

Subject: Community Identification Committee Recommendation - Jina Burn Chess Park		
APPROVALS:		
		Annette Antoniak
	Director	Chief Administrative Officer

Recommended Motion:

1. THAT the park in Dickinsfield at Lot 104 MR, Block 84, Plan 8022553, be named as 'Jina Burn Chess Park'

Summary:

The Community Identification Committee (CIC) recommended that the name for the park, currently known as Chess Park in Dickinsfield, be forwarded to Council for approval.

In accordance with the Community Identification System (Council's Policy No. PRL-040), Council's approval is required for the naming of parks in the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo.

Background:

On April 26, 2018 the Community Identification Committee considered an application for naming the park currently known as Chess Park in Dickinsfield. After deliberation the Committee recommended that the name 'Jina Burn Chess Park' be forwarded to Council for approval. The map showing the location of this park and the description for the name Jina Burn is available in Attachment 1 and Attachment 2.

Rationale for Recommendation:

Jina Burn is the founder of the chess club in Fort McMurray and has dedicated countless hours for various community initiatives. She has served on many boards and has been recognized for her efforts provincially. Jina also spear headed the creation of the outdoor chess park in Dickinsfield and brought the Alberta Women's Chess Championships to Fort McMurray in 2012 and 2017. Considering her contributions to the community of Fort McMurray, the Community Identification Committee recommended that the Chess park be named as 'Jina Burn Chess Park'.

Strategic Priorities:

Responsible Government

Attachments:

- 1. Map Showing the Location of the Proposed Jina Burn Chess Park
- 2. Description of Proposed Name