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TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: June 7, 2022

TITLE: Resolution Approving the Naming of Baseball Field No. 3 at Holiday Park

to "Bill Joyner Baseball Field" - (Commission District 2)

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission adopt a resolution approving the naming of baseball field No. 3 located on the northeast portion of the baseball complex at Holiday Park to the "Bill Joyner Baseball Field".

Background

In January 2022, the Parks and Recreation Department was contacted by Lamar Spalding with a proposal to name a baseball field at Holiday Park to "Bill Joyner Baseball Field".

In compliance with the Guidelines for Naming Parks, Recreation Areas and Facilities (Exhibit 2), Parks and Recreation staff notified the surrounding homeowners associations of the suggested name (Exhibit 3). In addition, two public advisory notices were placed at the property to notice that the proposed naming would be on the June 7th, 2022, City Commission Meeting for approval. The item was discussed at the April 27, 2022, Parks, Recreation and Beaches Advisory Board. After reviewing the item, a motion was made by board member Deborah Rosenbaum, seconded by board member JoAnn Smith, to accept the naming of a baseball field at Holiday Park to "Bill Joyner Baseball Field" and was approved unanimously.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Naming Proposal

Exhibit 2 – Guidelines for Naming a Park

Exhibit 3 – Letter to HOA #1

Exhibit 4 – Parks, Recreation and Beaches Board Draft Minutes 4/27/2022

Exhibit 5 – Letter of Support #1

Exhibit 6 - Letter of Support #2

Exhibit 7 – Letter of Support #3 Exhibit 8 - Public Notice Exhibit 9 – Resolution

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