

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

FILE **RESOLUTION No. 77978** C.M.S.
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK
OAKLAND

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**RESOLUTION NAMING A PORTION OF LINCOLN SQUARE
CONTAINING THE CHINESE JUNK PLAY STRUCTURE AND
SWINGS AS THE "WA SUNG COMMUNITY SERVICE CLUB PLAY
AREA"**

WHEREAS, Wa Sung Community Service Club is celebrating its 50th Anniversary serving the Oakland - East Bay Asian Community; and

WHEREAS, in 1969 Wa Sung Community Service Club donated \$15,000 toward the construction of the Chinese Junk play structure and swings in Lincoln Square; and

WHEREAS, the Chinese Junk play structure needs repairs and renovations and the City is conducting an evaluation to determine the extent of repairs and maintenance and potential scope of work; and

WHEREAS, Wa Sung Community Service Club desires to name the area containing the Chinese Junk play structure and swings as "Was Sung Community Service Club Play Area" and they have submitted a petition with more than 800 signatures; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Council Resolution No. 65024 C.M.S. this matter was heard by the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission on June 11, 2003 and must be forwarded to the Rules Committee and then the City Council for consideration; and

WHEREAS, the request to name the play area is consistent with the resolution due to the historical importance and symbolism of the Chinese Junk play structure and the civic contributions made by the Wa Sung Community Service Club; and

WHEREAS, the naming of the play area is part of a Wa Sung Community Service Club project to raise awareness and funding for repairs and maintenance for the Chinese Junk play structure; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the Oakland City Council authorizes the naming of a portion of Lincoln Square containing the Chinese Junk play structure and swings as the "Wa Sung Community Service Club Play Area;" and be it

FURTHER RESOVLED: That Oakland City Council congratulates the Wa Sung Community Service Club on its 50th Anniversary; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Office of the City Attorney has approved this resolution as to form and legality, and a copy will be on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

JUL 29 2003

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 20_____


PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, QUAN, REID, WAN and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE -8

NOES- 0

ABSENT- 0

ABSTENTION- 0

ATTEST: 
CEDA FLOYD
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California