



## New East Side artwork honors Martin Luther King Jr. and his philosophy



SAN ANTONIO -- New artwork was unveiled Wednesday on the East Side at Pittman-Sullivan Park.

The city commissioned Boston artist Douglas Kornfeld for the 32-foot sculpture. It's called "Open Hand, Open Mind, Open Heart" and honors Martin Luther King Jr. and his philosophy of kindness and racial equality.

"This is really a symbol of what Doctor King's legacy means to our community and also how we envision the ideas of our city we grow into," said District 2 Councilman Alan E. Warrick.

The total budget for the sculpture was \$80,000. The sculpture was built at the park to welcome the thousands of people who come to the park for the city's annual Martin Luther King Jr. march and commemoration.