



CITY OF HAYWARD
AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE 09/26/06
AGENDA ITEM 2
WORK SESSION ITEM _____

TO: Mayor and City Council
FROM: Library Director
SUBJECT: Renaming the John N. Pappas Legacy Room to the John and Alice Pappas Legacy Room, of the Weekes Branch Library

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the attached resolution renaming the John N. Pappas Legacy Room to the John and Alice Pappas Legacy Room of the Weekes Branch Library.

BACKGROUND:

In anticipation of requests to name or rename a City building, facility, or public area in honor of particular persons, the City Council adopted four guidelines to be considered when reviewing such requests:

1. Names of facilities in areas of the City with specific historical significance will reflect that perspective as much as possible;
2. Names of living persons will not be considered unless the person has done extraordinary service for the City over a long period that will stand the test of time;
3. Names of local and national persons be used depending on the location and use of the property;
4. A name should not have been previously used for naming a City building, facility and/or public area.

In 1999, the Council approved the naming of the community room at the Weekes Branch Library in honor of John N. Pappas. More recently, with the passing of Alice Pappas, interest was expressed in renaming the John N. Pappas Legacy Room to the John and Alice Pappas Legacy Room. Mrs. Pappas has rendered exemplary service in her leadership and participation in the Project Legacy major donor campaign for the expansion and renovation of the Weekes Branch Library. Renaming this room in her honor would be an appropriate tribute to her years of community service. The Library Commission considered the renaming proposal at its meeting on September 18, 2006. The Commission voted unanimously in support of the proposal.

Recommended by:

Lisa Rosenblum

Lisa Rosenblum, Library Director

Approved by:

Jesús Armas
Jesús Armas, City Manager

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HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 06-

Introduced by Council Member _____

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9/21/06

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE RENAMING OF THE JOHN N. PAPPAS LEGACY ROOM TO THE JOHN AND ALICE PAPPAS LEGACY ROOM

WHEREAS, the late Alice Pappas, wife of John Pappas, rendered exemplary service in her leadership and participation in the Project Legacy major donor campaign for the expansion and renovation of the Weekes Branch Library; and

WHEREAS, renaming this room in her honor would be an appropriate tribute to her years of community service to the Weekes Branch Library.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Hayward hereby approves the renaming of the John N. Pappas Legacy Room to the John and Alice Pappas Legacy Room.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA September, 2006

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

MAYOR:

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk of the City of Hayward

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney of the City of Hayward