Minute No. 547
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Item No. 10 **Park Renaming – Lindenwood Drive West Park to Kaitlyn Lawes Park**
(River Heights-Fort Garry Ward)

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Executive Policy Committee and adopted the following:

1. That the Winnipeg Public Service be directed to report back on the renaming of the park located at 605 Lindenwood Drive West, known as Lindenwood Drive West Park, to Kaitlyn Lawes Park.

2. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by His Worship Mayor Bowman,
That the recommendation of the Executive Policy Committee be adopted by consent.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On June 15, 2022, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the Council Motion of May 26, 2022 and submitted the matter to Council.

COUNCIL DECISION:

On May 26, 2022, Council ruled automatic referral of the following motion to the Executive Policy Committee:

Moved by Councillor Orlikow,
Seconded by Councillor Mayes,

WHEREAS the park located at 605 Lindenwood Drive West is currently known as Lindenwood Drive West Park;

AND WHEREAS Kaitlyn Lawes was the long time third for the Jennifer Jones curling team and helped win a gold medal at the 2014 Winter Olympics and capture a World Women's Curling Championship in 2018;

AND WHEREAS Kaitlyn also won a gold medal in the mixed doubles event at the 2018 Winter Olympics;

AND WHEREAS Kaitlyn is the first Canadian curler to win gold in two consecutive Olympics;

AND WHEREAS the City has named parks after team skip Jennifer Jones and second Jill Officer.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY (continued):

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION (continued):

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

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