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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek Council approval to name a track at Halswell Quarry Park after John Taylor.

SUMMARY

2. The Rotary Club has requested that the Council name a track at Halswell Quarry after Mr John Taylor.
3. Mr Taylor was one of the driving forces behind the Sister City Garden concept, now based at Halswell Quarry Park. He also took a lead role in the both the Friends of Halswell Quarry and the Friends of Christchurch Botanic Gardens.
4. The Rotary Club is currently upgrading a track at the Park. New board walking and track surfacing have significantly improved this popular track. It is fitting that this track is given John's name. The track goes from the Cashmere Road car park through the valley of the park, past the Seattle and Korean gardens to the internal park road.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Council approve the naming of the Halswell Quarry Track "The John Taylor Track".