

TO: Parks and Recreation Commission  
FROM: Chuck Denney, Parks and Recreation Director  
DATE: March 22, 2023  
SUBJECT: Preserve Park Naming

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1) Recommended Action:

Select a park name and forward to the City Council for consideration.

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2) Background:

The City is nearing completion of the neighborhood park located within the Preserve housing development. In order to complete the project, a permanent name for the new park must be selected.

The park naming process is outlined in the City's municipal code. Staff have solicited names from the residents of the Preserve housing development as well as other neighborhoods surrounding this facility encouraging them to submit suggestions for their new park. Staff utilized direct mailings, social media posts, and signage at the park site. The submitted names will be reviewed by the Parks and Recreation Commissioners and a recommendation for the permanent name will be forwarded to the City Council. The Commission may select one name or a few names listed in priority for preference.

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3) Alternatives:

None

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4) Attachments:

- A. Tumwater Park Naming Policy and Procedure
- B. Park Name Suggestions