

# Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE 9 May 2014

TO The Honorable Members of the Transportation and Trinity River Project Committee:  
Vonciel Jones Hill (Chair), Lee Kleinman (Vice Chair), Deputy Mayor Pro Tem  
Monica Alonzo, Mayor Pro Tem Tennell Atkins, Sandy Greyson, Sheffie Kadane

SUBJECT Trinity River Wind Festival – Saturday, 17 May 2014

The fourth year of the Trinity River Wind Festival will be held on Saturday, 17 May 2014, in the Dallas Floodway between Commerce Street and IH-30, from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Parking is available for the festival in the surface lots and parking garages at the corner of Riverfront Boulevard and Commerce Street (146 Commerce Street, Dallas, 75207).

The Trinity River Wind Festival focuses on families having fun outdoors and celebrating the beauty and spirit of the wide open spaces along the Trinity River. A flyer and schedule are attached to provide additional details of the day's wind-driven action. You can access the area through the paid parking lot by walking up and over the east levee.

We encourage you to attend and enjoy the wind-driven recreational showcase of fun and adventure. This is an opportunity for thousands of people to visit the Dallas Floodway to see giant show kites, international stunt kite flyers, kite making with kite masters from Sendai, Japan; experience the beauty and history of Dragon Kites coming to Dallas from Weifang, China; visit the Girl Scout Zone; and participate in many other free activities. In addition, the general public may bring a kite, pinwheel, whistle, or other wind driven toy to engage in the simple joy of playing in the wind.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information.

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Assistant City Manager



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4th Annual

# Trinity River Wind Festival

SATURDAY, MAY 17, 2014

11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

DALLAS, TEXAS

**FREE**  
**Family Fun!**  
**Kites, Birds**  
**and Music!**

A bike & dog  
friendly event!

Parking for a fee at Riverfront Blvd. and Commerce Street  
(146 Commerce Street) Festival area in the Dallas Floodway

[TrinityRiverWindFestival.com](http://TrinityRiverWindFestival.com)

TRINITY RIVER

# Wind Festival

**Saturday, May 17, 2014 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

**The following FREE events are scheduled for all day:**

**Public Kite Flying**

**Show and Stunt Kites**

**North Texas Hang/Paragliding Association**

**City of Dallas Kite Giveaway** (*while supplies last*)

**Girl Scout Zone** (*Photo Booth, Snow Cones, Face Painting*)

**Sprint Booth** (*Phone recycling and Giveaways*)

**Paper Airplane Making**

**Other events and time schedule:**

**Girl Scout Council Bridging Ceremony** 10 a.m. - Noon  
(*Continental Avenue Bridge and West Dallas Gateway*)

**Girl Scout Opening Flag Ceremony** 11 a.m.

**Japanese Kite Makers** (*Sendai, Japan*) Noon - 5 p.m.

**Dragon Kites** (*Weifang, China*) Noon - 5 p.m.

**Blackland Prairie Raptors** Noon - 4 p.m.

**Girl Scout Sing Along** 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.

**Second Spin Rescue Disc Dogs** 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.

**Wildflower Planting** 2:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.

**Dallas Zoo Outreach** 3 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

**Alma y Corazon Tejano Ballet Folklorico** 4 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.