

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SANTA ANA TO CHANGE THE NAME OF A SEGMENT OF SOUTH LYON STREET BETWEEN EAST EDINGER AVENUE AND EAST SAINT ANDREW PLACE IN THE PACIFICENTER TO SOUTH ELK LANE

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SANTA ANA AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** The Planning Commission of the City of Santa Ana hereby finds, determines and declares as follows:

- A. The City of Santa Ana is requesting approval of Street Naming No. 2021-01 to change the name of a segment of South Lyon Street between East Edinger Avenue and East Saint Andrew Place within the PacifiCenter development to South Elk Lane.
- B. Street Naming No. 2021-01 came before the Planning Commission on June 28, 2021.
- C. Pursuant to sections 33-5 through 33-8 of the Santa Ana Municipal Code (SAMC), the Planning Commission is the decision making body for the naming of public streets, subject to confirmation by the City Council. Further, the policy guidelines in the SAMC pertaining to the naming of public streets state that a facility may be named if the name serves to recognize a person who made a distinct, significant contribution to the well-being of the City.
- D. The Planning Commission held a duly-noticed public hearing on June 28, 2021 to consider Street Naming No. 2021-01. Affected properties, including property owners and tenants, were notified by mail at least 10 days prior to the meeting.
- E. The Santa Ana Elks Club (Local 794) completed a new headquarters at 1751 South Lyon Street, completed in 2019.
- F. Since 1902, the Elks Club has had a presence in Santa Ana, contributing to civic engagement, charity, education scholarships, and community service for Santa Ana residents and the broader Orange County community. Originally headquartered at 310 North Sycamore Street, the Elks Club Local 794 relocated to a new headquarters building in the 1960s at 212 South Elk Lane.
- G. Based on these guidelines, the street name of South Elk Lane has been selected as the new name of a street segment in the PacifiCenter to honor

the Santa Ana Elks Club, who recently relocated from their former headquarters at 212 South Elk Lane to a new headquarters at 1751 South Lyon Street.

**Section 2.** In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act and the CEQA Guidelines, the recommended action is exempt from further review per Section 15061(b)(3). This general rule exemption is allowed provided it can be determined with certainty that the proposed project will not have a significant effect on the environment. As the project consists of the renaming of a public street, the general rule exemption is applicable. Categorical Exemption Environmental Review No. 2021-66 will be filed for this project.

**Section 3.** The Planning Commission of the City of Santa Ana hereby approves Street Naming No. 2021-01 to change the name of a segment of South Lyon Street between East Edinger Avenue and East Saint Andrew Place within the PacifiCenter development to South Elk Lane. This decision is based upon the evidence submitted at the above-referenced meeting, which includes, but is not limited to: the Request for Planning Commission Action dated June 28, 2021 and exhibits attached thereto; and the public testimony, written and oral, all of which are incorporated herein by this reference.

ADOPTED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2021.

AYES: Commissioners: ALDERETE, CALDERON, MCLOUGHLIN, PHAM, RAMOS, WOO (6)

NOES: Commissioners:

ABSENT: Commissioners: MORRISSEY (1)

ABSTENTIONS: Commissioners:



Mark McLoughlin  
Chairperson

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
Sonia R. Carvalho, City Attorney

By: John M. Funk  
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Sr. Assistant City Attorney

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTATION AND ORIGINALITY

I, Sarah Bernal, Recording Secretary, do hereby attest to and certify the attached Resolution No. 2021-15 to be the original resolution adopted by the Planning Commission of the City of Santa Ana on June 28, 2021.

Date: 6/28/2021

Sarah Bernal  
Recording Secretary  
City of Santa Ana