

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Park Naming/Changing Guidelines “Guidelines” state that the City Council may waive the requirements of the Guidelines following an event of historical or cultural significance; and

WHEREAS, Steve Yellen has dedicated his life to serve the community of the City of the El Paso as a mentor to youth and cofounded the Basketball in the Barrio Camp in the Segundo Barrio which has been running for 30 years, allowing the thousands of neighborhood kids to participate; and

WHEREAS, the Basketball in the Barrio Camp is an event of cultural significance and the City desires to waive the requirements of the Park Naming/Changing Guidelines to name the gymnasium of the community center located at 7380 Alameda Avenue as the Steve Yellen Gymnasium; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso adopted the Naming Policy for El Paso Public Library Facilities and Library Spaces (“Policy”); and

WHEREAS, the City desires to waive the requirements of the Policy to name the library of the community center located at 7380 Alameda Avenue as the Enrique Moreno Library in recognition of Enrique Moreno’s honorable legal career and contributions to the community of the City of El Paso as a champion of social justice.

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

THAT the City Council waives the requirements of the Park Naming/Changing Guidelines, and hereby approves the naming of the gymnasium of the community center located at 7380 Alameda Avenue as the Steve Yellen Gymnasium; and

THAT the City Council waives the requirements of the Naming Policy for El Paso Public Library Facilities and Library Spaces, and hereby approves the naming of the library of the community center located at 7380 Alameda Avenue as the Enrique Moreno Library.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2020.

(Signatures Begin on the Following Page)

CITY OF EL PASO:

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Mayor

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City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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