



Board of Alderman Request for Action

MEETING DATE: 8/16/2022

DEPARTMENT: Parks and Recreation

AGENDA ITEM: Resolution 1098, Renaming of Hawthorne Park to "Humphrey and Nancy Smith Park"

REQUESTED BOARD ACTION:

Motion to approve Resolution 1098, remaining Hawthorne Park to "Humphrey and Nancy Smith Park".

SUMMARY:

Hawthorne Park is located at the corner of North Bridge Street and Hilltop Street. The Parks and Recreation Committee was approached by the Smithville Historical Society to consider renaming Hawthorne Park to Humphrey and Nancy Smith Park in recognition for the founding of the community. This park is located next to the Smithville Historical Museum and next to the Old Jefferson Highway route.

The Parks and Recreation Committee recommended renaming Hawthorne Park to "Humphrey and Nancy Smith Park"

Staff will update the website and all references to the park to reflect the new name if approved.

PREVIOUS ACTION:

N/A

POLICY OBJECTIVE:

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FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

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ATTACHMENTS:

- ☐ Ordinance
- ☒ Resolution
- ☐ Staff Report
- ☐ Other:

- ☐ Contract
- ☐ Plans
- ☐ Minutes

RESOLUTION 1098

A RESOLUTION RENAMING HAWTHORNE PARK TO HUMPHREY AND NANCY SMITH PARK

WHEREAS, the Smithville Historical Society has requested recognition of Humphrey and Nancy Smith, and;

WHEREAS, Hawthorne Park is located next to the Smithville Historical Museum and to the Old Jefferson Highway route, and;

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Committee recommends this change.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF
THE CITY OF SMITHVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:**

THAT the Board of Alderman approves renaming Hawthorne Park to Humphrey and Nancy Smith Park.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Aldermen and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of the City of Smithville, Missouri, the 16th day of August 2022.

Mayor

ATTEST:

Linda Drummond, City Clerk