

General Services Agency Parks & Recreation county of TULARE AGENDA ITEM

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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AGENDA DATE: May 21, 2019

SUBJECT: Naming of County Park in Goshen

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

 Approve "Community Park of Goshen" as the new name for the 11th Tulare County Park located in the community of Goshen in accordance with County Administrative Regulation No. 12.

SUMMARY:

On September 11, 2018, the General Services Agency (GSA) Parks & Recreation (Parks) Division assumed responsibility for a combination drainage basin and park space located at 6800 Ave 310 in the community of Goshen, which was constructed as part of a Tulare County Redevelopment Agency (TCRA) railroad crossing grade separation and realignment project.

Following TCRA's dissolution, the County Resource Management Agency (RMA) assumed responsibility for the property and considered closing the area to the public and maintaining it only as a storm drainage basin. However, due to the lack of other recreational spaces in Goshen, and the community's frequent use of the property for sports activities, the property was transferred to the Parks Division to maintain as the 11th County Park.

On November 8, 2018, the Parks Division held a community outreach meeting in Goshen to gather input from the community regarding desired improvements and to suggest a name for the newly acquired County Park. On December 4, 2018, the Park Advisory Committee (PAC) was presented with three name suggestions proposed by the community at the outreach meeting: Community Park of Goshen,

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Goshen Community Park, and Goshen Sports Complex. The PAC recommended to bring the "Community Park of Goshen," to the Board of Supervisors for consideration. Two residents of Goshen currently serve on the PAC.

Therefore, in accordance with Administrative Regulation No. 12, which states that subcommittee-reviewed proposals to name property must be forwarded to the Board of Supervisors for consideration, it is requested that the Board consider and approve "Community Park of Goshen" as the new name for the 11th County Park.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

The proposed action will result in no Net County Cost to the General Fund.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's Strategic Business Plan includes the Quality of Life initiative. Management of this park will enable the County to improve the appearance and usability of the County's Parks, which provide essential quality of life recreational opportunities for County residents.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Brooke Sisk

General Services Agency Assistant Director

CC:

County Administrative Office

Attachment(s)

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF NAMING OF COUI PARK IN GOSHEN	NTY)) Resolution No
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OF	FICIAL MEETING HELD
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	JASON T. BRITT COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BY:	Deputy Clerk
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