

**MEETING AGENDA**  
**CITY OF LOS ANGELES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS**  
**FACILITY REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE COMMISSION TASK FORCE**

Thursday, February 2, 2023 at 8:30 a.m.

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1. CALL TO ORDER
  
2. CURRENT BUSINESS
  - A. El Sereno Arroyo Playground – Grifols Recognition Plaque  
Discussion of Proposed Plaque Installation

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments by the Public on Matters within Task Force Jurisdiction.

4. NEXT MEETING

The next Facility Repair and Maintenance Commission Task Force Meeting is tentatively scheduled telephonically through Zoom for February 16, 2023 at 8:30 a.m..

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5. ADJOURNMENT

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CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
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FACILITY REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE COMMISSION TASK FORCE BRIEFING  
February 2, 2023

Project Name: El Sereno Arroyo Playground Recognition Plaque

Requested Action: Approval to install a recognition plaque at El Sereno Arroyo Playground.

Summary:

El Sereno Arroyo Playground (5520 Concord Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90032) is located in the El Sereno neighborhood of Los Angeles, in Council District 14. It is an existing park built in 2012 in partnership with Trust for Public Land (a national nonprofit that creates parks and protects land for people), Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks, Los Angeles Council Office 14, and the community. Since opening, the park has hosted a robust community stewardship group, the El Sereno Arroyo Playground Vecinos (“Vecinos”), who raise up issues for resolution, fundraise for events, and host an annual community celebration in the park, along with various other stewardship events like mulching and planting days.

The Vecinos and Trust for Public Land would like to install a plaque thanking Grifols, a local company that produces blood plasma-based products, for their long term support of the park. Grifols has been a strong supporter of the park and Vecinos since before the park opened, contributing funds for the original park, donating time and grants to support the Vecinos throughout the years, and more recently providing a financial gift to help replace the park fencing, which has been deteriorating over time. The fence will be replaced as part of a larger project to expand the park into the neighboring vacant lot, which is currently in the pre-design stage.

Trust for Public Land will take the lead on design, fabrication, and installation of the recognition plaque, which would be installed on an existing boulder in the park, near the playground. The plaque would be paid for by private donations to Trust for Public Land.

The existing park has an extensive and healthy tree canopy that provides very comfortable shade during the hot summer; this project does not plan to install additional shade or trees.

Attached is draft language for the recognition plaque; this language has been reviewed by Grifols, the Vecinos, and Trust for Public Land. Also attached is a rough mockup of the location where the plaque would be installed.

**El Sereno Arroyo Playground Recognition Plaque  
Draft Text**

THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS,  
THE TRUST FOR PUBLIC LAND,  
AND THE EL SERENO ARROYO PLAYGROUND VECINOS  
THANK AND ACKNOWLEDGE  
GRIFOLS  
FOR THEIR GENEROUS GIFT IN SUPPORT OF THE  
EL SERENO ARROYO PLAYGROUND.  
2023



**El Sereno Arroyo Playground  
Recognition Plaque Mock-Up (DRAFT - 1/23/2023)**