

RESOLUTION NO. 1078

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, NAMING A PARK IN NORTH GIG HARBOR

WHEREAS, a new City park has been developed in accordance with the Harbor Hill Development Agreement and will be deeded to the City prior to occupancy of the Herron's Key Development; and

WHEREAS, the park is located directly west of the Herron's Key development, along Borgen Boulevard; and

WHEREAS, the park has been informally called "Gateway Park" on project submittals and permit applications; and

WHEREAS, this name is problematic locally because the Key Peninsula Park District is currently developing a large, regional park just across the Purdy Spit and its formal name is "Gateway Park; and

WHEREAS, the City of Gig Harbor has a formal Park Naming Policy that was adopted in Resolution 717; and

WHEREAS, the protocol included in Resolution 717 has been adhered to by staff and the Parks Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Parks Commission solicited written public comment regarding the park name; and

WHEREAS, on September 7, 2016, the Parks Commission conducted a public hearing regarding the park naming. Written and verbal comments were considered, and the Parks Commission recommended the park be named one of the following names: 1) Jamie Fay Harbor Trails Park, 2) Jamie Fay Memorial Park or 3) Harbor Trails Park; and

WHEREAS, staff discussed the Parks Commission recommendation with the Public Works Committee at their April 10, 2017 meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works Committee considered written and verbal testimony provided as part of the Parks Commission process; and

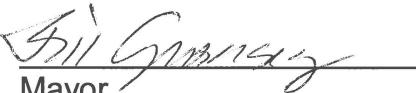
WHEREAS, the Public Works Committee recommended naming the park "Shaw Park" as recommended in written testimony in order to honor Clarence Shaw and his family who conducted Rooster Races in the early 1900's; Now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, HEREBY
RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Gig Harbor North Park Naming The new City Park located in Gig Harbor North directly west of the Herron's Key Development shall be named "Shaw Park".

APPROVED by the City Council this 24th day of April, 2017.

APPROVED:



Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



Assistant City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Office of the City Attorney



Angela Summerfield, City Attorney

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: 4/18/17
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