

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **UPDATE**

SUFFOLK, VA (March 24, 2011) Due to the forecasted wet weather for the weekend which would interfere with planned demonstrations, the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for the Lake Meade Skate Park will be rescheduled. No new date has been selected. However, both skate spots are currently open to the public and skate boarders are encouraged to enjoy the facilities even before the official opening ceremony.

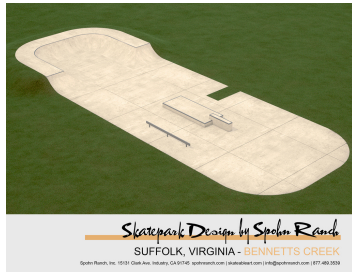
## **Grand Opening of Suffolk's New Skate Parks**

SUFFOLK, VA (March 18, 2011) Construction of the new Lake Meade Skate Park and Bennett's Creek Skate Park in Suffolk, Virginia, has been completed. The grand openings will feature ribbon-cutting ceremonies, demos and open skating for the skaters who have been patiently waiting to try out the new parks. The Lake Meade Skate Park ceremony will be held on March 26, 2011, at 10:30 a.m. The Bennett's Creek Skate Park ceremony will be held on April 2, 2011, at 10:30 a.m.

The skate parks were planned, designed, and constructed by Spohn Ranch Skateparks, a California-based firm specializing in the design and construction of custom concrete skate parks.

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Lake Meade is located at 201 Holly Lawn Parkway in downtown Suffolk (KidsZone Community Playground, behind Farm Fresh). Bennett's Creek is located at 3000 Bennett's Creek Park Road in northern Suffolk.



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