

MECKLENBURG COUNTY

NAMING/RENAMING  
AREAS AND/OR FACILITIES

APPLICATION

I. GENERAL POLICY STATEMENT

The Board of County Commissioners shall be responsible for approving all names for all areas and facilities within Mecklenburg County.

II. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Individual/Group Making Application:  
Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation

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Address: 5841 Brookshire Blvd, Charlotte, NC 28216

Telephone: Business: 704-432-1570 or 704-336-5470

Site of Naming/Renaming to be Considered: The circular lawn area near the "Spirit of Mecklenburg" sculpture of Captain James Jack on Little Sugar Creek Greenway near the intersection of 4<sup>th</sup> Street and Kings Drive.

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III. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NAMING/RENAMING:

Recommended Name/Title: Zeiss Green on Little Sugar Creek Greenway

Is this person living/deceased: Living

Current Address: Central Piedmont Community College  
Central Campus – Disher Building – 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
PO Box 35009  
Charlotte, NC 28235-5009

Background and Justification:

Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation is seeking to name the circular lawn area and garden near the “Spirit of Mecklenburg” sculpture of Captain James Jack in honor of Dr. Tony Zeiss, President of Central Piedmont Community College.

Dr. Zeiss’ collaborative leadership was central in forming and sustaining the Little Sugar Creek Action Committee for the past 12 years. This group of community leaders worked to guide and clear the way for the greenway and stream restoration to be achieved. His involvement, along with others in the May 20<sup>th</sup> Society resulted in the Spirit of Mecklenburg sculpture of Captain James Jack, who resides on Little Sugar Creek Greenway near the proposed Zeiss Green. Dr. Zeiss’ passion for local history and the public interest in the Spirit of Mecklenburg inspired Dr. Zeiss and others to form a Trail of History Committee to remember and celebrate the people who had a significant impact on the development of Mecklenburg County. Dr. Zeiss chairs this committee which is seeking private funding for a total of 21 bronze sculptures which is known as the Trail of History on the urban section of Little Sugar Creek Greenway.

We seek to celebrate the contributions to this community made by Dr. Tony Zeiss, especially his commitment to Little Sugar Creek Greenway and Stream Restoration. Through his efforts, Dr. Zeiss has established a legacy of commitment to the greenway, community, history and education.



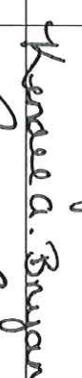
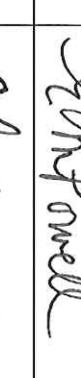
James R. Garges, Director, Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation  
February 10, 2012

Map of Circular Lawn Area Attached

**Petition to Name the Circular Lawn Area at the Intersection of 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
and Kings Drive on Urban Little Sugar Creek Greenway to:**

**Zeiss Green on Little Sugar Creek Greenway**

| Printed Name                   | Signature | Address  | Date    |
|--------------------------------|-----------|--|---------|
| 1. DICK WINTERS                |           | 4716 WOODHURST AVE,<br>CHARLOTTE, NC 28211         | 2/13/12 |
| 2. Aubin Guinness              |           | 16203 AUBIN FIELD DRIVE<br>HARRISVILLE, NC 28079   | 2/13/12 |
| 3. BRIAN MAUER                 |           | 13506 DOCKET CT,<br>CHARLOTTE, NC 28273            | 2/13/12 |
| 4. ROBERT CARTER               |           | 1111 WINTERBIRD CT<br>CHARLOTTE, NC 28213          | 2/13/12 |
| 5. J. RON GENTRY               |           | 15044 OXYDENDRUM HILL CIRCLE<br>DAVIDSON, NC 28036 | 2/13/12 |
| 6. ED BRANNHART                |           | 9962 FOX OAK PL<br>CHARLOTTE, N.C. 28210           | 2/12/12 |
| 7. <del>THOMAS E. NORRIS</del> |           | 2633 RICHMOND DR.<br>APT 10B, CHARLOTTE, NC 28211  | 2/13/12 |
| 8. Ruth Samuelson              |           | 1133 RICHMOND RD.<br>CHARLOTTE, NC 28211           | 2/15/12 |
| 9. Lee Tmayer                  |           | 3204-6 SELBY W FARMERS<br>CUT NC 28209             | 2/15/12 |
| 10. Peter Strohmack            |           | 1341 ANNECOURT LANE<br>CHARLOTTE NC ?              | 2/22/12 |
| 11. John Averill               |           | 15705 FRANKING HAWLAND<br>HARRISVILLE, NC 28074    |         |
| 12. Sarah Charvut              |           | 2615 Lady Court<br>Charlotte, NC 28226             | 2/15/12 |

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| 13. <del>DA</del> Douglas Burnett |  | 6235 Armas Sunrise Rd<br>Clemette NC 28214      | 2-15-12 |
| 14. Jeff Tate                     |  | 17216 Rader Lane<br>Clemette, NC 28031          | "       |
| 15. Kristen Shoben                |  | 1213 Driftway Point Rd.<br>Mathews NC 28105     | 2-15-12 |
| 16. Brenda B. McMore              |  | 1001 Greenleaf Ave Unit 4<br>Charlotte NC 28202 | 2-15-12 |
| 17. Cheryl Smith                  |  | 2104 Saint John Street<br>Charlotte, NC 28216   | 2-15-12 |
| 18. Kendal A. Bryant              |   | 6100 Prosperity Church<br>Rd Charlotte NC 28209 | 2-15-12 |
| 19. Robert J. Brisley             |    | 15346 Bexley Rd<br>Clt NC 28227                 | 2-15-12 |
| 20. Elaine M. Powell              |    | 5453 Morengo Circle<br>Charlotte, NC 28216      | 2-15-12 |
| 21. CHARLES W. McREE              |    | 1616 Braaten Rd<br>Charlotte, NC 28207          | 2-15-12 |
| 22. JOSEPH PATZ                   |    | 1718 Reveray Lakes Ave<br>Mathews NC 28105      | 2-15-12 |
| 23. Thomas R. Garkes              |    | 3204 KENNY DOORS RD<br>CHARLOTTE, NC 28225      | 2-15-12 |
| 24. Patsy E. Houston              |    | 6548 Tim Kidd Rd<br>Huntersville, NC 28078      | 2-15-12 |
| 25. Jeff Robinson                 |    | 101 Spurger Dr<br>Kings Mill NC 28076           | 2-15-12 |
| 26. <del>Dr</del> Greg Clemmer    |    | 9301 Hinson Dr<br>Mathews NC 28105              | 2/15/12 |
| 27. Suzette Mettrog               |    | 1314 Lilac Rd<br>Charlotte NC 28209             | 2/15/12 |
| 28. John F. Brien                 |    | 3628 AIRCRAFT 28205                             | 2-15-12 |

| Printed Name  | Signature   | Address         | Date    |
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| 29. Chas Horn |  | 101 S. Kings Dr | 2-16-12 |
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