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CITY OF RIVERSIDE
CITY-OWNED LAND, BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES
NAMING/RENAMING APPLICATION

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City of Riverside
City Clerk's Office

Names for City-owned land, buildings and facilities located in the City may be nominated by any member of the community. Proposed names must be in accordance with established policy guidelines for naming/renaming of City-owned land, buildings and facilities.

Name being nominated: Tim Strack

City-owned amenity proposed to be named/renamed (check all that apply):

Land _____ Building _____ Facility X

Address/Location of amenity:

El Dorado Park - Warren Street / Wells Ave.

What significance does the nominated name have in relation to amenity proposed to be named (check all that applies)?

Neighborhood X Geographic _____ Topographic _____

Historic _____ Cultural _____ Individual X

Explain significance in detail (attach additional sheets and backup documents such as resumes of individuals, minutes of agency meetings, next of kin endorsement as appropriate and as necessary):

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Tim was also an advocate for strengthening our community, by increasing safety and creating an environment where residents and visitors can have a sense of place. The parks in Riverside provide just that. The Riverside City Firefighters believe that renaming El Dorado Park in memory of Tim Strack, for his decades of service to our community, would be an immense honor. Tim Strack Park may inspire children and adults to follow in Tim's footsteps by pursuing a career in public safety or encouraging participation in our civic and community organizations.

RIVERSIDE CITY FIREFIGHTERS' ASSOCIATION

September 28, 2023

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3900 Main Street, 7th Floor
Riverside, CA 92522

Madam City Clerk,

We want to start off by thanking the community, city officials and city staff for their support this year as the City of Riverside Fire Department, Riverside City Firefighters Association and the community mourned the loss of a great man, Fire Captain and RCFA President Tim Strack. We all lost a colleague, community advocate and, most importantly, a friend on April 1, when he was taken from us too soon from a job-related heart attack.

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Tim's influence and reach was large. Although we will never replace him, we are hoping that by renaming a park will be one aspect in how we can honor his legacy.

Please let me know if you have any further questions.

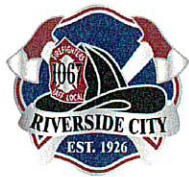
Sincerely,

Michael Detoy

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President

Riverside City Firefighters Association



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