TICKETS & SPONSORSHIPS NOW AVAILABLE!

We are delighted to announce Bayou Preservation Association’s 17th Annual Symposium will be going virtual this year and span two days to reach a wider audience than ever before!

Taking place on Thursday, October 1 and Friday, October 2, 2020 from 8 AM to 12 PM via GoToWebinar, this year’s Symposium theme Bayou-Diversity: Celebrate, Protect & Restore will address the expanding importance of diversity in all its forms — physical, geomorphological, biological, socioeconomic, and conceptual.

Buy tickets here: https://bayoupreservation.networkforgood.com/events/21818-bayou-diversity-celebrate-protect-restore-17th-annual-symposium

THEMES & SPEAKERS

"Explore the broad interconnectivity of diverse landscapes, wildlife, recreational uses, and communities that our bayous support and how critical our waterways are to enriching our region’s future growth."

This year, we will hear from local agencies and experts on how multi-faceted diversity contributes to the longevity and growth of our community as well as our unique bayou systems. We will explore the broad interconnectivity of diverse landscapes, wildlife, recreational uses, and communities that our bayous support and how critical our waterways are to enriching our region’s future growth.
To contribute to the discussion, we have invited representatives from Asakura Robinson, City of Houston, Houston Audubon, Houston Parks Board, the Kinder Institute for Urban Research, Memorial Park Conservancy, Nature Conservancy, SWCA Environmental Consultants, and Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. We also have an engaging panel discussion moderated by Harris County Precinct 4 Commissioner Jack Cagle, which will explore the panel’s vision and our charge for the future.

Check out the program here: https://www.bayoupreservation.org/BPASite/media/BPA/2020_BayouPreservationSymposium_Program.pdf

**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

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The Symposium has become a sought-after event among key policy makers, planners, scientists, and engineers who value the expertise presented throughout the event. With this year’s virtual, 2-day event, we intend to surpass previous years’ attendance and engage an even broader audience on emerging water quality issues and possible solutions.

This year, sponsorships are more important than ever. Recognizing the impacts of COVID-19 on many in our community and the shift to a virtual platform, we are offering reduced-price tickets. Sponsor support, however, will guarantee these important discussions take place and secure the future of this critical event. Trusted sponsors are entitled to a range of benefits outlined on form below.


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Thank you sincerely to this year’s dedicated team of Organizing Partners and their commitment to Bayou Preservation Association’s mission and vision:

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- Harris County Pollution Control Services
- Houston-Galveston Area Council
- Memorial Park Conservancy
- Talley Landscape Architects

**WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING**

“By working with clients such as management districts and redevelopment authorities, Hawes Hill and Associates LLP is in the business of improving neighborhood quality of life and commerce. So preserving and promoting the Houston area's precious bayous is a natural fit for our mission -- and the reason why we proudly sponsor the Bayou Preservation Association's symposium."

- Alan Bernstein, Director of Public Affairs for Hawes Hill and Associates, 2020 Panel Sponsor
“Symposium sponsorship gives our business additional exposure to the many local agencies and experts who attend or participate to transfer the latest knowledge on our bayou system. It also supports the spirited discussions on the importance of our local natural resources as the region grows.”
- Becky Olive, P.E., MBA. Vice President, Project Manager Performance Director, Americas, AECOM, 2020 Panel Sponsor

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**MORE INFO**

For registration, tickets and to learn more about becoming an event sponsor, visit the Bayou Preservation Association website at [https://www.bayoupreservation.org/News-Events/Events/2020-Annual-Symposium](https://www.bayoupreservation.org/News-Events/Events/2020-Annual-Symposium).

You may also call 713-529-6443 for more details.