

**CITY OF SAN ANTONIO
INTERDEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT**

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Malcolm Matthews, Director, Parks and Recreation Department

THROUGH: Terry M. Brechtel, City Manager

COPIES: Melissa B. Vossmer; Finance; Management and Budget; Legal; File

SUBJECT: Ordinance Naming the Parks and Recreation Department Community Center in Rainbow Hills Park the "Jean Yates Community Center"

DATE: August 14, 2003

SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

This ordinance names the Parks and Recreation Department Community Center in Rainbow Hills Park in City Council District 4 the "Jean Yates Community Center."

Staff recommends passage of this ordinance.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The previous District 4 Councilman, through a six signature memo, had submitted a request to name the community center under construction in Rainbow Hills Park located at 568 Rasa to "Jean Yates Community Center." This was submitted to honor Ms. Jean Yates, a local community leader who has dedicated many years to the Rainbow Hills neighborhood and who actively volunteers in numerous community activities.

As per the requirements of Chapter 2, Article VI of the City Code of the City of San Antonio, a committee was established to hold a public hearing on this proposal. The committee consisted of Councilman Richard Perez, City Council District 4; Mr. Fred Magee, Community Representative; and Malcolm Matthews, Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation. In addition, as required under the City Code, notice of the public hearing was advertised through public service announcements, through media releases and by direct notification of all residents and businesses within 200 feet of this public property.

The public hearing was held on July 22, 2003 at 6:30 p.m. at the Rainbow Hills Baptist Church, located at 2255 Horal. Thirty-two (32) residents attended the hearing. Everyone in attendance was in favor of the proposed name. At the conclusion of the hearing, the committee voted to

recommend to the City Council that the community center be named the Jean Yates Community Center.

POLICY ANALYSIS

The naming and renaming of the City's public facilities is regulated under Chapter 2, Article VI of the City Code. This action is consistent with these regulations.

FISCAL IMPACT

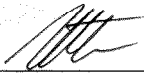
Beyond the minimal costs associated with installation of signage at the community center, this action will place no demands on the City's General Fund.

COORDINATION

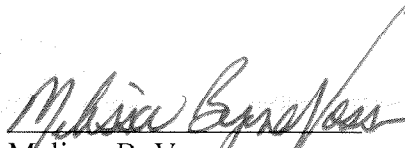
This action was coordinated with the City Attorney Office.

SUPPLEMENTARY COMMENTS

This ordinance does not require any disclosures under the City's Ethics Ordinance.




Malcolm Matthews,
Director of Parks and Recreation



Melissa B. Vossmer,
Assistant City Manager

Approved:



† Terry M. Brechtel
City Manager

**City of San Antonio
Office of the City Council
Interdepartmental Correspondence Sheet**

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM: Councilman Enrique "Kike" Martin, District 4

COPIES TO: Terry M. Brechtel, City Manager; Travis M. Bishop, Assistant City Manager; Andrew Martin, City Attorney; Yolanda Ledesma, Acting City Clerk; Gayle McDaniel, Assistant to City Council; Assistants to the Mayor; Malcolm Matthews, Director, Parks and Recreation, File

SUBJECT: Renaming of the Rainbow Hills Community Center

DATE: May 6, 2003

I respectfully ask for Council concurrence to rename the Rainbow Hills Community Center to the Jean Yates Community Center. The recommendation was made and approved by the neighborhood association in order to recognize her for her dedicated work and volunteer efforts in the Rainbow Hills area and through the neighborhood association.

Your favorable consideration is requested.



ENRIQUE "KIKE" MARTIN, DISTRICT 4

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