BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

1. Title: Designates 79.0 acres of park land as Bear Creek Park in Council District 2.

2. Requesting Agency: Parks and Recreation

3. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance

Name:Scott Gilmore

Phone: Email:

4. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance who will present the item at Mayor Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary

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- 5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who's involved
 - a. Scope of Work

The Department of Parks and Recreation should, by policy and in accordance with the City Charter, preserve and protect the park system. As part of this responsibility the department should be designating those parks that currently do not carry that status. It is the desire of the department to systematically work at reducing the number of undesignated park spaces.

b. Duration

n/a

c. Location 3550 S. Raleigh St.

d. Affected Council District

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e. Benefits

Adds 79.0 acres of designated park land. Designation of park land adds a layer of protection that serves to preserve and protect. Once designated, a park, under section 2.4.5 of the City Charter, may not be sold, leased (except for park or recreation purposes), or otherwise encumbered with any property interests, such as an easement, conveyed to a third party unless approved by the voters of the City & County of Denver.

f. Costs

n/a

6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain. $_{No.}^{\rm No}$

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