

Phil Hardberger Park

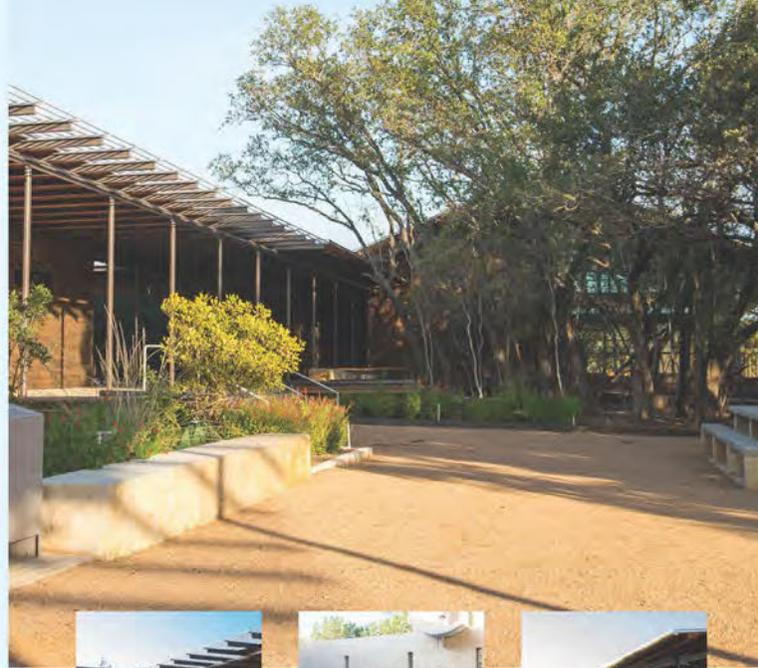
Restoration Projects

Phil Hardberger Park is the focus of two ecological restoration projects. The first project is a large scale savanna restoration. This project will convert an Ashe juniper and persimmon brush land into a savanna consisting of native grasses and wildflowers with trees interspersed. It is our goal to carefully restore parts of Phil Hardberger Park to savanna while monitoring the impacts of this restoration on local bird, reptile, and mammal populations.

The second project is the mapping, documenting, and removing of exotic invasive plants. Exotic invasive species have been known to adversely affect and displace native species. This results in simplification of an ecosystem and loss of biodiversity. It is our goal to help mindfully maintain biodiversity. At Phil Hardberger Park, staff and volunteers work diligently year round to target and control these exotic invasive plants.. For volunteer information and opportunities please call (210) 207-3292.

Education Projects

Phil Hardberger Park Urban Ecology Center hosts a variety of educational programs for all ages including 1st Saturday programs, guided nature hikes, and kid friendly crafts. Please call (210) 207-3280 or visit www.sanaturalareas.org for more information!



Harmonious Design

The Phil Hardberger Park Urban Ecology Center (PHPUEC) is a Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Facility and totals 18,600 sq ft. in combined Gathering Hall, Classroom, office space, and porches. The low-impact design facility boasts environmentally sensitive design features such as solar panels and a rainwater collection system. The PHPUEC is designed to be utilized for educational lectures and private parties to include corporate events, business meetings, and weddings.

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URBAN ECOLOGY CENTER

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**Connecting People
to Nature**



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Urban Ecology Center

The Phil Hardberger Park Urban Ecology Center provides a natural sanctuary in the heart of an urban area. Located inside Phil Hardberger Park, the facility provides a seamless connection between humans and nature, fostering a growth for sustainability and stewardship. The Phil Hardberger Park Urban Ecology Center strives to:

- Enhance community through education, volunteerism, recreation, and stewardship.
- Provide environmental education opportunities.
- Promote inclusive and transformative relationships between people and nature.

With these guiding principles, the Phil Hardberger Park Urban Ecology Center invites you to capture nature.

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Facility Rental

GATHERING HALL

The Gathering Hall is a 3,000 sq ft. venue adjoined by a 450 sq ft. catering kitchen. The Gathering Hall accommodates up to 250 people seated auditorium style or 168 people seated dinner style. The Gathering Hall boasts large sliding windows which open to the savanna and courtyard creating a seamless connection with nature. The Gathering Hall is equipped with full audio/visual capabilities including a drop down screen and projector. It is the perfect venue for a private event, corporate retreat, or educational lecture series.

RENTAL RATES:

Sun. - Fri. Evenings - (2 hr min.)	\$1,250.00 per hour
Saturday Evenings - (2 hr min.)	\$1,375.00 per hour
Days - (4 hr min.)	\$200.00 per hour
Deposit	\$500.00

Please call (210) 207-5322 for availability and rates related to an educational program, non-profit, and government organizational use.

CLASSROOM

The Classroom is a 1,000 sq ft. venue equipped with full audio/visual capabilities including a drop down screen and projector. The Classroom accommodates 50 seated in a traditional classroom style set-up. It is an ideal location for community meetings and continuing education courses.

RENTAL RATES

Hourly - (4 hr min.)	\$75.00
Deposit	\$250.00

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