

After Recording, Return to: Margaret Hawker, City Recorder City of Newport 169 SW Coast Highway Newport, Oregon 97365

CITY OF NEWPORT

ORDINANCE NO. 2132

AN ORDINANCE RENAMING DON DAVIS PARK AS "DON AND ANN DAVIS PARK"

Findings:

WHEREAS, Chapter 2.35 of the Newport Municipal Code provides that the Newport City Council may, by resolution, initiate a public hearings process to consider whether or not it is in the public interest to rename a public place; and

WHEREAS, the City Council took such a step on April 16, 2018, with Resolution No. 3799, proposing that "Don Davis Park" be renamed to honor Don and Ann Davis; and

WHEREAS, the Newport Planning Commission held a duly noticed public hearing on May 14, 2018, at which it considered the factors outlined in Chapter 2.35 for renaming a public place, including whether or not the individual to be honored has made significant contributions to the betterment of the City and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, after providing an opportunity for public testimony, the Planning Commission concluded that Ann Davis' contributions to the City of Newport as a member of Beta Sigma Phi, PEO, the Knotty Ladies, the Yaquina Arts Association, the Lincoln County historical Society, the Oregon Coast Aquarium, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Atonement Lutheran Church, and the Oregon Coast Council of the Arts, when taken as a whole, constitute a significant contribution to the betterment of the City and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission further recognized Ann Davis's role as a supporting partner to Don Davis during his decades of civic leadership in the City of Newport; and

WHEREAS, the Newport City Council held a public hearing on June 4, 2018 to consider whether or not the name change is in the best interest of the City in light of the Planning Commission's recommendation, public testimony, and other information in the record; and

WHEREAS, after due consideration, the City Council determined that the name change is in the best interest of the City as a whole.

WHEREAS, notice of the public hearings before the Planning Commission and City Council was provided in the May 9, 2018 and May 25, 2018 editions of the News Times in the manner required under NMC Chapter 2.35.

Based on these findings,

THE CITY OF NEWPORT ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1</u>. The city owned property known as Don Davis Park, identified in attached Exhibit A, is hereby renamed "Don and Ann Davis Park."

<u>Section 2</u>. The City Recorder shall cause a certified copy of this ordinance to be filed with the Lincoln County Clerk, County Assessor, and County Surveyor.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect 30 days after passage.

Date adopted and read by title only: June 4, 2018.

Signed by the Mayor on June 5, 2018.

Sandra N. Roumagoux, Mayor

ATTEST:

Margaret M. Hawker, City Recorder

Approved as to form:

Steve Rich, City Attorney

EXHIBIT A

Map of Don Davis Park



CERTIFICATION

| STATE OF OREGON |) | |
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| COUNTY OF LINCOLN |) | SS |
| CITY OF NEWPORT |) | |

I, Margaret M. Hawker, City Recorder, for the City of Newport, Lincoln County, Oregon, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 2132 renaming Don Davis Park as Don and Ann Davis Park, adopted at the City Council meeting of June 4, 2018.

Witness my hand this 5th day of June, 2018.

Margaret M. Hawker, City Recorder