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BAT LOCO RETURNS TO MUSEUM REACH

Free bat talk to gear up for Aug. 9 Bat Loco Bash

WHAT: The San Antonio River Authority (SARA), Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD), and Bat Conservation International (BCI) are hosting a free “Bat Loco” educational talk that will take place near Camden St. Bridge on the Museum Reach segment of the San Antonio River Walk on Tuesday, August 2. The talk precedes the Bat Loco Bash, which will be held on Tuesday, August 9 and will include a bat parade, educational booths, food trucks, live music and bat friends. The Bash is part of San Antonio’s Kidcation week which runs August 6 through August 13.

WHEN: Tuesday, August 2; 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Tuesday, August 9 (Bat Loco Bash); 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

WHERE: 1300 Camden St. (street level at the intersection of Camden and Newell streets)

WHO: The San Antonio River Authority, Texas Parks and Wildlife and Bat Conservation International

Music by DJ Michele McKnight

PHOTO OPS: 1966 Bat Car, Bat Wing Backdrop and Special Guests including SA Batman and Robin

MORE: The public is invited to bring their chairs as SARA staff will lead the talk about the bat colony that currently resides under I-35 while sharing information related to the San Antonio River and the Museum Reach. Wildlife experts from TPWD and BCI will provide bat education and explain the important role bats have in the South Texas ecosystem. Parking for the bat talks is available under the US 281 Hwy underpass on Newell St and Avenue A or under I-35 underpass on Camden St. For more information, visit www.sara-tx.org.

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The San Antonio River Authority (SARA) was created by the 45th Texas Legislature on May 5, 1937 and reorganized in 1961 to plan, manage and implement water-related programs and projects within the San Antonio River Watershed. The State of Texas empowered SARA to preserve, protect and manage the resources and the ecology of the San Antonio River and its tributaries. To learn more about the SARA visit our website at www.sara-tx.org.