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To: Kevin J. Murphy, City Manager

From: Thomas R. Bellegarde, Assistant City Manager/Public Works Commissioner

Date: July 6, 2017

RE: Report of Progress on City Council Parks and Recreation Subcommittee from 6/27/2017  
Recommendation to Name Cross Country Fitness Course at Pyne Arts School in Honor of Amber Zapatka

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On Tuesday June 27, 2017, the Department of Public Works attended the City Council Parks and Recreation Subcommittee Meeting that included a recommendation to name the cross country fitness course at the J.G. Pyne Arts School in honor of Amber Zapatka. The Subcommittee unanimously approved to ask the City Council to refer this to the Board of Parks to approve this recommendation.

On Wednesday June 28, 2017, the Board of Parks approved this motion. The Department of Public Works has been in contact with the parents of Amber Zapatka in order to coordinate this dedication. They are very moved by this honor and are planning an early fall ceremony.

Feel welcome to contact me with any questions on this matter.

Thank you for your consideration.