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Comal Trails Alliance Receives Outstanding Service in Conservation Award

New Braunfels, Texas - The City of New Braunfels and the Comal Trails Alliance were awarded the Outstanding Service Conservation Award by the Texas Recreation and Park Society (TRAPS) during a ceremony at the organization's Annual Conference and Institute in Abilene on Thursday, March 5th.

The Outstanding Service Conservation Award honors preservation efforts that include extensive volunteer time contributed to beautification efforts within a community over the past year. Award nominees are measured on the philanthropic capacity and accomplishments in proportion to their resources.

The Comal Trails Alliance is dedicated to creating a system of trails connecting communities and providing opportunities for education, health and enjoyment of the natural resources of Comal County. The group meets bi-monthly for volunteer workdays at the Dry Comal and Panther Canyon trails. In 2014 the group dedicated over 400 hours to improvements to City of New Braunfels trails and helped secure grants to fund trail improvements including informational signage, workshops and trail markers.

"We are grateful to the Comal Trails Alliance for their commitment to making safer trail conditions for the New Braunfels community." said Stacey Dicke, Parks and Recreation Director.

TRAPS is a nonprofit 501(c)3 professional organization, committed to advancing the field of parks, recreation and leisure services in Texas, while advocating for enhanced recreation opportunities and the increase of public green space for Texans.

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