

# Agenda Report

October 28, 2002

To: City Council  
From: Rose Bowl Operating Company (RBOC)  
Subject: Naming and Dedication of Public Safety Building

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is the recommendation of the RBOC that the Public Safety Building be dedicated and named the "Jim Stivers Public Safety Building."

## **BACKGROUND:**

On October 3, 2002, the RBOC unanimously approved the dedication and naming of the public safety building as the "Jim Stivers Public Safety Building" in recognition of years of service Mr. Stivers has provided to the city, especially to the Rose Bowl.

The public safety building was recently completed as a replacement for the first aid and police trailer that served public safety needs for Rose Bowl events.

Jim Stivers has been an active part of the Rose Bowl for the past 40 years. He has been instrumental related to all improvement projects at the Rose Bowl during that time. Among his many accomplishments at the Rose Bowl, include the building of the Press Box in 1993.

Jim joined the Tournament of Roses in 1957. His primary responsibility is that he is Chairman of the "Streets Committee." The Streets Committee is the committee that oversees all committees related to the Rose Parade. To summarize, he is the individual who is most responsible for running the Rose Parade.

The National Aeronautic & Space Administration awarded Jim the NASA Certificate of Appreciation in June 1997 for 30 years of help by providing in an extremely cooperative and supportive manner for the NASA and Jet Propulsion Laboratory.

Jim is an honorary member of the Pasadena Rotary Club and past honoree of the Pasadena Boys and Girls Club.

Jim was an original member of both the Rose Bowl Operating Company and Pasadena Center Operating Company. He also served as president of the Pasadena Board of Education.

Jim Stivers has also demonstrated an unwavering commitment to the Pasadena Police Department. He has served as the ambassador to the Police Department related to all New Year's activities. The Police have always gone to Jim to seek guidance related to planning and policing efforts related to Pasadena New Year's celebration.

Jim Stivers has been a cherished friend of the Rose Bowl's and Pasadena's for much of the stadium's life.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

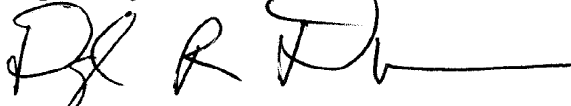
None

Respectfully submitted,



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