We invite you to join us . . .

as we embark on a project at Civic Park in Walnut Creek to restore native vegetation to the banks of our namesake Walnut Creek.

This project will begin on <u>SATURDAY MORNING</u>, <u>OCT</u>. <u>31ST</u> by clearing dried weeds from a small area of creekbank near the <u>Ironhorse Trail</u> at Civic Park. We will work over the fall and winter to test the soil, plant native seedlings once the rain begins, and nurture them until they are established. Over time, we'll move on to restore successive sections of creekbank at the park.

WHEN: 9:00 AM - Noon, Sat. Oct. 31st

WHERE: Meet at 1251 Civic Drive: (The parking lot of the A-Frame building at corner of Civic Drive & Arroyo --Civic Park lot will be full due to another event)

WEAR & BRING: Closed-toed shoes with non-slip soles, long pants & sleeves, hat & sunscreen Bring: Water to drink, gardening gloves if you have them. Hand clippers may be helpful. (Be sure to label them.)

PLEASE RSVP to: contact@FriendsoftheCreeks.org

You'll have a chance to

- participate in the gradual transformation and restoration of creek habitat at our park;
- enjoy the company of good people and make new friends,
- learn more about native plants and our local creek ecosystem;
- get some fresh air and modest exercise while doing good for our community and local environment.

Beginning in November, restoration workdays will be the 2nd Saturday of the Month from 9am-noon unless weather forces us to reschedule Mark your calendar, and come next time if you're unable to attend on Oct. 31st.

Have Questions? Contact us: **contact@FriendsoftheCreeks.org** MEETING LOCATION:

