

CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM

DEPARTMENT: Parks and Recreation

AGENDA DATE: January 21, 2020

CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: Tracy Novak, Parks and Recreation Director (212-1708)

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: District 3

STRATEGIC GOAL:

Goal 4 – Enhance El Paso's Quality of Life through Recreational, Cultural, and Educational Environments

SUBJECT:

Discussion and action on a Resolution formally renaming Vocational Park Pond, located at 7464 Balsam Dr., El Paso, Texas, to Cedar Grove Park Pond.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The naming of parks and recreation facilities follows a Council adopted policy. The Applicant provided the naming application, citizen support petitions, and research. The Park Naming Subcommittee and the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (PRAB) reviewed the naming application. PRAB recommends naming the park "Cedar Grove Park Pond". Attached please find background materials.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

May 1, 2018, Re-Naming of NE Regional Park to "Joey Barraza and Vino Memorial Park"

June 13, 2017, Re-Naming of Carolina Park to "Officer David Ortiz Park"

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:

On Dec 9, 2019, PRAB voted to recommend this name change go to City Council for Approval.

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

LEGAL: (if required) _____ **FINANCE:** (if required) _____

DEPARTMENT HEAD: T. Novak

APPROVED FOR AGENDA: _____

CITY MANAGER: _____ **DATE:** _____

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council accept the recommendation from the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board to rename Vocational Park Pond located at 7464 Balsam Drive within the City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas, as Cedar Grove Park Pond.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

THAT the Vocational Park Pond, located at 7464 Balsam Drive, within the City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas, shall henceforth be renamed and known as Cedar Grove Park Pond; and,

THAT The Lower Valley Association, POC Ana Duenez, ("Applicant") shall incur the customary costs associated with the renaming of the park, such as installing or replacing signs with the park name or any other signs posted or affixed to a facility. Any proposed signs shall be reviewed and agreed upon by both the Parks and Recreation Department and Applicant. (District 3).

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2020.

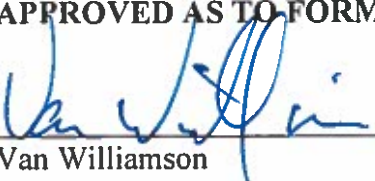
CITY OF EL PASO:

Dee Margo
Mayor

ATTEST:

Laura D. Prine
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Van Williamson
Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:



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