

**TAYLORSVILLE CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

MEETING DATE: November 5, 2014

AGENDA ITEM: Appointing Individuals to a Naming Committee to Recommend a Name for the Road at Labrum Park

PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED: YES _____ NO X

RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE REQUIRED:

ORDINANCE _____ RESOLUTION _____ NONE X

PRESENTER: John Taylor

ISSUE SUMMARY: Advise and Consent is needed from the Council for the appointment of individuals to serve on a Naming Committee being formed to recommend a name for the road at Labrum Park. The Naming Committee will be created pursuant to City Ordinance (see attached).

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Create a five (5) member Naming Committee as established by Section 14.60.30 of the Taylorsville Code of Ordinances

ACTION REQUIRED: Advise and Consent of the Council with a motion to approve appointments as presented.

ATTACHMENTS: Taylorsville City Code: Chapter 14.60 - Naming Public Places

CONTACT FOR FURTHER INFO: John Taylor

Chapter 14.60

NAMING PUBLIC PLACES

14.60.010: PURPOSE:

The purpose of this chapter is to provide a process to name, or change the name, of a public place. The process provides for citizen input where applicable and a recommendation from a naming committee to the city council. Names are to reflect the identity of the city and/or the local area and to ensure ease of identification for the public. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.020: DEFINITIONS:

As used in this chapter:

NAMING COMMITTEE: A committee appointed pursuant to section [14.60.030](#) of this chapter and assigned the task to recommend to the city council the name of a public place or change the name thereof.

PUBLIC PLACE: Means, but is not limited to, streets, courts, parks, thoroughfares, buildings, and other public places located in the city. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.030: NAMING COMMITTEE:

Prior to naming a public place, a naming committee shall be formed. The naming committee shall have five (5) members and shall consist of three (3) "at large" citizens from the city, a member of the city council, and a member of the city staff. The "at large" members of the naming committee shall be appointed by the mayor with the advice and consent of the city council. The naming committee shall adopt such rules of procedures as the naming committee considers necessary. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.040: GUIDELINES FOR NAMING OR RENAMING:

The naming committee shall consider the following before recommending to the city council the name of a public place:

- A. An adjacent street to the public place;
- B. Predominant physical or geographic features (such as ponds, rivers, creeks, etc.) in or adjacent to the public place;
- C. The subdivision in which the public place is located;
- D. A state or nationally recognized person who has improved the quality of life for the public;
- E. A significant historic feature or event;
- F. An individual or group who has made exceptional contributions to the city that include:
 - 1. Donating or contributing a significant amount of money for the acquisition and/or development of public places;
 - 2. Providing significant volunteer services;
- G. Local government officials will only be considered after such official has been out of office for a minimum of five (5) years;
- H. Public places shall only be renamed for good cause. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.050: PROCEDURES FOR NAMING OR RENAMING:

- A. Groups or individuals may submit a written nomination for a name, along with justification, to the naming committee. The nomination may include:
 - 1. Reasons for the proposed name; and
 - 2. Evidence of community support for the proposed name.

- B. The naming committee shall meet as determined necessary and review public comment, if any, and the names or renames in accordance with the guidelines set forth in section [14.60.040](#) of this chapter and shall forward up to three (3) recommendations to the city council.
- C. After giving notice pursuant to Utah Code Annotated section 52-4-101 et seq., as amended from time to time, and giving the public an opportunity to make comments, the city council may accept or reject the proposed name(s) submitted by the naming committee and then make a final determination of the naming by ordinance. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.060: EXCEPTIONS:

The city council may give naming consideration to an entity or individual (living or deceased) who has made a significant land and/or monetary contribution and who has stipulated the name as a condition of the donation. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.070: TEMPORARY NAMES:

The mayor may assign a temporary name to a public place to be used until an official name has been chosen as provided in this chapter. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)

14.60.080: PLACING OF PLAQUES, TREES, OR PLANTINGS:

The placing of memorial plaques, trees, or plantings in honor of persons shall be preapproved by the mayor with the advice and consent of the city council. (Ord. 10-08, 6-2-2010)