



Proclamation



Exploration Green

WHEREAS, **Exploration Green** was created by the Exploration Green Conservancy and the Clear Lake City Water Authority to provide storm water detention, recreation and conservation to the Clear Lake area, following the initial vision of the Clear Lake City Water Authority; and,

WHEREAS, Exploration Green Conservancy and Clear Lake City Water Authority have been honored by the Houston-Galveston Area Council with the Public Spaces Planning Award and by the City of Houston with a Certificate of Recognition from the Mayor's Proud Partner Award for their plan, **Exploration Green**; and,

WHEREAS, **Exploration Green** is supported by the award-winning team of partners from SWA Architecture Group; Lockwood, Andrews and Newnam; Trees for Houston; Texas A&M Coastal Watershed Program and the Galveston Bay Foundation; and,

WHEREAS, on April 12, 2014, the Clear Lake and Bay Area Houston communities will break ground on **Exploration Green**, a long-term project that will provide the Clear Lake and Bay Area Houston communities with a public green area of nearly 200 acres; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Houston salutes and commends those committed to this worthwhile endeavor and extends best wishes for a successful event.

THEREFORE, I, Annise D. Parker, Mayor of the City of Houston, hereby proclaim April 12, 2014, as

Exploration Green Day

in Houston, Texas.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Official Seal of the City of Houston to be affixed this 3rd day of April, 2014.

Annise D. Parker
Mayor of the City of Houston