

REGIONAL TRANSIT ISSUE PAPER

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Subject: Renaming the Glenn Light Rail Station

ISSUE

Whether or not to change the name of the Glenn Light Rail Station to the Glenn/Robert Holderness Light Rail Station.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Adopt Resolution No. 18-07-____, Approving the Renaming of the Glenn Light Rail Station to the Glenn/Robert Holderness Light Rail Station.

FISCAL IMPACT

The new station signs will be funded by the Folsom Chamber of Commerce. SacRT will expend a minor amount of staff time to install the new signs in the Glenn Station. Changes to system wide information will be made at the next update of that information so no extra cost will be incurred.

DISCUSSION

The Folsom City Council took an action at its June 12th Council Meeting requesting that the SacRT Board rename the Glenn Light Rail Station to the Robert G. Holderness Light Rail Station at Glenn. The renaming is in recognition of the dedication and strong leadership provided by Mr. Holderness in supporting public transportation both regionally and in the City of Folsom as well as his pivotal role in bringing light rail to the City of Folsom.

If approved, this would be the second light rail station to be named after a prominent supporter of public transportation in the Sacramento Region. Specifically, the 4th Avenue/Wayne Hultgren station was named after Mr. Hultgren who was instrumental in bringing light rail to Sacramento in the 1980's through his work with the Modern Transit Society.

The SacRT Board adopted Resolution No. 17-06-0087, establishing the criteria for the sale of property naming and corporate sponsorship/naming rights, in that it retains Glenn in the station name as the nearest street intersection to the station. This keeps the public informed of the location, and then places Robert Holderness' name after the area. Board approval is required to append Mr. Holderness' name to the overall station name.

As a part of the renaming, the Folsom Chamber of Commerce will pay for the procurement of new station signs for the Glenn Station. SacRT staff will install the new signs in the station once they are received. All other marketing and informational references to the Glenn Station will be updated over time as this material is updated generally.

In keeping with the previous naming convention consistent with the 4th Avenue/Wayne Hultgren

Approved:

General Manager/CEO

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station, staff recommends that the Board approve the renaming of the Glenn Light Rail Station to Glenn/Robert Holderness Light Rail Station.

RESOLUTION NO. 18-07-_____

Adopted by the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Regional Transit District on this date:

July 23, 2018

**APPROVING THE RENAMING OF THE GLENN LIGHT RAIL STATION TO THE
GLENN/ROBERT HOLDERNESS LIGHT RAIL STATION**

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
SACRAMENTO REGIONAL TRANSIT DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:

THAT, at the request of the Folsom City Council, the Glenn Light Rail Station is renamed the Glenn/Robert Holderness Light Rail Station in recognition of the contributions of Mr. Holderness to public transportation and the extension of Light Rail to the City of Folsom.

PATRICK KENNEDY, Chair

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Cindy Brooks, Assistant Secretary