

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council - Commissioners Court Meeting	Item ID	34882	Agenda Number	144.
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Meeting Date:	8/28/2014	Department:	Parks and Recreation
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Subject

Conduct a public hearing and consider an ordinance naming parkland located at 1213 Shoal Creek Boulevard, the "Heath Eiland and Morgan Moss BMX Skate 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:	
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Boards and Commission Action:	May 27, 2014 - The Parks and Recreation Board approved the recommendation of Heath Eiland and Morgan Moss BMX Skate Park on a vote of 6-0 with Board Member Almanza absent. Recommendation No. 20140527-004.
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

The Parks and Recreation Department received a request on December 13, 2013 to name the 30,000-square-foot concrete BMX and skateboard park located at the former Austin Recreation Center site in Central Austin. The facility is located at 1213 Shoal Creek Boulevard between the new Austin Recreation Center and the Austin Community College parking garage, near 12th Street and Lamar Boulevard. On January 9, 2014, 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 April 9, 2014, PARD received 2 nominations for the re-naming of the park. On May 19, 2014, the Land, Facilities and Programs Committee of the Parks Board heard public comment on the suggested names and forwarded the name Heath Eiland and Morgan Moss BMX Skate Park to the Parks & Recreation Board for action. On May 27, 2014, the Parks and Recreation Board voted to move forward with the name of Heath Eiland and Morgan Moss BMX Skate Park with a recommendation to the City Council on a vote of 6-0 with Board Member Almanza absent.