

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS  
AGENDA ITEM  
DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM**

**AGENDA DATE:** May 9, 2023 (Consent)

**CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER:** Pablo Caballero, (915) 212-8018

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:** 2

**STRATEGIC GOAL:** Goal 4: Enhance El Paso's Quality of Life through Recreational, Cultural & Educational Environments

**SUBJECT:**

Approve a resolution that City Council accepts the recommendation from the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board and hereby approves the renaming of the recently renovated Softball Field across from the El Paso Municipal Rose Garden at 3418 Aurora Avenue, El Paso, Texas 79930 to Armando "Sam" Sambrano

**BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

Applicant gathered sufficient signatures to re-name Softball field after Armando Sam Sambrano outstanding individual, advocate and community leader. The re-naming meets policy criteria, allowing for renaming for non-living individuals who have made outstanding contributions to their community. The Parks & Recreation Advisory Board voted unanimously to approve the re-naming on April 12, 2023. Per process, the re-naming comes before Council for final approval.

**PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

As part of the Parks & Recreation Naming Policy, City Council is final approval on any re-naming of parkland or facilities.

**AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED?** X YES \_\_\_NO

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\*\*\*\*\*REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION\*\*\*\*\*

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:**



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**(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)**

**RESOLUTION**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:**

**THAT** City Council accepts the recommendation from the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board and hereby approves the renaming of Memorial Park Baseball Park, the recently renovated Softball Field across from the El Paso Municipal Rose Garden, located at 3418 Aurora Avenue, within the City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas, as “Armando “Sam” Sambrano Park”; and

**THAT** Marie Aguirre, (“Applicant”) shall incur the customary costs associated with the renaming of the park, such as installing or replacing signs with the park name or any other signs posted or affixed to a facility. Any proposed signs shall be reviewed and agreed upon by both the Parks and Recreation Department and Applicant.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

**CITY OF EL PASO:**

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Oscar Leoser  
Mayor


**ATTEST:**

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Laura D. Prine  
City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

*Karla Saenz*  
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Karla Saenz  
Assistant City Attorney

**APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:**

  
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Pablo Caballero, Assistant Director  
Cultural Affairs and Recreation