

RESOLUTION R-4916

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RENAMING HOUGHTON BEACH PARK, LOCATED AT 5811 LAKE WASHINGTON BOULEVARD, TO DORIS COOPER - HOUGHTON BEACH PARK.

WHEREAS, Doris Cooper served for 20 years as a member of the Kirkland City Council; and

WHEREAS, Doris Cooper contributed significantly to the support of parks planning, acquisition, development, and renovation and improvement of the quality of life in Kirkland; and

WHEREAS; the memory of Doris Cooper will provide a shining example of community involvement, stewardship, loyalty and the best qualities of the neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, Resolution R-3215 sets forth policies and procedures relating to the naming of public property and facilities based upon several criteria, including naming after an individual who has given outstanding civic service to the park system, or who has been instrumental in the acquisition of development of critical park acreage, and

WHEREAS, both the Kirkland Park Board and the Houghton Community Council have recommended to the City Council the renaming of Houghton Beach Park to Doris Cooper – Houghton Beach Park in honor of her commitment to the City of Kirkland and it's residents; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the recommendation of the Kirkland Park Board and Houghton Community Council meets the criteria established by Resolution R-3215 and that renaming Houghton Beach Park to Doris Cooper – Houghton Beach Park is an appropriate way for the City of Kirkland to honor the contributions and efforts of Doris Cooper while serving the citizens of Kirkland.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. That certain park now known as Houghton Beach Park located at 5811 Lake Washington Boulevard is hereby renamed Doris Cooper – Houghton Beach Park in honor of Doris Cooper former Kirkland City Council Member.

Section 2. The Department of Parks and Community Services is directed, pursuant to Resolution R-3215, to install signage on the park site identifying the new name of the park.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 17th day of April, 2012.

Signed in authentication thereof this 17th day of April, 2012.


MAYOR

Attest:


City Clerk