

Mi Cocina on the Park Prepares for Grand Opening

Flagship Restaurant at Klyde Warren Park Opening to Public on October 18

DALLAS (October 11, 2021) – After months of anticipation, an iconic Tex-Mex restaurant is preparing to open its newest location in one of the most recognizable restaurant spaces in Dallas. Mi Cocina on the Park will begin serving its legendary brisket tacos, Mambo Taxis and other authentic Tex-Mex favorites at Klyde Warren Park on Monday, October 18.

Following an extensive renovation of the former Savor restaurant space, M Crowd CEO and President Edgar Guevara is eager to welcome guests to the swanky new space designed by Droese Raney. Featuring an inviting patio and dining area, a separate bar experience and an outdoor walk-up service window, the newest Mi Cocina will offer food and drinks that appeal to all generations of Park-goers.

The design preserves the original beauty of the building while incorporating unique aspects of Mexican culture, including a custom art installation from artist Luis Sottit. All furnishings, pottery and décor have been custom-designed for the space by local artisans and craftsmen, including furniture fabricated from white oak and hand-packed concrete planters that bring the Park's landscape into the restaurant.

"Mi Cocina has a rich history in Dallas, and the opening of this unique landmark location coincides beautifully with the celebration of our 30-year anniversary serving our loyal supporters," said Guevara. "For three decades, Mi Cocina has been welcoming generations into our restaurants like family, and we know this opportunity will allow us to further anchor and invest in our community."

The 11,000-square-foot restaurant space was originally designed by architect Thomas Phifer and intended to be the jewel of the Park. The sleek, contemporary design not only adds beauty to the green space, but also significant funds that benefit the Park and its mission to serve the Dallas community with year-round free programming and events. Mi Cocina recently made a \$50,000 donation to support the Park's programs, marking the beginning of their partnership.

"Successful restaurants are an economic engine for many parks around the world, including Central Park in New York and Millennium Park in Chicago," said Kit Sawers, Klyde Warren Park President. "We're thrilled to bring together two iconic Dallas brands in Mi Cocina and Klyde Warren Park and to offer our patrons exceptional Tex-Mex cuisine while they enjoy the Park's stunning views."

This restaurant marks Mi Cocina's 22nd location. Mi Cocina on the Park will be open seven days a week for lunch and dinner and will serve a special brunch menu on the weekends.

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About Mi Cocina

Dallas-based [Mi Cocina](#) has served undeniably authentic Tex-Mex, memorable experiences and its award-winning signature [Mambo Taxi](#) margaritas for nearly three decades. With 22 locations in Texas and Oklahoma plus [two food trucks](#) catering to the Dallas-Fort Worth area, the brand is owned and operated by M Crowd Restaurant Group, which also has a Taco Diner restaurant and The Mercury, the venerable Dallas fine dining institution founded in 1998. For more information, go to [micocina.com](#) or connect on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) @MiCocina.

About Klyde Warren Park

Klyde Warren Park is a 5.2-acre deck park bridging uptown Dallas to downtown Dallas. The Park is privately funded and operated by the nonprofit Woodall Rodgers Park Foundation to connect the community and enrich lives through free, active programming and educational opportunities in a pristine and safe, centrally located, entertainment-rich green space where everyone is welcome. Corporate partnerships, individual donations and grants ensure that this mission will continue into the future. For more information, visit www.klydewarrenpark.org.

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