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CITY OF FT. PIERCE
CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

To: Robert J. Bradshaw, City Manager

From: R. Sean Baldwin, Chief of Police

Date: September 2, 2014

Re: Request for City Commission Conference Agenda – Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Park

Over the last several years, we have been working to honor our fallen police officers by naming police facilities after them. Our substation on Avenue D is named after Willie B. Ellis, who was killed in the line of duty in 1967. Our main station on U.S. # 1 is named after Grover Cooper and James Wouters, who were killed in the line of duty in 1987. However, we have not named a facility after Danny Parrish, who was killed in the line of duty in 1991. I would like to ask the City Commission for their support in rededicating the existing *Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Park*, located in front of our main station, as the ***Danny Parrish Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial Park***. I am seeking your assistance in scheduling this matter for discussion with the City Commission at an upcoming Conference Agenda Meeting.

This park, which is located directly in front of the police department's main station at Hayes Rd. And U.S. Highway #1, was dedicated by the City Commission as the *Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Park* in 1993 (see enclosed minutes). This action was taken at the request of the local Fraternal Order of Police (FOP). I have met with FOP President James Mosley, and he is supportive of rededicating the park as requested. Danny Parrish's widow, Mirtha, is also supportive and appreciative. We have also received support from the Hundred Club of St. Lucie County, and all of the local law enforcement agencies.

The current park is pretty deficient given its intended purpose. With the City Commission's support, I am confident that we can raise sufficient funding through private donations to provide proper signage, an appropriate monument, and landscaping that honors our county's fallen officers. In fact, members of the Hundred Club have already committed funding for this purpose.

At this point, we are simply seeking the City Commission's support to move forward with planning. Within a few months, we should be able to provide a conceptual design and provide additional details. Ultimately, we will need the City Commission to formally approve a resolution rededicating the park. We hope to hold a rededication ceremony in January 2016, which will mark the 25th anniversary of Danny's death.

Either Deputy Chief Amandro or I will be available to make this presentation to the City Commission, which I do not anticipate taking longer than a few minutes.

With your approval, please schedule this matter for discussion with the City Commission at an upcoming Conference Agenda Meeting, preferably in either October or November.

RSB/sc
enclosure

c: Frank Amandro, Deputy Chief
Melissa Jaques, Sergeant

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R. Sean Baldwin, Chief of Police



November 26, 2013

Mr. Jim Mosley
Fraternal Order of Police
Treasure Coast Lodge 41, Inc.
P.O. Box 2225
Fort Pierce, Florida 34954

Dear Mr. Mosely:

In 1993, the Fraternal Order of Police obtained the City Commissions approve to rename the park in front of the Fort Pierce Police Department's main station as the "Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Park". I am currently reviewing a plan to rededicate this park the "Danny T. Parrish Law Enforcement Memorial Park", but I would like to ensure that the FOP does not object before proceeding.

As you know, over the last several years we have worked to memorialize our fallen officers by naming public facilities after them. Our substation on Avenue D is named the Willie B. Ellis Police Substation, and our main station on U.S. Highway 1 is named after Grover C. Cooper, III and James A. Waters. Danny is the only fallen officer that has not been honored in this fashion, and I would like to rectify that with this park dedication.

I would greatly appreciate you discussing this with your membership to ensure that there are no objections. If this is a concern, please let me know in the next couple of weeks, and we will work to find a resolution.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sean Baldwin".

R. Sean Baldwin
Chief of Police

RSB/sc

c: Melissa Jaques, Sergeant

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Protecting Our Community

the yard trash pickup that the City now has twice a month. So they've not only saved an awful lot of money, but they've educated people so that some of them are holding that stuff and disposing of it in the regular yard waste pickup. In the numbers that Mr. Hopkins is giving now, that's already starting to go down.

Mr. Harold Hopkins, Director of Solid Waste, said it's leveling off, yes. They are on their second run now; so by the end of this week, the beginning of the third run, it should be back to fairly normal.

City Manager Powell said he thinks they still need the option. They could very well have two hurricanes in a year. It very well may be that they've got to do more than one. They just simply don't want to have it in the ordinances that they have to have one whether they need it or not.

Commissioner Burdge said under the new ordinance, which is basically getting rid of the annual pickup, it just says that the schedule governing the frequency shall be on file in the City Clerk's office. He guesses the Commission could authorize it to be more scheduling. He doesn't know. He thinks modifying the current one, just saying "The City may cause to be conducted..." Instead of each year just City-wide free trash collections, let it drop that. The City may cause to be conducted; and get rid of the words "each year".

Commissioner Bluestone said they don't need an ordinance if they have to do that.

Commissioner Drummond said they sure don't need that.

Commissioner Burdge said that's okay, fine.

Those voting in favor of the passage of the Ordinance No. J-42 on first reading were: Commissioners Bluestone, Burdge, Drummond, Grimyser, and Dannahower. Those opposed: None.

The next item on the Agenda was Consider request by Fraternal Order of Police to rename the area in front of the Police Station at 920 South U. S. #1 known as Hayes Road Park to "Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Park".

Motion was made by Commissioner Bluestone, seconded by Commissioner Burdge, to rename the area in front of the Police Station at 920 South U. S. #1 known as Hayes Road Park to "Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Park".

Commissioner Drummond said he has a question. Is it Hayes Park now? Is that the name of it?

Mr. Bob Morgan, Director of Public Works, said Hayes Road Park.

Commissioner Drummond asked is this the portion directly in front of the Police Station, or across U. S. #1?

Mr. Morgan said directly across U.S. #1 is Pinewood Park. This one is that little small area, the xeriscaped area, in front of the Police Station.

Those voting in favor of the motion were: Commissioners Bluestone, Burdge, Drummond, Grimyser, and Dannahower. Those opposed: None.

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Property Identification

Site Address:	US Hwy 1	ParcelID:	2415-601-0087-000-8
Sec/Town/Range:	15 :35S :40E	Account #:	24596
Map ID:	24/15N	Use Type:	VAC GOVT
Zoning:	C3	City/Cnty:	Fort Pierce



Ownership and Mailing

Owner: Ft Pierce City Of
Address: PO Box 1480
 Fort Pierce FL 34954-1480

Legal Description

PINEWOOD S/D BLK 8 LOTS 23 AND 24

Sales Information

Date	Price	Code	Deed
1/1/1900	0		

	Assessment 2014
Book/Page	2014 TRIM: 64500
	Assessed: 64500
	Ag.Credit: 0
	Exempt: 64500
	Taxable: 0
	Taxes: 0

Total Land and Building	
Land Value:	64500 Acres: 0.33
Building Value:	0
Finished Area:	0 SqFt

BUILDING INFORMATION

No Sketch
Available

No Image
Available

Exterior Features

View: -	RoofCover: -	RoofStruct: -
ExtType: -	YearBlt: -	Frame: -
Grade: -	EffYrBlt: -	PrimeWall: -
StoryHght: -	No.Units: -	SecWall: -

Interior Features

BedRooms: -	Electric: -	PrmIntWall: -
FullBath: -	HeatType: -	AvgHt/Ft: -
1/2Bath: -	HeatFuel: -	Prm.Flors: -
%A/C: -	%Heated: -	%Sprinkled: -

Special Features and Yard Items

Type	Y/S	Qty.	Units	Qual.	Cond.	YrBlt.	Land Information		Type	Measure	Depth
							No.	Use Type			
							1	8000-VAC GOVT	241 -Sq Feet	14335	

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Property Identification

Site Address: 920 S US HWY 1 **ParcelID:** 2415-123-0001-000-5
Sec/Town/Range: 15:35S :40E **Account #:** 24425
Map ID: 24/15N **Use Type:** Mncpal Prop
Zoning: OS1 **City/Cnty:** Fort Pierce



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15 35 40 THAT PART OF GOVT LOT 1AND THAT PART OF BLKS 8, 9, 10 AND 11 AND THAT PART OF VAC STREETS A

More...

Sales Information

Date 1/1/1900 **Price** 0 **Code** 0 **Deed**

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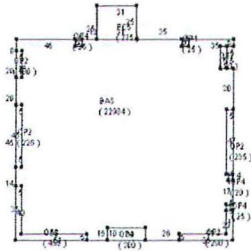
Assessment 2014

2014 TRIM: 4632800
Assessed: 4632800
Ag.Credit: 0
Exempt: 4632800
Taxable: 0
Taxes: 0

Total Land and Building

Land Value: 516800 **Acres:** 7.91
Building Value: 4116000
Finished Area: 22984 SqFt

BUILDING INFORMATION



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Exterior Features

View: - **RoofCover:** - **RoofStruct:** -
ExtType: PS1 - PS1 **YearBlt:** 1988 **Frame:** -
Grade: S1 - S1 **EffYrBlt:** 1988 **PrimeWall:** -
StoryHght: 0010 - 1 Story **No.Units:** - **SecWall:** -

Interior Features

BedRooms: 0 **Electric:** - **PrmIntWall:** -
FullBath: 0 **HeatType:** - **AvgHt/Ft:** STD
1/2Bath: 0 **HeatFuel:** - **Prm.Flors:** -
%A/C: 0 **%Heated:** 0 **%Sprinkled:** 0

Special Features and Yard Items

Type	Y/S	Qty.	Units	Qual.	Cond.	YrBlt.
ASP1 - ASP1 HIGH	Y	1	92000	AV	AV	1988
CNC2 - CONCRETE LOW	Y	1	4500	AV	AV	1988
LGT1 - SINGLE LIGHT	Y	1	26	AV	AV	1988
BARB - BARB WIRE	Y	1	1000	AV	AV	1988
FEN6 - CHAINLINK 6'	Y	1	1000	AV	AV	1988

Land Information

No.	Use Type	Type	Measure	Depth
1	8900-Mncpal Prop	305 -Sq Feet	344560	

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