

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Jed Petersen, Public Works Director

SUBJECT: John Burch Park Donor Recognition Sign

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, January 20, 2026

Background

Following their annual JBP Supporters meeting, the JBP Board of Directors has formally requested approval to install a donor recognition sign on the south wall of the existing restroom building at John Burch Park. This sign would serve as a permanent legacy wall recognizing donors who have supported improvements and programming at the park.

Two reference images were provided by the JBP Supporters:

- The first showing the existing signage currently mounted on the building, which would be removed.
- The second showing a **conceptual rendering** of the proposed donor recognition sign.

The proposed sign would replace the existing signage with a more permanent, unified, and visually appropriate display consistent with the character of the park and existing facilities.

Key Details

- **Location:** South wall of the existing restroom building at John Burch Park
- **Existing Signs:** To be removed as part of the project
- **New Sign:** Donor recognition / legacy wall
- **Cost to the City:** None
- **Donor:** Gemini has offered to donate the sign
- **Installation:** To be coordinated following approvals, including removal of old signage and installation of the new sign

Recommendation

Staff recommends that Council approve the proposed location of the JBP donor recognition sign on the south wall of the existing restroom building.

Requested Council Action

Motion and approval to allow installation of the donor recognition sign as described.

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**CITY OF CANNON FALLS
GOODHUE COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2858

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF A DONOR RECOGNITION
SIGN AND APPROVAL OF INSTALLATION AT
JOHN BURCH PARK**

WHEREAS, the John Burch Park Supporters Board of Directors has requested approval to install a donor recognition sign on the south wall of the existing restroom building at John Burch Park; and

WHEREAS, Gemini has offered to donate the donor recognition sign at no cost to the City of Cannon Falls.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Cannon Falls approves the installation of a donor recognition sign on the south wall of the existing restroom building at John Burch Park and accepts the donation of the sign from Gemini.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Public Works Director is authorized to coordinate removal of existing signage and installation of the donor recognition sign on behalf of the City of Cannon Falls.

ADOPTED by the City Council of Cannon Falls this 20th day of January, 2026.

CITY OF CANNON FALLS

Matt Montgomery, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Jon Radermacher, City Administrator