

RESOLUTION NO. 23R-08-203

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL PROVIDING THAT THE GOLF COURSE CENTER FACILITY BUILDING LOCATED AT 4141 N.W.16th STREET BE NAMED THE "TYSON JONES CENTER" AFTER FORMER CITY COMMISSIONER TYSON T. JONES IN HIS HONOR; PROVIDING FOR PLACEMENT OF A PLAQUE; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE (REQUESTED BY COMMISSIONER LAWRENCE "JABOW" MARTIN)

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Lauderhill adopted Resolution No. 03R-03-50 which created a policy for the naming of City parks, recreation areas, streets, facilities, public properties and programs and which was subsequently amended by 18R-06-108; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Lauderhill is authorized to initiate a request for such a renaming after a deceased person; and

WHEREAS, Tyson T. Jones was a former City Commissioner for the City of Lauderhill from 1993 to 2004; and

WHEREAS, Tyson worked for the Broward County Parks and Recreation Division where he was an associate planner, where he worked for over 30 years improving the parks in Broward County; and

WHEREAS, Tyson was an avid golfer and an advocate for youths learning the sport;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The City Commission of the City of Lauderhill hereby names the golf course center facility building located at 4141 N.W.16th Street the "Tyson Jones Center" after the late former City Commissioner Tyson T. Jones.

Section 2. That a plaque in his honor will be placed in a prominent location of the building.

Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

DATED this 28 day of August, 2023.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on first reading this 28 day of August, 2023.

PRESIDING OFFICER
ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

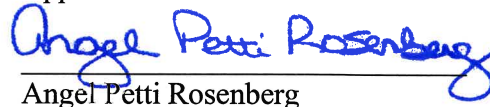
MOTION
SECOND

M. Dunn
L. Martin

M. DUNN
D. GRANT
L. MARTIN
S. MARTIN
K. THURSTON

Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Absent

Approved as to Form


Angel Petti Rosenberg
City Attorney



City of Lauderhill

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Notes:

Sponsors:

Enactment Date:

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Contact:

Hearing Date:

* **Drafter:** apetti@laudershill-fl.gov

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Request Action:

Pass a Resolution to approve the naming of the golf course center facility building after former City Commissioner Tyson T. Jones.

Need:

Resolution to name the golf facility building located at 4141 N.W.16th Street after former City Commissioner Tyson Jones.

Summary Explanation/ Background:

Tyson T. Jones served as a City Commissioner for the City of Lauderdale from 1993 to 2004; one of the highlights of his tenure was helping secure the location - and facilitate the groundbreaking - of the current Lauderdale City Hall on Oakland Park Boulevard. Tyson Jones worked for Broward County Parks and Recreation Division, where he was employed as an associate planner. He spent over 30 years using his comprehensive park planning experience improving the parks in Broward County. Tyson was an avid golfer and an advocate of Black youths learning the sport. The family has requested the City consider naming the Golfing center to Tyson Jones Center. The request is to name the Golfing Center Building Facility at Lauderdale Golf Course located at 4141 NW 16th St. Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33313 to Tyson Jones Golfing Center.

Attachments:

Request from family

Cost Summary/ Fiscal Impact:

Include projected cost, approved budget amount and account number, source of funds, and any future funding requirements

Estimated Time for Presentation:

Master Plan:

Goal 1: Clean, Green Sustainable Environment

- ☐ Increase mass transit ridership ☐ Reduce City energy consumption
- ☐ Reduce water consumption

Goal 2: Safe and Secure City of Lauderdale

- ☐ Crime in lower 50% in Broward ☐ Residents feel safe in neighborhood
- ☐ Reduce emergency fatalities

Goal 3: Open Spaces and Active Lifestyle for all ages

- ☐ Increase participation in youth sports ☐ Add new park land and amenities
- ☐ Increase attendance at cultural programs and classes

Goal 4: Growing Local Economy, Employment and Quality of Commercial Areas

- ☐ Increase commercial tax base ☐ Increase employment in Lauderdale businesses
- ☐ Decrease noxious and blighted uses in commercial areas

Goal 5: Quality Housing at all Price Ranges and Attractive Communities

- ☐ Neighborhood signs and active HOAs ☐ Housing & streets improved, litter reduced
- ☐ Increase proportion of single family homes and owner occupied housing

Goal 6: Efficient and Effective City Government, Customer Focused & Values Diversity

- ☐ Improves City efficiency ☐ Increase use of Information Technology

[] Increases residents perception of Lauderhill as an excellent place to live

Commissioner Lawrence “Jabbow” Martin

5581 West Oakland Park Blvd.

Lauderhill, FL 33313

June 15, 2023

Subject: Request to Rename Golfing Center to Tyson Jones Center at the Golf Course located at 4141 NW 16th Street, Lauderhill, FL 33313

Dear Commissioner Martin,

I hope this letter finds you well. I would like to discuss an important matter regarding the name of a local park that holds significant historical and cultural value to our community.

As you may be aware, Lauderhill Golf Course has been a cherished space for our residents for several decades. However, recent discussions among community members have brought to light the desire for a name change that better reflects the values, diversity, and identity of our community. We are requesting the name change to honor Tyson Jones.

As you might recall, Tyson served as a Lauderhill City Commissioner from 1993 to 2004; one of the highlights of his tenure was helping secure the location – and facilitate the groundbreaking – of the current Lauderhill City Hall on Oakland Park Boulevard. Tyson worked for Broward County Parks and Recreation Division, where he was employed as an associate planner. He spent over 30 years using his comprehensive park planning experience improving the parks in Broward County. Tyson was an avid golfer and an advocate of Black youths learning the sport.

We believe that renaming the Golfing center to Tyson Jones Center would be a meaningful and appropriate choice. The proposed name holds deep significance to our community as it honors [explain the historical or cultural significance]. This change would not only pay homage to our rich heritage but also promote inclusivity and a sense of belonging for all residents, regardless of their background.

Renaming the Golfing Center at Lauderhill Golf Course located at 4141 NW 16th St. Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33313 to Tyson Jones Golfing Center located at the Lauderhill Golf Course located at 4141 NW 16th St. Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33313 would provide an opportunity for our community to come together and celebrate our shared values and history. It would also serve as a positive step towards fostering a more inclusive and welcoming environment for current and future generations.

I kindly request your support and consideration in initiating the process of renaming the office at the Lauderhill Golf Course. I understand that such a decision requires careful consideration and may involve various stakeholders. Therefore, I would be grateful if you could provide information on the appropriate channels and procedures to follow in order to pursue this name change.

I am more than willing to collaborate with you and any relevant committees or organizations throughout this process. I believe that by working together, we can make a positive impact on our community and create a park name that truly reflects our collective identity.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. I look forward to your favorable response and the opportunity to work towards a positive change for our community. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me at kojo954@gmail.com or 813-454-2353 if you require any additional information or if there is anything I can do to further support this request.

Yours sincerely,

Rosa Jones, Korey Jones, Keven Jones and the Family of Tyson Jones