City of Pensacola



Memorandum

File #: 20-00354 City Council 7/16/2020

LEGISLATIVE ACTION ITEM

SPONSOR: City Council Vice President Jared Moore

City Council Member P.C. Wu

SUBJECT:

NAMING OF HITZMAN-OPTIMIST PARK DISC GOLF COURSE, HOLE NUMBER ONE, IN MEMORY OF MATTHEW BRAZIL.

RECOMMENDATION:

That City Council approve the naming of Hitzman-Optimist Park Disc Golf Course, Hole Number One, in memory of Matthew Brazil.

HEARING REQUIRED: No Hearing Required

SUMMARY:

Matthew Brazil passed away in February of 2020. Matthew was instrumental in growing the Disc Golf sport locally over the last 10 years. His passion for the sport is indescribable and the Hitzman-Optimist Park Disc Golf Course was one of his favorites.

While the US Disc Golf Foundation has been accepting charitable donations in Matthew's name since his passing, this is a way to honor him locally, remembering his infectious laughter, bright smile as well as the way he inspired, encouraged and challenged players of all ages to elevate local Disc Golf.

Family and friends will pay for the plaque to be placed at Hole Number One.

PRIOR ACTION:

June 18, 2020 - Request was approved by the Parks and Recreation Board

FUNDING:

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

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None

STAFF CONTACT:

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ATTACHMENTS:

1) 20-06-18 Minutes Parks and Recreation Board Unapproved

2) 20-06-18 - New Bus - Hitzman Disc Golf Naming

PRESENTATION: No