

City of Shakopee
Park Naming Application

Part I. All naming requests shall follow the guidelines below:

A. General Name guidelines:

- Should not duplicate or be easily confused with existing public or private places in or near Shakopee.
- Should avoid adjectives such as east, west, big, long, etc., and numbers when possible unless an adjacent feature name uses the same descriptor.
- Should use the fewest words possible.
- Shall include an appropriate designator of the type of park, i.e. Community Park, Neighborhood Park or Tot Lot.

B. Names of historic places, events and cultural ideas and names using **Dakota language** or concepts shall be appropriate to the site and proposed use, and should follow standard current spelling of the Dakota language.

C. Names to commemorate persons who have made significant contributions to Shakopee parks system, (with the permission of the honoree, or immediate family or designated representative, if any). Names to commemorate other local born or raised persons of historic, statewide or national importance may be considered without a park association.

D. Names for site features, wildlife or other natural ideas, when site specific.

Part II. Please fill in all of the questions below

Return completed applications to Shakopee Community Center or mail to: City of Shakopee Parks, Recreation, Natural Resources and Facilities Department, Attn: Director, 1255 Fuller St., Shakopee, MN 55379.

1. Location of Park or feature to be named Development / Addition name, and adjacent street frontage(s). THE 2 FOOTBALL FIELDS AT 17th ARE SPORTS COMPLEX

2. Person/organization requesting the name AJ PARAMO. PRESIDENT OF SHAKOPEE YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION
Phone (daytime) 952 666 8805 Fax _____
Address: _____

THE MARK GROMMESCH FIELDS AT 17th ARE SPORTS COMPLEX

3. Proposed name (and up to two alternates, if desired).

4. Explanation of name meaning(s), including translation, or biographical information if the name is honoring a person or people, if applicable (may attach additional sheets).

MARK PASSED AWAY IN 2021 AFTER YEARS OF SERVICE WITH SYFA. WAS PRESIDENT, VP & OTHER. ALSO COACHED

5. Please describe the process involved in choosing the proposed name and what type of public involvement was used.

THIS REQUEST WAS UNANIMOUSLY VOTED YA BY THE SYFA BOARD

Note: Applications determined to be incomplete by staff will not be considered for formal review.