

## ORDINANCE 2021-3856

**AN ORDINANCE RENAMING FAIRMONT PARK WEST PARK, A PUBLIC PARK DESCRIBED AS A 1.162-ACRE TRACT OF LAND LOCATED AT 9801 RUSTIC GATE, TO MONARCH PARK, AND AMENDING CHAPTER 50 “PARKS AND RECREATION” OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LA PORTE; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; CONTAINING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; FINDING COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA PORTE, TEXAS:

**Section 1:** The public park known as Fairmont Park West Park, located at 9801 Rustic Gate, La Porte, Texas, and legally described as indicated below, is hereby renamed and shall hereinafter be known as Monarch Park:

That certain lot, tract, or parcel of land, known as "Reserve 'A'," containing 1.162 acres, more or less, as shown on the Plat of Section Three (3), FAIRMONT PARK WEST, as recorded in Volume 270, Page 63, of the Map Records of Harris County, Texas, reference to which is here made for all purposes.

**Section 2:** That Chapter 50, “Parks and Recreation,” Article I “In General”, Section 50-2 “Parks and park areas defined”, subparagraph (1) “*Parks, neighborhood:*”, of the Code of Ordinances, La Porte, Texas, is hereby amended and shall hereinafter read as follows:

**“Sec. 50-2. - Parks and park areas defined.**

The parks, park areas, park related facilities, and rental facilities which comprise the City of La Porte Parks System are listed below and their location within the city established.

(1) *Parks, neighborhood:*

<b>Name of Park</b>	<b>Location</b>
Fourteenth St. Park	500 North 14 <sup>th</sup> Street
Bay Oaks Park	254 Dwire
Brookglen Park	3324 Somerton
Creekmont Park	700 Willow Creek
"D" Street Linear Park	200—800 North "D" Street
Glen Meadows Park	5100 Valley Brook
Ohio St. Park	300 South Ohio
Pete Gilliam Park	200 North Holmes
Pfeiffer Park	900 South Virginia

Seabreeze Park	1322 Bayshore Drive
Spewick Park	19225 Carlow
Tom Brown Park	300 South Lobit
Wood Falls Park	3800 Driftwood
Fairmont Park West Park Monarch Park	9801 Rustic Gate

**Section 3:** That Chapter 50, “Parks and Recreation,” Article I “In General”, Section 50-18 “Establishing public hours of operation for park use generally”, subparagraph (1) “*Parks, neighborhood:*”, of the Code of Ordinances, La Porte, Texas, is hereby amended and shall hereinafter read as follows:

**Sec. 50-18. - Establishing public hours of operation for park use generally.**

The City Council for the City of La Porte establishes hours of public operation for all city parks and park related facilities and rental facilities in the City of La Porte park system. Each park, park related facility or rental facility in the city park system shall be open to, and be closed to the general public each day according to the schedule described herein.

The parks, park related facilities, and rental facilities of the City of La Porte Parks System are classified below and their hours of public operation are as follows, unless written authorization is given for a special event at the park or facility as provided for in this Ordinance.

(1) *Parks, neighborhood:*

<b>Name of Park</b>	<b>Hours of Operation</b>
Fourteenth St. Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Bay Oaks Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Brookglen Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Creekmont Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
"D" Street Linear Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Glen Meadows Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Ohio St. Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Pete Gilliam Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Pfeiffer Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Seabreeze Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Spewick Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

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Tom Brown Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Wood Falls Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.
Fairmont Park West Park <i>Monarch</i> Park	7:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

**Section 4:** All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this ordinance are hereby repealed; provided, however, that such repeal shall be only to the extent of such inconsistency and in all other respects this ordinance shall be cumulative of other ordinances regulating and governing the subject matter covered by this ordinance.

**Section 5:** Should any section or part of this ordinance be held unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, or the application to any person or circumstance for any reasons thereof ineffective or inapplicable, such unconstitutionality, illegality, invalidity, or ineffectiveness of such section or part shall in no way affect, impair or invalidate the remaining portions thereof; but as to such remaining portion or portions, the same shall be and remain in full force and effect and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

**Section 6.** The City Council officially finds, determines, recites and declares that a sufficient written notice of the date, hour, place and subject of this meeting of the City Council is posted at a place convenient to the public at the City Hall of the city for the time required by law preceding this meeting, as required by Chapter 551, Tx. Gov't Code; and that this meeting has been open to the public as required by law at all times during which this ordinance and the subject matter thereof has been discussed, considered and formally acted upon. The City Council further ratifies, approves and confirms such written notice and the contents and posting thereof.

**Section 7.** This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021.

CITY OF LA PORTE, TEXAS

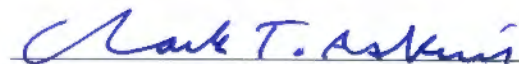
  
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 Louis R. Rigby, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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 Lee Woodward, City Secretary



APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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 Clark Askins, Assistant City Attorney