

Mayor and Members of the City Council **STAFF REPORT**

For the Meeting of March 25, 2024

Title/Subject

Discussion of Naming Rights for City Facilities

Summary and Background

A year or two ago, I had started some conversation with individual council members about naming rights for buildings/parks, etc. It kind of got put on the back burner with other projects taking precedence.

It has come to the front of the line due to a conversation I had with the HEROS fundraising committee. They have a potential donor that wants to donate enough for them to complete the lighting system which would be in the neighborhood of \$1 million. In exchange that donor would like their name on the facility.

The draft policy that is attached to this report has taken into consideration the feedback I have received from council and staff.

Tie-In to Council Goals

N/A

Fiscal Information

Could be large amounts of money to assist in the construction of many larger projects. Not possible to estimate very well.

Alternatives and Recommendation

Alternatives

- 1. Approve policy as written.
- 2. Make minor adjustments to the policy and approve as amended.
- 3. Direct staff to make major adjustments and return for further consideration.

Recommended Action/Motion

Motion to approve policy as written.

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