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Workforce Solutions of West Central Texas Board to Award City of Abilene a Check for Continued Development of Kirby Nature Park and Science Center

Abilene, Texas— On **Wednesday**, **April 17th, 12 noon** at the **Enterprise Bldg. 500 Chestnut, Suite 1200, Workforce Solutions Board** will present the Mayor of Abilene, Anthony Williams and Lesli Andrews, with the City of Abilene a check for $7500.00. This award money will be used for continued development and improvements for the Kirby Nature Park and Science Center.

The Kirby Nature Park and Science Center is designed to incorporate existing natural resources into an outdoor nature and science center that includes play and learning center for young children, nature walks/trails, areas for group learning activities, areas for hands-on activities and observation areas.

The Park and Science Center was developed to establish an outdoor learning environment for young children to stimulate interest and appreciation of nature and science and is accessible to all young children and their families at no cost.

We hope you can send a media representative to cover this check presentation to the City of Abilene.

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