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Subject: Recommendation to Rename San Julian Park to "Wendell Blassingame Park"

I am writing on behalf of the Downtown Los Angeles Neighborhood Council's Urban Needs and Resources Committee to recommend a change in the name of San Julian Park. We propose that it be renamed to "Wendell Blassingame Park". This park is located at the corner of San Julian and Fifth Street.

We would like to memorialize Wendell Blassingame and believe that this renaming would better reflect the spirit and identity of the park, while also honoring the local community. "Wendell Blassingame Park" captures the essence of this space.