



**Thank you for joining the first Praise by the Passaic Gospel in Newark Riverfront Park. This place exists thanks to the diligence and fortitude of the people of Newark and Essex, and their enduring will to make better neighborhoods, cities, and communities.**

**Today, we hope that you feel the spirit that made this park possible, and find your own way to contribute to its future history.**

**Here's to Newarkness and riveness, and the places where they come together.**

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Praise by the Passaic Gospel Festival organized by Newark Riverfront Revival & Dr. Albert Lewis in partnership with the City of Newark, Essex County Parks, Ironbound Community Corporation, and Friends of Riverfront Park with major support from the National Endowment for the Arts Our Town Program and Victoria Foundation. Thanks to all the performers and organizations who made today possible!



Dr. Albert Lewis & Newark Riverfront Revival  
present

# Praise by the Passaic Gospel Festival

at the Orange Sticks in Newark Riverfront Park

**Saturday, June 28, 2014  
5–8 pm**

Join residents of Newark and the region to celebrate the conclusion of New Jersey Gospel Month with a festival of gospel song and praise dance showcasing talent from across the state, hosted by Dr. Albert Lewis of the Gospel Time television program.

Newark Riverfront Park is located along Raymond Boulevard between Van Buren & Somme Streets. The #1 bus stops 3 blocks away, and Newark Penn Station is only a 10-minute walk down Raymond.

Bring blankets & lawn chairs, and don't forget to wear white!

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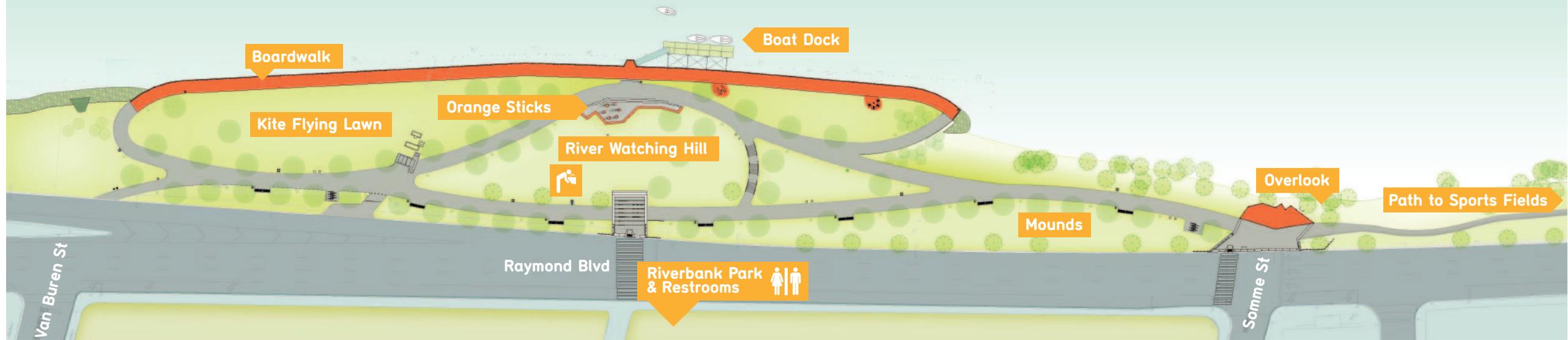
# Newark Riverfront Park

Welcome!

Bienvenido!

Bem-vindo!

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## Praise by the Passaic Gospel Festival

June 28, 2014

### FEATURING

**Dr. Lewis & The Voices of Victory**  
(performance group)

**Makeba Scott** (praise dancer)

**Reverend Alfred Dingle** (vocalist)

**Kofi** (spoken word)

**Brother Buddy Williams & Higher Ground**  
(performance group)

**Hope Jackson** (vocalist)

**Brother Bruno Lee** (musician)

**Essex County College Praise Team**  
(performance group)

**Lisa Christian** (praise dancer)

**Godsent** (spoken word)

**Special Ensemble** (youth performance group)

**Children's of the King** (praise dance group)

**K'Lynn** (youth vocalist)

**Joan Martin** (vocalist)

**Soloman & Latter Praise Group**

Stage Manager: Niki Davis

Sound Engineer: Anthony Boyd

Newark Riverfront Revival (Riverfront Coordinator Chris Caceres)

City of Newark (Planning Director Damon Rich)

Ironbound Community Corporation (Drew Curtis & Nancy Zak)

Friends of Riverfront Park (Lenny Thomas)

## Newarkers, stand up for cleaning up the Passaic River!

In 1983, the federal government discovered that businesses along the Passaic River had released poisonous pollution called dioxin into the river and surrounding area. Dioxin causes cancer and is a big reason that no one can fish, crab, or swim in the river.

Just this april, the federal Environmental Protection Agency released its plan to force the polluters to pay to clean the river. With this momentous decision, born from years of advocacy by Newark residents and others who believe in environmental justice, now is the time for all Newark residents to stand up and insist that the polluters face up to their responsibilities and help heal our environment. Email [newarkriverfront@gmail.com](mailto:newarkriverfront@gmail.com) or call (201) 341-8311 to learn more and get involved.

### Upcoming riverfront events!

**Riverfront Yoga** Mondays 6-7 pm at the Riverfront Meadow (Enter park at Raymond Blvd and Brill St, take right and circle around to the Meadow.) Bring a mat or blanket. Free & open to the public.

**Riverfront Zumba** 6-7 pm at the Riverfront Meadow (Enter park at Raymond Blvd and Brill St, take right and circle around to the Meadow.) Free & open to the public.

**Newark Boat Tours** All summer, join the movement to the river for a fun and affordable boat tour. Tours travel 7 miles of Newark's riverfront. Tickets must be purchased in advance, \$15 for general tickets, \$5 for Newark residents. To purchase, call Chris Caceres at (201) 341-8311 or email [newarkriverfront@gmail.com](mailto:newarkriverfront@gmail.com).