



Palo Alto Historical Association
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Palo Alto City Council
250 Hamilton Avenue
Palo Alto, CA 94301

Dear Members of the City Council,

Following the City's Naming Policy, the Palo Alto Historical Association has been requested to recommend a name for the new park at the corner of Alma Street and Hawthorne Avenue. Given the significant historic landmark on the property, we recommend "Tower Well Park." When constructed in 1910, the water tower was the first major visible infrastructure of the City's utilities, and is a symbol of the City's successful beginnings and forward thinking leaders. The PAHA board agrees that "Tower Well Park" reflects the historic significance of this site.

For the Palo Alto Historical Association Board,

Darla Secor
Historian, Palo Alto Historical Association