PARKS, RECREATION & NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES



Park Naming: Plaza in Japantown

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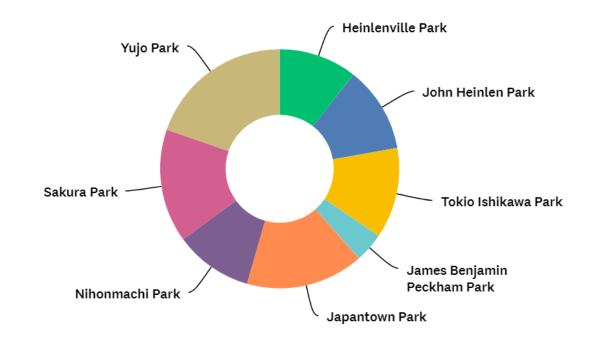
Japantown Park Plaza Location and Characteristics

- 0.75 acre park plaza
- Located mid block along 6th Street between Taylor Street and Jackson Street
- Part of the Japantown Development Project (aka Japantown Corp Yard)



Japantown Park Plaza Parks and Recreation Commission

- Parks and Recreation Commission Hearing
 - Staff Recommendation Heinlenville Park
- Parks and Recreation Commission Discussion
 - Cultural Reference Discussion
 - List of Conforming Name Review
- PRC Recommendation Sakura Park



Japantown Park Plaza City Council Options to Take Action

- Option 1: Approve the recommendation of "Sakura Park"
- Option 2: Adopt "Heinlenville Park" as name for the new facility
- Option 3: Approve Option 1 or 2 and direct staff to work with the community to name an amenity within the park
- Option 4: Select and adopt another qualifying name from the list of names nominated

