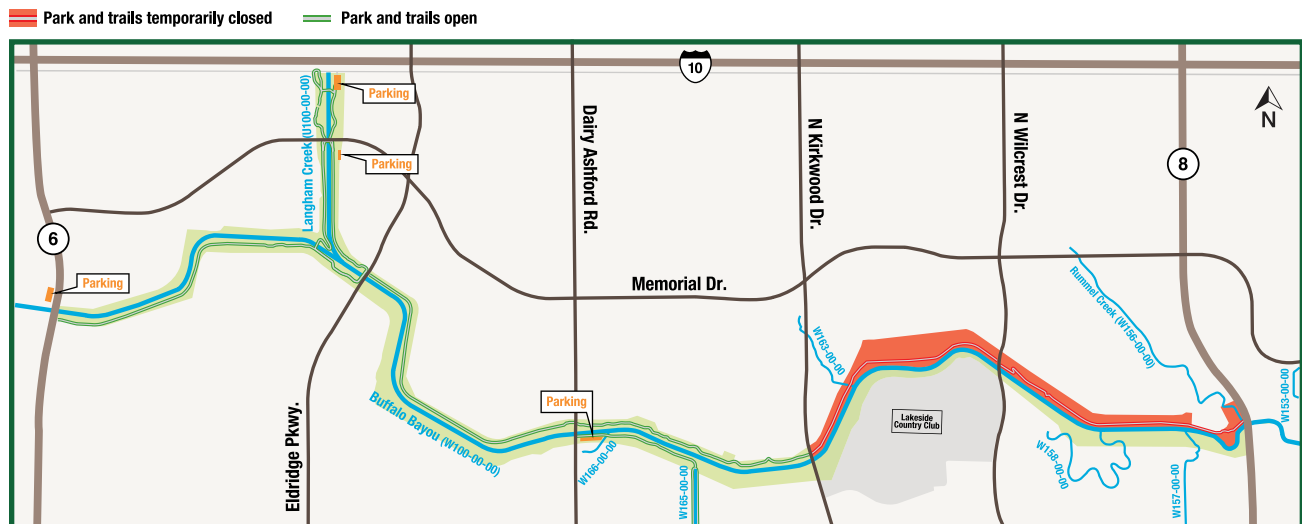


## Terry Hershey Park Temporary Closure Information

Due to concerns for public safety, a portion of Harris County Precinct 3's Terry Hershey Park is temporarily closing while Harris County Flood Control District work to repair bank failures on Buffalo Bayou continues. Effective immediately, Terry Hershey Park will be closed on the north side of Buffalo Bayou between Beltway 8 and Kirkwood Drive. The remainder of Terry Hershey Park will continue to be open to the public. Park goers are encouraged to access trails and park space that will remain open by using the existing parking areas located west of the closure.



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For many weeks, the Harris County Flood Control District and construction teams have asked park visitors to stay out of construction areas. Unfortunately, dangerous situations involving pedestrians and bike riders continue to occur on a daily basis. Officials monitoring the situation report that some members of the public are taking undue risks and that the park closure, a last resort, is the safest way to protect the public from potential accidents.

Closure in the repair area will last until bank stabilization repairs are complete.

Harris County Constables will be patrolling the closed area and issuing citations to trespassers.

### About the THP Repair Project

Due to severe flooding in 2016, several bank areas have eroded, resulting in dangerous conditions and washed out trail segments in this area of Terry Hershey Park. The Harris County Flood Control District and Harris County Precinct 3 are working diligently to finish the repairs.