

Houston Urban Initiative

East End Pocket Garden (Harrisburg & Lockwood)

11- and 12-Nov-2014

The USFWS is sponsoring a project called “Houston Urban Initiative”, which involves planting three separate and different “pocket gardens” in the urban areas surrounding downtown Houston.

The first of these gardens to be installed was an area emphasizing backyard habitat, especially for butterflies and hummingbirds, at the SE corner of Harrisburg and Lockwood (about a dozen blocks east of Minute Maid Park). Pre-work involved site preparation (dirt) work; however, as this ended, 15 larger “tree” specimens were planted on 11-Nov-2014, followed by planting of many smaller items on 12-Nov-14 with the assistance of students from a local high school.

Photos are attached for these 2 days.















































