CITY OF McKINNEY, TEXAS

Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	23-0741	**Name:**	Park Naming
Type:	Agenda Item	**Status:**	Approved
		In control:	City Council Regular Meeting
On agenda:	10/17/2023	**Final action:**	10/17/2023
Title:	Consider/Discuss/Act on Modifying the Name of Veterans Memorial Park to Corporal RD Foster Veterans Memorial Park		
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10/17/2023	1	City Council Regular Meeting		
9/14/2023	1	Parks, Recreation, and Open Space Advisory Board		

Consider/Discuss/Act on Modifying the Name of Veterans Memorial Park to Corporal RD Foster Veterans Memorial Park

COUNCIL GOAL: Enhance the Quality of Life in McKinney
(5C: Continue to market and highlight McKinney as a unique destination for residents and visitors alike)

MEETING DATE: October 17, 2023

DEPARTMENT: Parks & Recreation

CONTACT: Ryan Mullins, Interim Director of Parks & Recreation

RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION: determine whether to modify the park name

ITEM SUMMARY:

- On June 19, 2023 RD Foster passed away. RD Foster was the Chair of the McKinney Armed Services Memorial Board and the driving force behind getting Veterans Memorial Park built. The remaining members of the Armed Service Memorial Board wanted to honor RD's significant contributions to Veterans Memorial Park. On September 13, 2023, the McKinney Armed Services Memorial Board unanimously made a formal recommendation to the Parks, Recreation and Open Space Advisory Board to rename the Veterans Memorial Park to Corporal RD Foster Veterans Memorial Park. On September 14, 2023, the Parks, Recreation and Open Space Advisory Board unanimously voted to recommend the name change to the City Council.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: N/A

FINANCIAL SUMMARY: N/A

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- On September 14, 2023, the Parks, Recreation and Open Space Advisory Board approved to submit a recommendation to City Council to modify the park name to Corporal RD Foster Veterans Memorial Park.