

**CITY OF TAMARAC  
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM  
CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

**TO: Mayor and City Commission**

**DATE: 3/10/21**

**FROM: Hans Ottinot  
Interim City Attorney**

**RE: TR13577 - Policy for the Naming  
or Renaming of Streets, Parks and  
City-owned Facilities**

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

Consider Resolution establishing a Policy for the Naming or Renaming of Streets, Parks and City-owned Facilities

**ISSUE:**

Whether the City should repeal the current policies addressing the naming of streets and recreational facilities and adopt a new, updated, and more comprehensive policy which addresses all City-owned facilities, streamlines the process, and expands the list of those who may receive the honor.

**BACKGROUND:**

City Commission members have expressed that they would like the option to honor individuals while they are still alive, with a street, park, or facilities name, when those individuals have positively impacted the community or have had outstanding achievement in public life. The City's current policies address only naming streets or recreational facilities after individuals who are deceased. The City Commission has requested that the policies be updated.

Staff has drafted a new policy which would allow the City to honor individuals while they are alive. The new policy also streamlines the process and includes a provision that any City-owned building can be named after a person. The previously adopted policies will be repealed.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

No direct budgetary Impact

ATTACHMENT(S)

Resolution No. 2003-253; Resolution No. 2004-121