



Emma S. Barrientos
Mexican American
Cultural Center



Govalle Roots

An Evening of Film, Tejano Music & Remembrances

A follow up to *The Trees of Govalle* with musical performances, video excerpts & special guests!

Wednesday, July 29th at 6pm at the
Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center
In the Auditorium





On April 11th and 12th, under the canopy of a grand heritage pecan tree, Forklift premiered *The Trees of Govalle*—a dance featuring City of Austin employees from the Urban Forestry Program and Tejano legend Manuel “Cowboy” Donley. Presented as part of the Fusebox Festival as part of the thinkEAST Living Charrette Project, *The Trees of Govalle* premiered for over 2,000 people. Featuring the trees of East Austin’s Govalle park and the hardworking Urban Forestry employees who care for them, *The Trees of Govalle* highlighted the care and dedication that goes into maintaining some of our city’s oldest and tallest organisms. Rooted in one of Austin’s oldest neighborhoods, the dance also incorporated the Govalle-Johnston Terrace neighborhood’s rich history and celebrated some of Austin’s longest-standing families—the Donley, Limón, and Rivera families.

6pm Reception

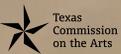
Musical Performance by Manual & Sylvia Donley

7pm *The Trees of Govalle* video excerpts with Forklift

Danceworks, Urban Forestry staff & neighborhood leaders
in attendance

Free and open to the public! For more information, visit www.austintexas.gov/esbmacc

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