



**Item:** Naming of the Dog Park  
**Initiated By:** Park & Recreation Department  
**Presented By:** Marty Basta, Park & Recreation Director  
**Action Requested:** Approve Resolution 9783

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**Public Hearing:**

1. Mayor conducts public hearing, calling three times each for opponents and proponents.
2. Mayor closes public hearing and asks the will of the Commission.

**Suggested Motion:**

1. Commissioner moves:

“I move that the City Commission approve Resolution 9783 naming the dog park “Pacific Steel & Recycling Trailside Dog Park”.

2. Mayor calls for a second, discussion, inquiries from the public, and calls the vote.
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**Staff Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the City Commission approve Resolution 9783 naming the dog park “Pacific Steel & Recycling Trailside Dog Park”.

**Background:**

The Animal Foundation of Great Falls is requesting the City Commission approve Pacific Steel & Recycling Trailside Dog Park as the name of the new dog park. The Foundation recommended Trailside Dog Park for the name of the dog park. The Animal Foundation received \$30,000 from Pacific Steel & Recycling for permanent naming rights of the dog park.

**Concurrences:**

The Park & Recreation Board recommended the City Commission approve Pacific Steel & Recycling Trailside Dog Park as the name of the dog park at their regular meeting on September 8, 2008.

**Alternatives:**

If the name is not approved, The Animal Foundation will be unable to accept the donation from Pacific Steel & Recycling for naming rights of the Dog Park.

**Attachments/Exhibits:**

1. Resolution 9783