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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **After successful MLK Day of Service; students from three school districts return to finish Delta Lake project**

**EDCOUCH** – Students and teachers from three school districts will return to Delta Lake Park in Monte Alto on Monday, March 4, to finish a beautification project begun as a Hidalgo County Precinct 1 MLK Day of Service event at Delta Lake Park in Monte Alto.

On Martin Luther King Day in January about 50 students, teachers and community members joined Precinct 1 Commissioner David L. Fuentes in painting picnic tables at the park, which is located on North FM 88, north of Charles Green Road in Monte Alto.

“It was such a success that our office was recently approached by students and teachers about coming out to finish painting the tables,” said Fuentes.

Students and teachers from Monte Alto ISD, Edcouch-Elsa ISD and La Villa ISD will volunteer at the park from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The goal at Delta Lake Park is to paint 140 picnic tables in preparation of the installation of new barbecue pits that will be installed at a later date.

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**WHO:** Students and teachers from Monte Alto, Edcouch-Elsa, and La Villa Independent School Districts and Precinct 1 Commissioner David L. Fuentes

**WHAT:** Painting picnic tables as part of a park beautification project.

**WHEN:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Monday, March 4, 2019

**WHERE:** Delta Lake Park, North FM 88 in Monte Alto.

**Photo:** Hidalgo County Precinct 1 Commissioner David L. Fuentes (front center) with some of the student and community volunteers at the MLK Day of Service at Delta Lake Park on January 21.

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