RESOLUTION

RENAMING THE COTTAGE AVENUE PLAYGROUND “JUNE CARON PARK”

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Six

RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that the name of the Cottage Avenue playground shall be named “June Caron Park”.

In the late 1950’s the Temple Street playground (now known as the Cottage Ave. playground) consisted of a playground, splash pad, and a half-court basketball court. The park took up the entire area where the old Senior Center building and parking lot is now located.

In the summer of 1964, sixteen-year-old June Caron was employed as the Playground Supervisor along with Don Casper. The supervisors organized activities such as games, arts and crafts, and kept the peace at the playground. Every year there were competitions with the other playgrounds in the city. The Playground Supervisor Program ended in the seventies when the Boys and Girls Club and Girls, Inc. started their own programs.

The park was moved to its current Cottage Avenue location to make space available for the original Senior Center. The park is now scheduled for rehabilitation that will include new playground equipment, tables and benches, a bocce court, and new walkways.

Thank you June for your 41 years of service and loyalty to the City of Nashua and in your honor the City of Nashua hereby renames the Cottage Avenue Playground “June Caron Park”.