

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RANCHO PALOS VERDES, CALIFORNIA, RENAMING THE UPPER POINT VICENTE PARK/CIVIC CENTER PROPERTY TO THE KEN DYDA CIVIC CENTER AND NAMING THE DRIVEWAY LEADING INTO THE CIVIC CENTER AS KEN DYDA WAY EFFECTIVE UPON RESOLUTION ADOPTION**

WHEREAS, On April 6, 2021, the City Council considered naming a facility in honor of current City Councilmember and former Mayor Ken Dyda in honor of his legacy of service; and

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2021, the City Council considered a number of possible locations and facilities to name in honor of Councilmember Dyda; and

WHEREAS, on August 3, 2021, the City Council considered naming all or a portion of the Upper Point Vicente Park/Civic Center site after Councilmember Dyda for his contribution to the founding of Rancho Palos Verdes and his decades-long involvement in local government requested input from the Civic Center Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, on August 26, 2021, the Civic Center Advisory Committee, at the direction of the City Council, discussed which part(s) of the Upper Point Vicente Park/Civic Center should be named in honor of Councilmember Dyda and what the names should be; and

WHEREAS, on September 9, 2021, the Civic Center Advisory Committee recommended changing the name of the Upper Point Vicente Park/Civic Center to the Ken Dyda Civic Center, to name the driveway leading into the Civic Center as Ken Dyda Way, and to officially include Councilmembers Dyda on a future City Wall of Honor; and

WHEREAS, Section 4 of City Council Policy No. 37 outlines procedures for the City Council to name City facilities in honor of individuals or community organizations, notes that when considering naming a City facility after an individual, a period of at least three (3) years shall have passed following the death of such person to allow perspective and an appropriate period of reflection; and

WHEREAS, the City Attorney has opined that the City Council can consider an exception to City Council Policy No. 37 via the adoption of a resolution; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RANCHO PALOS VERDES DOES HEREBY FIND, DETERMINE AND RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1:** The City Council finds the above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by this reference.

**Section 2:** The City Council of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes approves an exception to City Council Policy No. 37 to allow the naming of designated City facilities in honor of City Councilmember Ken Dyda for the years of service given to the City of Rancho Palos Verdes including his contributions to the formation and incorporation of the City, as well as serving on various City Commissions and Committees including the City Council for various terms.

**Section 3:** The City Council approves renaming the Upper Point Vicente Park/Civic Center property the Ken Dyda Civic Center effective upon adoption of this resolution.

**Section 4:** The City Council approves naming the existing driveway leading to the Upper Point Vicente Park/Civic Center property as Ken Dyda Way effective upon adoption of this resolution.

**Section 5:** Any challenge to this Resolution and the findings set forth therein, must be filed within the 90-day statute of limitations set forth in Code of Civil Procedure §1094.6 and RPVMC §17.86.100(B).

**Section 6:** The City Clerk shall certify to the passage, approval, and adoption of this Resolution, and shall cause this Resolution and her certification to be entered in the Book of Resolutions of the City Council.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021.

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Mayor

Attest:

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Teresa Takaoka, City Clerk

State of California )  
County of Los Angeles ) ss  
City of Rancho Palos Verdes )

I, Teresa Takaoka, City Clerk of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes, hereby certify that the above Resolution No. 2021-\_\_ was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the said City Council at a regular meeting thereof held on December 7, 2021.

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Teresa Takaoka, City Clerk