



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: 3/2/2023

From: Noreen Leek, Parks & Recreation Director

Subject: Support the Brisbane School District Board of Trustees decision to name the baseball field at Lipman Middle School in recognition of the Brisbane Lions Club.

Community Goal/Result

Community Building

Purpose

Support local non-profit organizations.

Recommendation

Support the Brisbane School District Board of Trustees decision to name the baseball field at Lipman Middle School in recognition of the Brisbane Lions Club.

Background

The Brisbane Lions Club was formed in 1947, and recently celebrated their 75th year as a Club. Traditionally, Lions clubs are places where individuals join together to give their valuable time and effort to improving their communities, and the world. Over the last 100 years, the kindness of Lions and Leos has multiplied across borders, oceans, and continents. With over 1.4 million members, they truly change the world.

Discussion

In April 2019, the Brisbane School District Board voted unanimously to approve the request to name the baseball field at Lipman Middle School in honor of the Lions Club. In the years leading up to this decision, the Lion's Club supported youth baseball teams in Brisbane by offsetting costs to purchase a storage shed onsite and new equipment for 3 separate teams. The Lion's Club requested to install a metal sign on the backstop fence acknowledging the designation as "Brisbane Lions Club Field". The Club had a dedication event tentatively scheduled in early 2020 but was forced to cancel due to Covid. They would like to now proceed with the dedication event and sign as previously planned.

It should be noted that although the City has a facility naming policy for parks & recreation facilities, that policy does not apply in this case given that the baseball field is School District-owned property.

Fiscal Impact

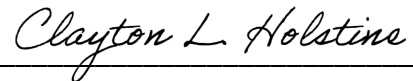
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Attachments

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