

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-133

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, APPROVING THE PLACEMENT OF A PLAQUE ON MEMORIAL PARKWAY RECOGNIZING GUADALUPE BRISEÑO FOR HER SERVICE TO THE BRIGHTON COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 03-14, establishing a Policy for the naming of public amenities and parks and recreation facilities in the City of Brighton (the “City”), including the procedure for selecting names for recognition on the Memorial Parkway (the “Naming Policy”); and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk has received a petition, submitted pursuant to and in accordance with the Naming Policy, requesting recognition of Guadalupe Briseño for her service to the Brighton Community (the “Petition”); and

WHEREAS, in 1968, Guadalupe Briseño successfully led an eight-month labor strike at the Kitayama floral plant to protest the long working hours, no overtime pay, and miserable working conditions, paving the way for future female activists in a predominately male-led movement; and

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (the “Board”) has reviewed the Petition, and has found and determined that the Petition meets all of the necessary requirements of the Naming Policy; and

WHEREAS, the Board, at a meeting on October 4, 2023, recommended that Guadalupe Briseño be recognized for her service to the City with a plaque on Memorial Parkway.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. A plaque shall be placed on the Memorial Parkway recognizing Guadalupe Briseño for her service to the City.

Section 2. This Resolution is effective as of the date of its adoption.

RESOLVED this 5th day of December 2023.

CITY OF BRIGHTON, COLORADO

GREGORY MILLS, Mayor

ATTEST:

NATALIE HOEL, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

YASMINA GIBBONS, Deputy City Attorney