

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2008-113**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

February 26, 2008

### **NAMING OF THE ROBERT T. MATSUI WATERFRONT PARK AND ROBERT T. MATSUI GALLERY**

#### **BACKGROUND**

- A. The City Council wishes to recognize and honor the contributions of the late City Councilman and Congressman Robert T. Matsui.
- B. Mr. Matsui had a long, successful career representing the City of Sacramento and the Sacramento region at the local and federal levels with over 34 years of public service.
- C. Mr. Matsui was the first, and as yet only, Sacramento City Councilmember ever elected to Congress from Sacramento.
- D. During his career in Congress, Mr. Matsui became a champion of flood protection and the development of water resources for the Sacramento region.
- E. During his career in Congress and throughout his life, Mr. Matsui was a fervent supporter of the arts, serving on the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.
- F. Mr. Matsui's first elected office was on the Sacramento City Council and it is appropriate to recognize him by naming of certain city facilities in his honor.

#### **BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- Section 1. Jibboom Street Park and the Sacramento River Intake Facility shall be named the "Robert T. Matsui Waterfront Park".
- Section 2. The art gallery in the north foyer of City Hall shall be named the "Robert T. Matsui Gallery".

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on February 26, 2008 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy, Tretheway, Waters, and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.

  
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Mayor Heather Fargo

Attest:

  
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Shirley Concolino, City Clerk