

**CITY OF LA VISTA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT
JUNE 21, 2022 AGENDA**

Subject:	Type:	Submitted By:
SITE SELECTION – PROPOSED CITY SWIMMING POOL	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	RITA RAMIREZ ASST. CITY ADMINISTRATOR/ DIRECTOR OF COMM. SERVICES

SYNOPSIS

A resolution has been prepared to designate a site for a proposed new city swimming pool.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with the site selection.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval.

BACKGROUND

The City's existing swimming pool is over 60 years old and continues to experience mechanical and structural problems. Discussion has been ongoing regarding replacement of this facility. In 2019 Waters Edge Aquatic Design was engaged to provide planning and design services for a new swimming pool that included, among other things, a conceptual plan for a location in existing Central Park, an online community survey, public engagement efforts, and cost projections.

During this process questions arose as to the feasibility of an alternative location for a new pool west of 84th Street in the general vicinity of the existing pool. At that time the City had engaged with RDG Design to complete a Placemaking and Landscape Design project that included the area west of 84th Street being developed as festival space. RDG was asked to add a concept for the space that included a swimming pool. Additional public meetings were held to present that location as an alternative.

After careful consideration of both locations, staff made a recommendation to Council in March of 2022 that the site west of 84th Street be selected for the location of a new swimming pool. Council took the recommendation under advisement but did not make a decision at that time.

As projects in and around the 84th Street corridor and Central Park continue to move forward, impacting both potential locations, a decision on the site for a new swimming pool is needed.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA, DESIGNATING A LOCATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PROPOSED CITY SWIMMING POOL.

WHEREAS, the City's existing swimming pool is over 60 years old and continues to have mechanical and structural problems; and

WHEREAS, in 2019 Waters Edge Aquatic Design was engaged to provide planning and design services for a new pool that included a conceptual plan for a location in existing Central Park, an online community survey, public engagement efforts, and cost projections; and

WHEREAS, during the course of their work questions arose regarding the feasibility of locating a new pool west of 84th Street in the general vicinity of the existing pool; and

WHEREAS, RDG Design was under contract to design concepts for the potential use of the area in question and were directed to explore a concept that included a swimming pool; and

WHEREAS, after careful consideration, staff recommended that the area west of 84th Street should be the site of a proposed new swimming pool.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of La Vista, Nebraska that the location of a potential new swimming pool shall be west of 84th Street in the area generally known as Kelly Fields.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 21ST DAY OF JUNE 2022.

CITY OF LA VISTA

Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Buethe, MMC
City Clerk