



Greater Houston Transportation and Emergency Management Center

MEDIA ALERT

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The Houston TranStar Executive Committee and City Council Member Carroll G. Robinson to Host Informational Tour and Luncheon for the Newly Elected Houston City Council Members

“Tour is intended to educate new city council members on the transportation and emergency management efforts currently underway”

(Houston, Texas) ---- On Friday, January 4, 2002 starting at 12:15 p.m., the Houston TranStar Executive Committee and Houston City Council Member Carroll G. Robinson will be hosting an informational tour and luncheon for the newly elected members of the Houston City Council. The tour and luncheon will take place at Houston TranStar located at 6922 Old Katy Road.

Invited to participate in the tour and luncheon are Houston City Council Members Ada Edwards – District D, Addie Wiseman – District E, Carol Alvarado – District I, Shelly Sekula-Rodriguez – At Large Position 3 and Michael Berry – At Large Position 4.

Council Member Robinson will be joined by Tom Rolen, Houston TranStar Executive Committee Chairman and Director of the City of Houston Public Works & Engineering Department, Shirley A. DeLibero, METRO President & CEO, Arthur L. Storey, Director of the Harris County Public Infrastructure Department and Gary K. Trietsch, District Engineer, Texas Department of Transportation-Houston District.

For more information on the tour and luncheon, please contact Artee T. Jones, Executive Public Information Officer for Houston TranStar at 713-881-3244 or Octevia Williams, Chief of Staff for City Council Member Carroll G. Robinson at 713-247-2106.

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