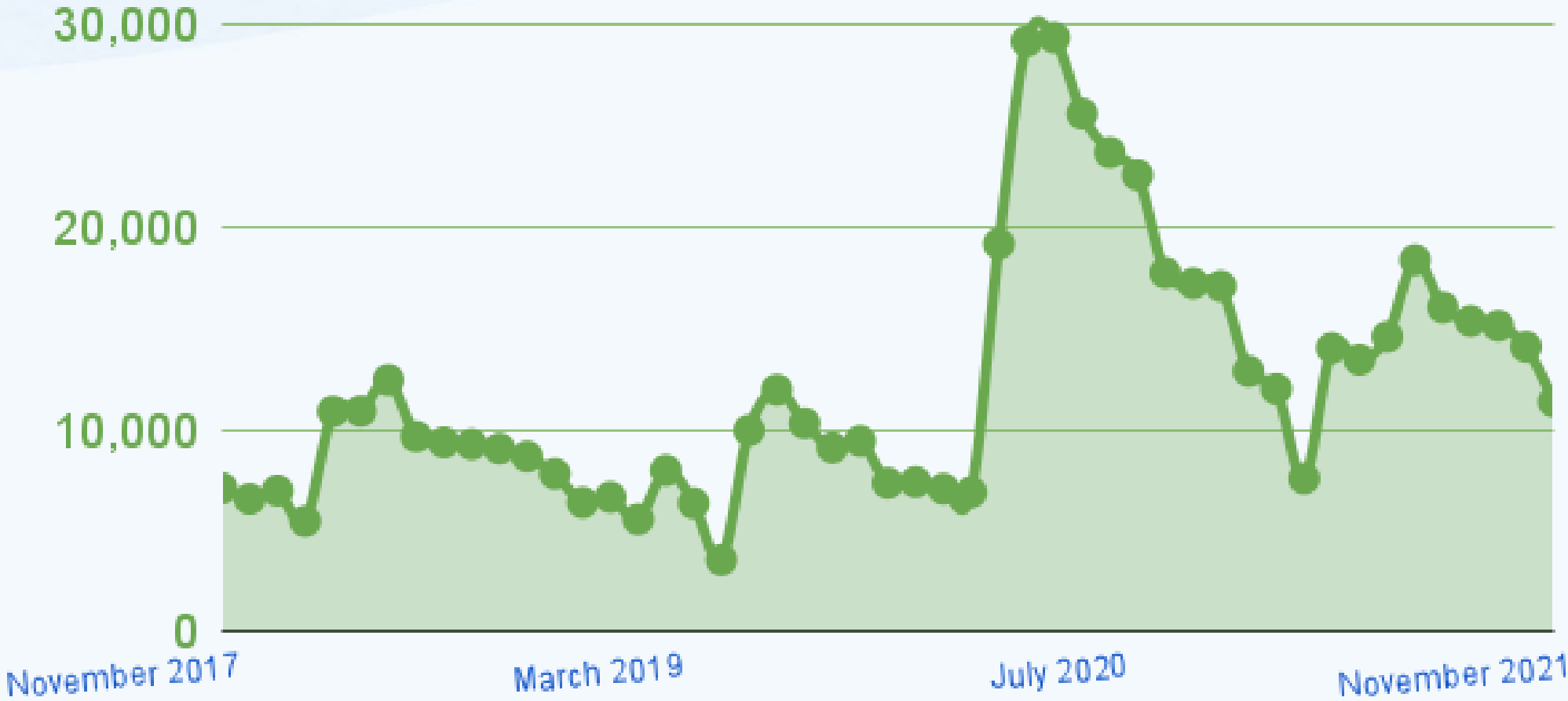
**Next Step is City
Engineering Drawing**





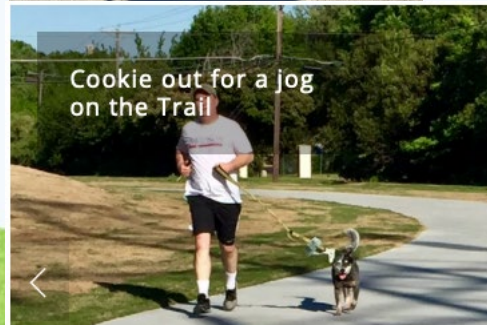
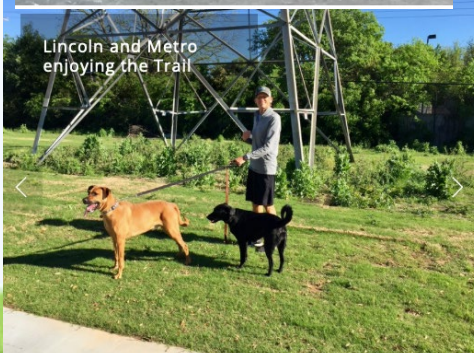
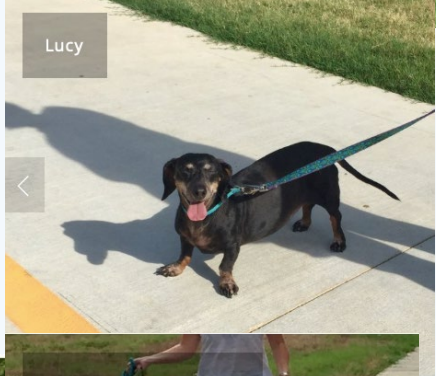
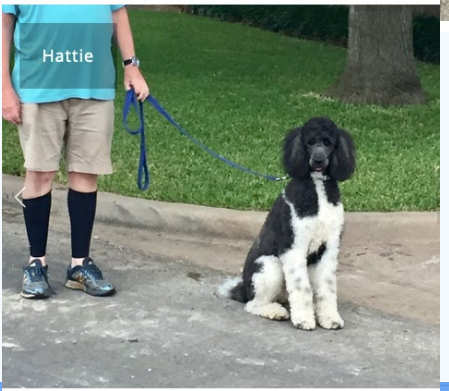
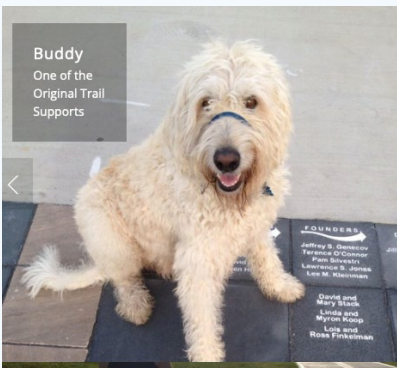
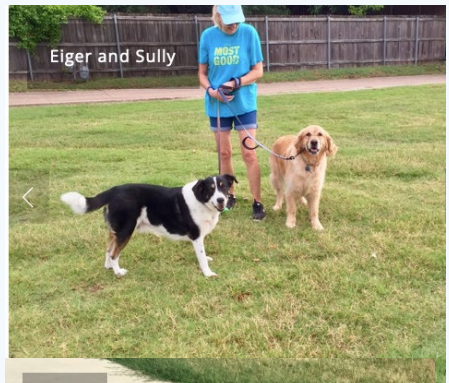
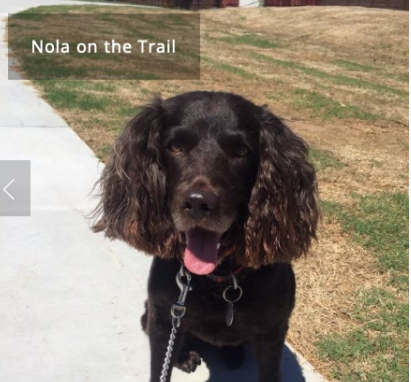
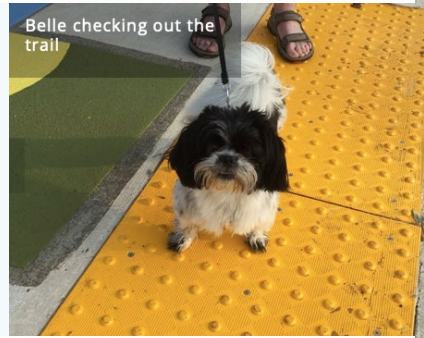
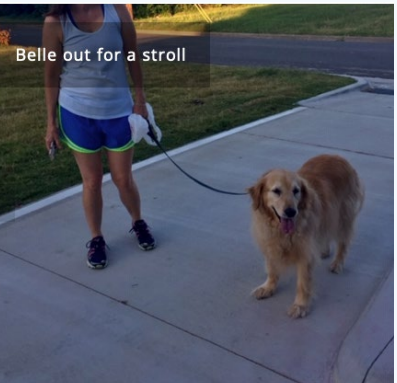
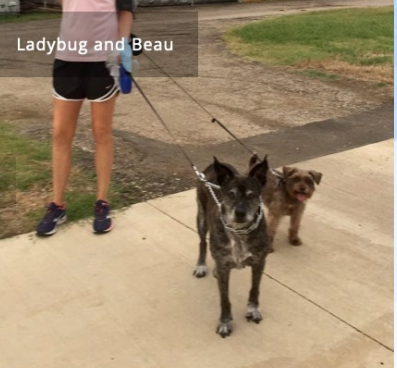
Wildflowers on the Trail

"No Mow" zones working to increase plant and animal diversity on the trail



Monthly Trail Users

Four Legged Users





Strong Community Support for the Trail

Clean Up Projects

- St. Marks
- Boy Scouts
- Hockaday
- Neighborhood Groups
- Trail Captains

Community Support

14 Trail Captains

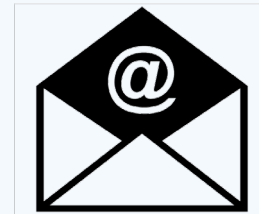
- Each responsible for about ½ mile on the trail
- Help report issues; put up marketing materials; community outreach

49 Volunteers

- Help with trail clean up, planting, working events



175 Instagram Followers



562 Email Subscribers



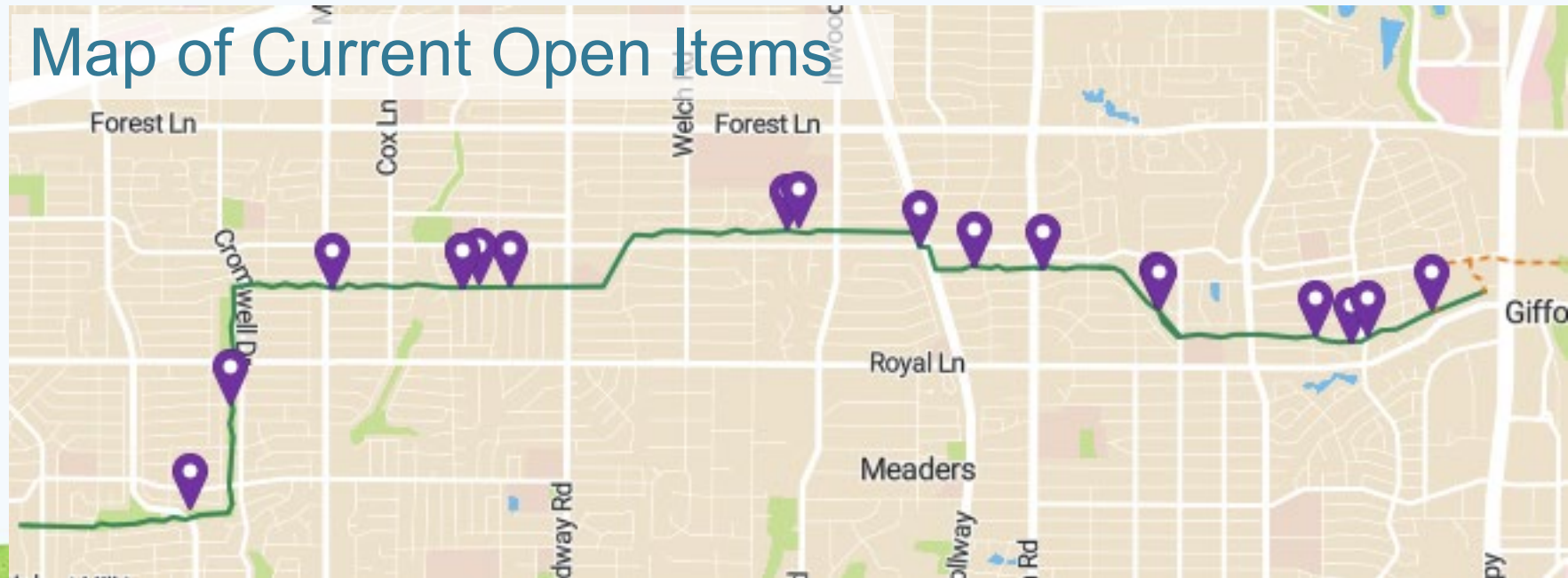
1,761 Facebook Likes

Online Tracking of User Reported Issues

- 184 issues submitted over last two years
- Graffiti vandal caught based on information from trail user and DPD



Map of Current Open Items





Buy
Merchandise
at northaventrail.org

Downloadable Fun for the Kiddos

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NORTHHAVEN TRAIL SCAVENGER HUNT

SOUND LOCATER

As you walk, ride, scoot, bike, or however you want to traverse the Northaven Trail, look for each of these items. Put an "X" in the box for each item you find.

<input type="checkbox"/> WIND	<input type="checkbox"/> DOG	<input type="checkbox"/> CAR
<input type="checkbox"/> BIRD	<input type="checkbox"/> BEE	<input type="checkbox"/> BIRD
<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> POLICE/FIRETRUCK SIREN	<input type="checkbox"/> BELL
<input type="checkbox"/> HELICOPTER	<input type="checkbox"/> BIKER	<input type="checkbox"/> TELEPHONE RING

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DRAWING KIT

As you walk, ride, scoot, bike, or however you want to traverse the Northaven Trail, look for each of these items. Put an "X" in the box for each item you find. Can you find all 28?

BIRD	FAVORITE FLOWER	INSECT
SOMETHING BLUE	SOMETHING GREEN	SOMETHING YELLOW
SOMETHING BIG	SOMETHING SMALL	YOUR FAVORITE ITEM ON THE TRAIL
DOG	BIKE	TREE

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OBJECT FINDER

As you walk, ride, scoot, bike, or however you want to traverse the Northaven Trail, look for each of these items. Put an "X" in the box for each item you find. Can you find all 28?

<input type="checkbox"/> BUTTERFLY	<input type="checkbox"/> DOG	<input type="checkbox"/> TREE
<input type="checkbox"/> SQUIRREL	<input type="checkbox"/> BEE	<input type="checkbox"/> BIRD
<input type="checkbox"/> ROCK	<input type="checkbox"/> CLOUD	<input type="checkbox"/> BIKE
<input type="checkbox"/> STOP SIGN	<input type="checkbox"/> ELECTRICAL TOWER	<input type="checkbox"/> AIRPLANE
<input type="checkbox"/> HELICOPTER	<input type="checkbox"/> FLYING BUG	<input type="checkbox"/> BRIDGE
<input type="checkbox"/> STREET LIGHT	<input type="checkbox"/> RUNNER	<input type="checkbox"/> TRAIL LIGHT
<input type="checkbox"/> WATER FOUNTAIN	<input type="checkbox"/> ARROW SIGN	<input type="checkbox"/> RABBIT

Feel free to email us a copy of it if you would like us to post in on our Facebook page. Download more Northaven Trail Scavenger Hunts from <http://northhaventrail.org>

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COLOR HUNTER

As you walk, ride, scoot, bike, or however you want to traverse the Northaven Trail, look for items that represent each color. Draw each item you find in the color's box below.

RED	GREEN
BLUE	PURPLE
BROWN	ORANGE

Wide Range of Community Outreach Events



Community Bike Ride

FRIENDS OF NORTHAVEN TRAIL
presents
COFFEE ON THE TRAIL
SATURDAY SEP 11 FROM 8AM-10AM.

northaventrail.org

SEPTEMBER 26 1 - 3 PM

BIKE CHECK
ON THE NORTHAVEN TRAIL

RAIL (PARKING LOT ON THE WEST SIDE)

FRIENDS OF NORTHAVEN TRAIL

INVITE YOU TO
LIGHT THE TRAIL

PLEASE DECORATE YOUR FENCE BACKING UP TO THE TRAIL. WE WILL BE GIVING PRIZES FOR THE BEST THREE DECORATIONS!

AND

JOIN US FOR LIGHT THE TRAIL HOLIDAY PARTY ON DEC 12 5:30-7:30 AT EDMERE PARK

SAT 9.14.19
PUPPY YOGA
9:30 - 10:30 AM

SAT, OCTOBER 5
MOVIE NIGHT ON THE TRAIL

presented by
Ebby Halliday Companies

HOCUS POCUS
STARTS AT DUSK!

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FISH CITY GRILL

TUE 9.10.19
DONATION DAY
FISH CITY GRILL
15% of Sales Go To Support Your Trail

All Day 11 AM to

OCTOBER 30, 2021 * 10-4pm

Art on the Trail

FAMILY • FOOD • BANDS • FUN

FOR INFO: Northaven.org • ArontheTrailDFW.com

SPONSORED BY Northaven Church

SATURDAY, JUNE 12
FROM 9-11 AM

ARTS IN THE PARKS

FLOWER CHILD
REALITY DODGE FOR A HAPPY WORLD

Informational Happy Hour

1st annual fine art show on the Northaven Trail at Preston and Northaven in the Preston Hollow neighborhood.

Color Runs On the Trail

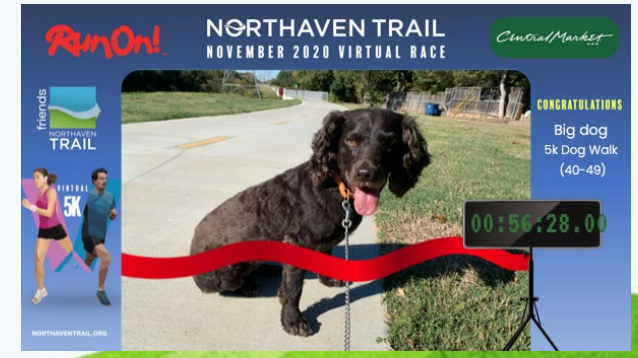
2017



2019



Virtual Race 2020



Next Event

Sunday December 12 at Edgemere



Join Us!!

Plus, Homes Backing Up to the Trail Lighting Up their Fences



Free Hot Chocolate and Cookies
Dallas Fire Department
Music and Games

See You on the Trail!

