

RESOLUTION NO. R24-68

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE RENAMING OF EL BARRIO PARK, LOCATED AT 54TH AVENUE AND OCOTILLO ROAD, TO VETERANOS PARK.

WHEREAS, the renaming of the park is to honor the request of the citizens who reside near this park site; and

WHEREAS, on February 13, 2024, Council gave direction to facilitate the process of community outreach to gather names for consideration; and

WHEREAS, from March 20, 2024, to April 5, 2024, a survey was conducted seeking input from the community for renaming the park. Information regarding the survey was sent to 1764 homes within a three-quarter-mile radius of this park site and a posting for the survey was listed on the city's website; and

WHEREAS, on April 8, 2024, the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission voted unanimously to recommend the renaming of El Barrio Park to Veteranos Park to Council; and

WHEREAS, on June 25, 2024, Council reviewed the names submitted by the community and the recommendation from the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission and gave a consensus to move forward to rename El Barrio Park, located at 54th Avenue and Ocotillo Road, to Veteranos Park; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE as follows:

SECTION 1. That it is deemed in the best interest of the City of Glendale and the citizens thereof that El Barrio Park, located at 54th Avenue and Ocotillo Road, be renamed as Veteranos Park and directs the City Manager to provide the appropriate signage to reflect the name of the park.

(Signatures on the following page.)

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Glendale, Maricopa County, Arizona, this 13th day of August 2024.

Mayor Jerry P. Weiers

ATTEST:




Julie K. Bower, City Clerk (SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Michael D. Bailey, City Attorney

REVIEWED BY:



Kevin R. Phelps, City Manager