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A MOTION recognizing the accomplishments of Olympic Gold Medal winners, Tracie Ruiz and Candy Costie, synchronized swimmers, and renaming the King County Northshore District Swimming Pool the Ruiz/Costie Pool.

WHEREAS, Tracie Ruiz and Candy Costie have distinguished themselves as being the first in the history of the Olympic Games to receive gold medals in the sport of synchronized swimming, and

WHEREAS, they have brought honor and recognition to the United States, the State of Washington, King County, and the City of Bothell through their outstanding accomplishments, and

WHEREAS, the King County council recognizes and highly commends Tracie Ruiz and Candy Costie for their dedication, discipline, sacrifice and hard work, without which their successes would not have been realized, and

WHEREAS, the council wishes to congratulate Charlotte Davis of Bothell, their coach who was also their U.S. Olympic Team Coach, their parents, relatives, friends, and all those who helped them over the past 11 years to become the "best in the world" in their category, and

WHEREAS, Tracie and Candy have captured the imagination and hearts of people throughout the world with their talent, grace, and charm, and

WHEREAS, the King County Northshore District Swimming Pool has been the scene of much of their swimming training and exhibitions promoting the sport, and

WHEREAS, the mayor and city council of Bothell have requested the pool be named the "Ruiz/Costie Pool";

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

The King County council recognizes Olympic Gold Medal winners Tracie Ruiz and Candy Costie for their excellence in synchronized swimming and renames the King County Northshore District Swimming Pool the "RUIZ/COSTIE POOL."

PASSED this 20th day of August, 1984.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Gary Grant
Chairman

ATTEST:

Dorothy M. Owens
Clerk of the Council