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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council - Commissioner's Court Meeting	Item ID	34667	Agenda Number	178.
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Meeting Date:	8/7/2014	Department:	Parks and Recreation
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Subject

Approve an ordinance naming the parkland located at 3000 Del Curto Rd the Thomas Lasseter Neighborhood Park.

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	June 26, 2014 – Council approved on first reading.
For More Information:	Ricardo Soliz 512-974-9452.
Boards and Commission Action:	April 22, 2014 - Recommended for approval by Parks and Recreation Board on a vote of 7-0. Recommendation No. 20140422-003; June 24, 2014 – At the direction of Council, reconsidered by the Parks and Recreation Board. No recommendation forwarded to Council.
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

The Parks and Recreation Department received a request on August 8, 2013 to name the 2 acre parkland located at 3000 Del Curto Rd, near South Lamar Boulevard. On October 23, 2010, the City of Austin Public Information Office (PIO) began the official 90-day period requesting nominations from the general public to name the parkland.

After the 90-day period, which ended on January 20, 2014, PARD received 2 nominations for the re-naming of the park. On April 14, 2014, the Land, Facilities and Programs Committee of the Parks Board heard public comment on the suggested names and forwarded one of the nominations from the community to the Parks & Recreation Board for action. On April 22, 2014, the Parks and Recreation Board voted to move forward with the name submitted to PARD for re-naming of parkland with a recommendation to the City Council on a vote of 7-0.

On June 12, 2014, the City Council postponed action on this item to June 26, 2014 with direction that this item return to the Parks and Recreation Board for public comment and action. On June 24, 2014, the Parks and Recreation reconsidered this item but did not forward a new recommendation to City Council. On June 26, 2014, Council approved naming neighbour park Thomas Lasseter Neighborhood Park on first reading.