

RESOLUTION # 16-05

Approval of the Donor Recognition Plan for the Rice Park Revitalization Project for City owned Rice Park within Ward 2, District 17, on the block bordered by 4th Street, 5th Street, Washington, and Market Street.

WHEREAS, the Rice Park Revitalization Committee has established a fundraising campaign to raise funds for capital improvements to Rice Park with the goal of reaching \$1,350,000 in private funding; and

WHEREAS, the Rice Park Revitalization Committee proposes to recognize the private donors of this campaign with a Donor Recognition Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Committee proposes to recognize donations less than \$10,000 in print and online for a temporary amount of time; and

WHEREAS, the donor recognition plan proposes that donations of \$10,000 and above may be recognized within the park with the names of donors displayed on proposed cast-stone columns within the park; and

WHEREAS, the donor recognition plan proposes that private donations of \$250,000 and over may have naming rights of one of two proposed gardens at Rice Park; and

WHEREAS, as part of this project the city will consolidate all donor recognition currently present within park in order to simplify and minimize the quantity of donor recognition methods ; and

WHEREAS, the plan proposes that signage is not guaranteed in perpetuity and that a maximum of up to 20 years is anticipated for the recognition of donors to this campaign; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Saint Paul Parks and Recreation Commission recommends that the City Council of the City of Saint Paul endorse the Donor Recognition Plan proposed by the Rice Park Revitalization Committee for City owned Rice Park within Ward 2, District 17, on the block bordered by 4th Street, 5th Street, Washington, and Market Street”.

Adopted by the Saint Paul Parks and Recreation Commission on September 8, 2016:

Approved:

Yeas	<u>7</u>
Nays	<u>0</u>
Absent:	<u>2</u>

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Attested to by:



 Staff to the Parks and Recreation Commission