## RESOLUTION NO. <u>1258 (2010)</u>

## A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOTHELL, WASHINGTON RESCINDING RESOLUTION No. 1094 AND ESTABLISHING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE NAMING OF PUBLIC PARKS AND PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES

WHEREAS, the City of Bothell believes that the designation of names for parks and parks and recreation facilities should be approached with deliberation; and

WHEREAS, the City Council further believes that the setting forth by resolution of policies and procedures relating to the naming of public parks and parks and recreation facilities in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 1094 on April 3, 2000, establishing policies and procedures relating to the naming of public parks and parks and recreation facilities;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOTHELL, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> Rescinds Resolution No. 1094 establishing policies and procedures relating to the naming of public parks and parks and recreation facilities.

<u>Section 2.</u> It is the policy of the City of Bothell to choose names for parks and parks and recreation facilities based upon the following criteria, in no particular priority order:

- 1. Neighborhood or geographical identification (e.g., Royal Oaks Park);
- 2. A natural or geological feature (e.g., North Creek Sportsfields);
- 3. Historical or cultural significance (e.g., Park at Bothell Landing);
- An historical figure (e.g. William Penn Park); or an individual (living or deceased) who has made a significant land, monetary or civic contribution to the park system or gave their life while serving the United States of America in military service;
- 5. As required by purchase agreement.

<u>Section 3</u>. The City Council shall designate the names of parks and parks and recreation facilities. Unless the park name is designated in a purchase agreement or an accepted gift of park property, the City Council should make its selection after receiving a

recommendation from the Bothell Parks and Recreation Board, which shall be based upon public input from individuals and organizations.

<u>Section 4</u>. Following selection of a park or parks and recreation facility name by City Council, the City shall identify the specific park or facility with appropriate signage specifying the name. The name shall remain for a minimum of 25 years.

<u>Section 5</u>. The City Clerk is authorized to make necessary corrections to this resolution including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's/clerical errors, references, resolution numbering, section/subsection numbers and any references thereto.

PASSED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2010.

APPROVED: MARK LAMB

MAYOR

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

JOANNE TRUDEL CITY CLERK

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