

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: 2021-450

Introducer/Sponsor(s): the Transportation, Energy and Utilities Committee:

Date of Introduction: July 27, 2021

Committee(s) of Reference: TEU, R

Date of Analysis: July 28, 2021

Type of Action: Street renaming and *Ordinance Code* waiver

Bill Summary: This bill renames a portion of Arnold Road extending from Lannie Road to Pecan Park Road, in Council District 7, to be the “Gold Star Family Parkway”. The bill also waives Section 745.105 (h), *Ordinance Code* requiring that street name changes be for the entire length of a street, to allow for the new street name for only a portion of the street.

Background Information: The purpose of this legislation is to rename a portion of Arnold Road to be “Gold Star Family Parkway”. Florida Department of Transportation is constructing a new two-lane road which will connect Lannie Road to Arnold Road to allow direct access to the National Cemetery and will be assigned the newly proposed road name of “Gold Star Family Parkway” to honor the families of military personnel. This bill will extend the new name to include Arnold Road extending from Lannie Road to Pecan Park Road, which will affect the address re-assignment of 3 property owners who were notified of the potential change and did not object. The 911 Emergency Addressing Advisory Committee and the Jacksonville Historical Society voted to approve the street renaming.

Policy Impact Area: Street renaming

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey