Key Peninsula Metropolitan Park District Dba Key Pen Parks



Resolution No R 2023-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS OF THE KEY PENINSULA METROPOLITAN PARK DISTRICT FOR OFFICAL NAMING OF THE "SCOTT GALLACHER MEMORIAL SPRAY AND PLAY PARK"

WHEREAS members of the public including Jud Morris and Todd Rosenbach spoke during the Regular Meeting of November 14, 2022, requesting that a park be named in honor of Key Pen Parks longtime Executive Director Scott Gallacher; and,

WHEREAS the naming of a facility after Scott Gallacher meets the 2012 Park Naming Policy in that "The name may include an individual, family, or organization that has made a significant land and/or monetary contribution to the park and recreation system, or has performed significant public service which made a tangible contribution to Key Pen Parks system justifying a permanent memorial"; and

WHEREAS Scott Gallacher served as Executive Director from 2005 to 2020 and made significant contributions such as the acquisition of Gateway Park and Taylor Bay, development of 360 Trails, led key community partnerships, showed a strong dedication to this community, and is most known for his development of a splash pad and many wonderful playgrounds on the Key Peninsula; and

WHEREAS the Land and Improvements Committee heard feedback from the public who highly supported the park naming; and

WHEREAS it has been at least four months between the proposed naming and the adoption of this Resolution; and

WHEREAS during the Special Meeting of March 20, 2023, the Land & Improvements Committee brought forth the name "Scott Gallacher Memorial Spray and Play Park" for the area of Gateway Park encompassing the splash pad and playground areas.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Park Commissioners of Key Pen Parks that the area encompassing splash pad and playground areas at Gateway Park will now be officially named the "Scott Gallacher Memorial Spray and Play Park."

PASSED AND ADOPTED by Board of Park Commissioners of Key Pen Parks at a Regular Meeting held at Key Peninsula Fire District Station 47, 1921 Key Peninsula Hwy NW, Home WA, held this 10th day of April 2023.

Attest:

Key Pen Parks

Board of Park Commissioners Pierce County, Washington

Linda Parry, President

Kip Clinton, Clerk

Edward Robison, Member-at-Large

Mark Michel, Vice-President

Shawn Jensen, Member-at-Large