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MEMORANDUM

Date: July 27, 2017

To: Phil Ginsburg, General Manager, Recreation and Parks Department
Margaret McArthur, Commission Secretary, Recreation and Parks
Commission

From:  Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board, Board of Supervisors

Subject: Urging the Recreation and Park Commission to Consider Naming the
New Park at 2080 Folsom Street "In Chan Kaajal Park" (File No. 170787)

On July 11, 2017, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 282-17, sponsored by Supervisor Hillary Ronen (File No. 170787, Urging the Recreation and Park Commission to Consider Naming the New Park at 2080 Folsom Street "In Chan Kaajal Park"); enacted on July 21, 2017.

Please find the attached courtesy copy of the Resolution for the Recreation and Parks Department's and the Recreation and Parks Commission's information and consideration.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Office of the Clerk of the Board at (415) 554-5184.

c: Member of the Board of Supervisors, Supervisor Ronen
Recreation and Parks Department, Sarah Madland

1 [Urging the Recreation and Park Commission to Consider Naming the New Park at 2080
2 Folsom Street "In Chan Kaajal Park"]

3 **Resolution urging the Recreation and Park Commission to name the new park located**
4 **at 2080 Folsom Street (on 17th & Folsom Streets) as "In Chan Kaajal Park."**

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6 WHEREAS, Over the last two decades, indigenous Mayan-speaking immigrants from
7 the Yucatan region of Mexico have made their home in San Francisco, particularly in the
8 northern Mission and Tenderloin neighborhoods; and

9 WHEREAS, In Chan Kaajal is in the Mayan language meaning little town, and in
10 Spanish this translates to Mi Pueblito; and

11 WHEREAS, The existence of Yucatecan business, cultural associations, and social
12 services and organization serving this community is a testament to their presence; and

13 WHEREAS, The name In Chan Kaajal represents the contributions and significance
14 of the local Mayan speaking community; and

15 WHEREAS, The Mayan name In Chan Kaajal, and its Spanish translation Mi Pueblito
16 is significant because it resonates with the surrounding Latino population, weaving together
17 the community's indigenous and Spanish European roots; and

18 WHEREAS, Significant outreach and community meetings have taken place since
19 early September 2016 with People Organizing to Demand Environmental and Economic
20 Rights (PODER), with the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department; therefore, be it

21 **RESOLVED**, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Recreation and Park
22 Commission to name the new park located at 2080 Folsom Street (on 17th and Folsom
23 Streets) as In Chan Kaajal Park; and, be it
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1 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Board shall send a copy of this
2 resolution to the Recreation and Park Commission, and the Recreation and Park
3 Department.
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Resolution

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July 11, 2017 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Breed, Cohen, Farrell, Fewer, Kim, Peskin, Ronen, Safai, Sheehy, Tang and Yee

File No. 170787

I hereby certify that the foregoing
Resolution was ADOPTED on 7/11/2017 by
the Board of Supervisors of the City and
County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Unsigned

Mayor

7/21/17

Date Approved

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, or time waived pursuant to Board Rule 2.14.2, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter or Board Rule 2.14.2.

for Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

7/21/17
Date