



REPORT TO: VILLAGE PRESIDENT and BOARD OF TRUSTEES
FROM: Administrator Keim with Director Kabrick Parks and Recreation
DATE: September 17, 2020
SUBJECT: Renaming of Sprenger Park

Discussion

Trustee Yost has initiated a conversation with staff regarding the renaming of Sprenger Park in honor of Trooper Gerald Ellis. Trooper Ellis's family lives in the Neuhaven Subdivision in Antioch and is in support of the idea.

As you may remember Trooper Gerald Ellis was killed in a vehicle collision on March 30, 2019. Trooper Ellis was a U.S. Army veteran and had served with the Illinois State Police for 11 years. He was assigned to District 15 in Downers Grove. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, parents, and brother.