

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY
OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, NAMING THE PARK
LOCATED AT 1900 TO 2300 NORTH 29 AVENUE AS
"CHARLES F. VOLLMAN PARK".

WHEREAS, Subsection 155.14(H) of the City of Hollywood, Code of Ordinances provides for the City Commission approval of naming and renaming of streets and City facilities and for the establishment of application fees and procedures by resolution of the City Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission, by Resolution Number R-2005-89, established Procedures for the Naming and Renaming of Properties, Facilities, Parks, and Memorials; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission, by Resolution Numbers R-2009-037 and R-2012-197, amended the Procedures for the Naming and Renaming of Properties, Facilities, Parks, and Memorials (the Procedures); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Procedures if a proposed naming or renaming is initiated by a City Commissioner and requires a waiver of the Procedures or criteria, the proposed naming or renaming shall be placed on a publically noticed City Commission agenda for consideration; and

WHEREAS, by a 5/7 vote of the City Commission, Commission members voted to waive the procedural requirements for naming/renaming properties, facilities and parks, namely: i) submitting an application to the City Clerk; ii) referring the application to the Naming Committee; iii) Naming Committee's reviewing the application; and

WHEREAS, Charles F. Vollman ("Chuck") was born September 16th, 1933 in Bellevue Hospital Manhattan, NY and raised in Long Beach and Forrest Hills NY; and

WHEREAS, Chuck attended Forrest Hills High School, graduating in 1951 and thereafter attending the University of Miami; and

WHEREAS, Chuck enlisted in the U.S. Army Security Agency in 1952 and was honorably discharged after serving 16 months as a Sergeant in the Korean War; and

WHEREAS, Chuck returned to civilian life and graduated TTI Miami; and

WHEREAS, he subsequently married Betty Jean Sussman on June 3, 1956; and

WHEREAS, that same year, he became a member of the Jewish War Veterans Post 613 and served as Junior and Senior Vice Commanders and was editor of the Post newsletters and delegate to the Jewish National Convention; and

WHEREAS, Chuck reported to Washington, D. C. where he was hired by the Central Intelligence Agency and served tours in: Washington, D.C., the Panama Canal Zone; Lima, Peru; Tehran, Iran; Nicosia, Cyprus; and Athens, Greece; and

WHEREAS, Chuck resigned his position in 1964 from the CIA and returned to the United States to work in the family interior decorating business until 1970 when he was hired by Sears Roebuck and Company as a decorating consultant; and

WHEREAS, during his 22 years of service at Sears he held positions as Regional Trainer, National Trainer and Sales Manager for all the Sears decorating stores in South Florida; and

WHEREAS, after retiring from Sears in 1992, he performed volunteer work and was on several boards for many organizations which included: member of the Sears Retirees, President of the Sears Retirees of South Florida, member of the Sears Retiree Advisory Council, President of the Genealogy Society of Broward County, Co-founder of the Park East Civic Association and was the webmaster for Park East Civic Association; and

WHEREAS, Chuck served as President of the Hollywood Council Civic Association and was inducted into the Broward County Historical Commission of Pioneers; and

WHEREAS, Chuck worked on the Okomo trailer park project and was a founding member of the Patriotic Group of Hollywood; and

WHEREAS, he additionally graduated from the Citizens Police Academy and was a member of the community Emergency Response Team; and

WHEREAS, in 2008, Chuck was honored with the Meritorious Service Award by the Hollywood City Commission and Fire Chief Virgil Fernandez for his service on the Citizens' Emergency Response Team; and

WHEREAS, Chuck became the first recipient of the Hollywood Council of Civic Association's highest award, the Charles F. Vollman Award, on April 2, 2008; and

WHEREAS, throughout his life, Chuck demonstrated a passion for maintaining relationships with local neighbors and government officials alike; and

WHEREAS, Chuck believed in building a strong society where dedication and integrity ensured that all measures, carried out in the name of the community by local

neighbors and government officials, were executed with honor in order to be accepted by all with satisfaction; and

WHEREAS, Chuck passed away on July 18, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission, by a 5/7 vote, approved to exempt itself from the Procedures and name the park located at 1900 to 2300 North 29 Avenue as "Charles F. Vollman Park";

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

Section 1: The City Commission hereby names the park located at 1900 to 2300 North 29 Avenue as "Charles F. Vollman Park".

Section 2: That this resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2015.

PETER BOBER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
for the use and reliance of the City of
Hollywood, Florida, only.

JEFFREY P. SHEFFEL,
CITY ATTORNEY