

**CITY OF PEORIA, ARIZONA
COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS**

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Amend No. _____

Date prepared: November 15, 2010

Council Meeting Date: December 7, 2010

TO: Carl Swenson, City Manager
THROUGH: Susan J. Daluddung, Deputy City Manager
FROM: J.P. de la Montaigne, Community Services Director
SUBJECT: Community Park #2 Naming

RECOMMENDATION:

Discussion and possible action to adopt the recommended name for Community Park #2, located at Olive and 83rd Avenue.

SUMMARY:

Following the City Council Policy (Policy #CP 3-4) regarding the naming of parks, recreation facilities, and special areas, the Community Services Department coordinated with the Office of Communications a process that included public input into naming Community Park #2. Names for the community park were gathered from citizens who called, mailed, or e-mailed their ideas. We received a total of 89 names (see attachment) and those names were reviewed and ranked by the Parks and Recreation Board. The Board narrowed the list to these three names for consideration by City Council:

- Olive Oasis Community Park
- Algodon Community Park
- Peace Community Park

The Board unanimously is recommending the name Olive Oasis Community Park as their top preference. Based on the City's policy for "Naming of Parks", the City Council may accept the Board's recommendations and make a final selection, or ask the Parks and Recreation Board for further review.

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ATTACHMENTS:

1. Suggested Names for the Community Park
2. City Council Policy # 3-4
3. Community Park #2 Master Plan

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Park Name Suggestions for Community Park #2

1. Doug Clapp Park	2. Ron Travers Park	3. Mayor Ron Travers
4. Valentine Park	5. Robertson Park	6. Bob Robertson Memorial Park
7. Robertson Ranch Park	8. Joe Hernandez Memorial Park	9. Grand Murphy Park
10. Pat Tillman Community Park	11. George Cortez Jr Memorial Park	12. Mendoza's Park
13. Peoria Rovey Park	14. Leone Park	15. Leone Lane Park
16. Omar C Johnson Memorial Park	17. Freeman Gauchat Park	18. Gauchat Freeman Park
19. Emerson Community Park	20. South Commons	21. Peace Tree Park
22. Olive Oasis	23. Olive Gardens Park	24. Olive Grove Park
25. Olive Ranch Park West	26. Olive Park	27. Olive Orchards Community Park
28. Olive Oasis Sports Park and Recreation	29. Olive Ranch Park	30. Olive Community Park
31. Olive Pride Park	32. Kalamata Park	33. Pimento Park
34. Green Park	35. Verde Fields	36. Peoria Community Park
37. Olive Verde	38. Rancho Verde	39. Rio Grande
40. Wild Flower Park	41. Dream Field Park	42. Cactus Creek Community Park
43. Peoria Pioneer Park	44. Pioneer Park	45. Peoria's Pride Park
46. Peoria Commons	47. Farmstead Community Park	48. Moon Monsoon Park
49. Desert Star Park	50. Cotton Crossing	51. Fields of Cotton
52. Cotton Vista	53. CAC Park	54. Algodon Commons
55. Cotton Boll Park	56. Citizens Park	57. Acacia Gardens
58. Whistling Gardens Community Park	59. Orange Vine Park	60. Harvest Park
61. Buena Vista Community Park	62. Tierra Grande	63. Tierra de Campos
64. Campos Verdes	65. Butler Grove Community Park	66. Stockpile Park
67. Red Sky Sports Park	68. New Horizons Sports Park and Recreation	69. Roadrunner Park
70. Cactus Wren Park	71. Saguaro Blossom Park	72. Cactus Sky
73. Brittlebush Park	74. Shooting Star	75. Sunset Saguaro
76. Agua Fria Park	77. Desert Oasis	78. Desierto Park
79. Sunnyside West Park	80. Peaceful Pathway	81. Sabroso Park
82. Hope Park	83. Desert Willow Park	84. Heritage Vista
85. Promenade Vista	86. Peace Park	87. Prairie Fire
88. Jurassic Park	89. The Butler Did It	

 <p style="text-align: center;">CITY COUNCIL POLICY</p>	CP 3 - 4
	Category: Property Department: Community Services
TITLE: Naming of Parks, Recreation Facilities, and Special Areas	Approved: May 4, 1993

A. Policy

To establish criteria for naming of parks, recreation facilities, and special areas that will allow for representation and timely identification of all properties managed by the City of Peoria Community Services Department.

B. Procedure

1. All recommendations for names of parks and recreation facilities shall be made to the Parks and Recreation Board, which shall forward no more than three recommendations for each facility to the City Council. The City Council may accept the recommendations and shall make a final selection, or return to the Parks and Recreation Board for further review.
2. Parks and recreation facilities may be named to describe the geographical areas where they are located. A recognized name within a specific community is an acceptable means for identifying parks. Unless a significant financial or land contribution is made, it is suggested commercial names not be used to name facilities.
3. Parks may be named after something that is specifically unique to Peoria, the Valley, or the Southwest.
4. Parks may be named after an organization or individual in one of more of the following criteria is met:
 - a. The property was donated.
 - b. An amount of money equal to the value of the land for the park is donated.
 - c. An amount of money that would provide for 51% or more of the park's development is donated.
 - d. Donations made over a period of time may be totaled to equal the percentage values required in a, b, or c. Totalled donations will be credited towards the naming of a single park.

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- e. The organization or individual is accepted by the general public as a local or national hero.

- 5. Although not encouraged, parks names may be changed if properly justified and recommended by the Parks and Recreation Board and approved by the City Council.

- 6. The naming of parks and recreation facilities should normally be done in conjunction with the community or neighborhood that will be served. This may be accomplished through various means as determined by staff, and may include naming contests at elementary or junior high schools or recommendations made by recognized community groups.

- 7. The City Council may establish additional criteria which may not be covered in this Policy.

Adopted: 5/4/93, CC 4186 [Prior Numbering: PPR Section 7-3]



COMMUNITY PARK 2 PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE

PARKING RATIOS:

NUMBER OF SPACES REQUIRED: 995 SPACES
 NUMBER OF SPACES PROVIDED: 1008 SPACES

