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**GARY'S HOWE PARK TO RECEIVE IMPROVEMENTS
GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY FRIDAY**

WHO: HOWE PARK INTER-LOCAL BOARD:

Jamal Washington, Chair, Lake County Councilman
LaVetta Sparks-Wade, Vice Chair, Gary Common Councilwoman
Mayor Karen Freeman-Wilson, City of Gary
Gary Parks Superintendent, Park Board Members

WHAT: Ground Breaking Ceremony for Howe Park Improvements

The project includes various renovations and improvements to the existing pavilion, pool areas, playground and tennis court. A splash pad, picnic shelter and basketball courts will additionally be among the improvements.

WHEN: Friday, September 21, 2018 9:00 a.m.

WHERE: Howe Park is located on the city's east side at 39th & Vermont (between 39th Avenue & Vermont Street and 40th & Kentucky Street) in the city's Glen Park neighborhood.

MEDIA: Speakers will be available for interviews following the ceremony.

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