



City of Eustis

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TO: Eustis City Commission

FROM: Rick Gierok, Interim City Manager

DATE: June 4, 2026

RE: Discussion – Memorial and Remembrance for Timothy Totten

Introduction:

City Commission will discuss the memorial and remembrance of Timothy Totten.

Proposed Remembrance Ideas:

- **Park Renaming:** Renaming of Sunset Island Park – located at 409 W. Ward Ave.
- **City Event Renaming:** Renaming the Amazing Race for Charity to Tim Totten's Amazing Race for Charity.

Per Resolution 17-21: Prior to consideration of a naming, renaming or honorary designation resolution, the City Commission shall hold a public hearing to receive comments on the requested naming. With City Commission consensus to proceed, staff shall present a resolution for consideration at the following scheduled City Commission meeting.

Additionally, the City of Eustis is issuing a Proclamation and donating and installing a lakefront bench in Ferran Park featuring a dedicated memorial plaque that will read:

In loving memory of

Timothy Totten

A master storyteller, parallel entrepreneur and catalyst for community engagement.

Beloved by so many, Tim inspired others through his generosity, creativity and kindness.

May all who sit here find peace, connection and inspiration to continue his legacy of love.

August 22, 1975 – May 11, 2026



Proposed location of memorial bench in Ferran Park



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Attachment(s):

Resolution Number 17-21