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Chair and Members of the  
Community and Protective Services Committee

Re: Paul Haggis Park

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Given the recent news in the media with respect to Paul Haggis, the undersigned is seeking support to rename "Paul Haggis Park".

Mr. Haggis was given a lifetime recognition by the City in 2006 as a result of his receipt of an Academy Award. This recognition was by means of the naming of a new park in his name. This Park was constructed in 2011 and is located at 2875 Bateman Trail.

Council Policy, entitled "Naming/Re-naming or Dedicating of Municipal Property, Buildings and Park Elements Policy" sets out the process for the naming or renaming of municipal property, including municipal parks. The undersigned is seeking support of the following recommendation to request the Civic Administration to process the renaming of the "Paul Haggis Park" to an alternative name, in accordance with the above-noted Council Policy.

"That the following actions be taken with respect to the renaming of Paul Haggis Park:

- a) the Civic Administration BE DIRECTED to undertake the necessary actions to replace the existing sign at the Park with a sign providing the municipal address of "2875 Bateman Trail" to ensure that the Park can be identified and found in the interim; and,
- b) the City Clerk BE DIRECTED to bring forward a report to rename "Paul Haggis Park" to an alternative name in accordance with Council Policy "Naming/Renaming or Dedicating of Municipal Property, Buildings and Park Elements Policy".

Respectfully submitted,

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