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Introduce	d by:_	GREIVE, BARDEN	
Proposed	No.:	85-264	

MOTION NO._

A MOTION related to the King County Parks System; honoring Mel Olson for his outstanding service to the community and renaming White Center Stadium Mel Olson Stadium.

WHEREAS, Mr. Mel Olson moved to the White Center Community in 1918, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Olson has served White Center as the only four time president of the White Center Chamber of Commerce, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Olson organized the first Boys Club in the White Center area, and

WHEREAS, for over 40 years Mr. Olson has been the driving force in the White Center Community behind a variety of public improvements including the reconstruction of the White Center Stadium, the Lake Hicks Rehabilitation Project, the White Center Drainage Project, the renovation of the White Center Fieldhouse, and the Delridge Triangle commemorating local World War II veterans, and

WHEREAS, the public improvements built as a result of Mr. Olson's concern for White Center shall serve the citizens of that area for generations to come;

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

In recognition of his invaluable contributions and unselfish dedication to the community of White Center, the King County Council hereby designates the White Center Stadium as Mel Olson Stadium.

PASSED THIS 20th day of May, 1935.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Thairman

ATTEST:

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