

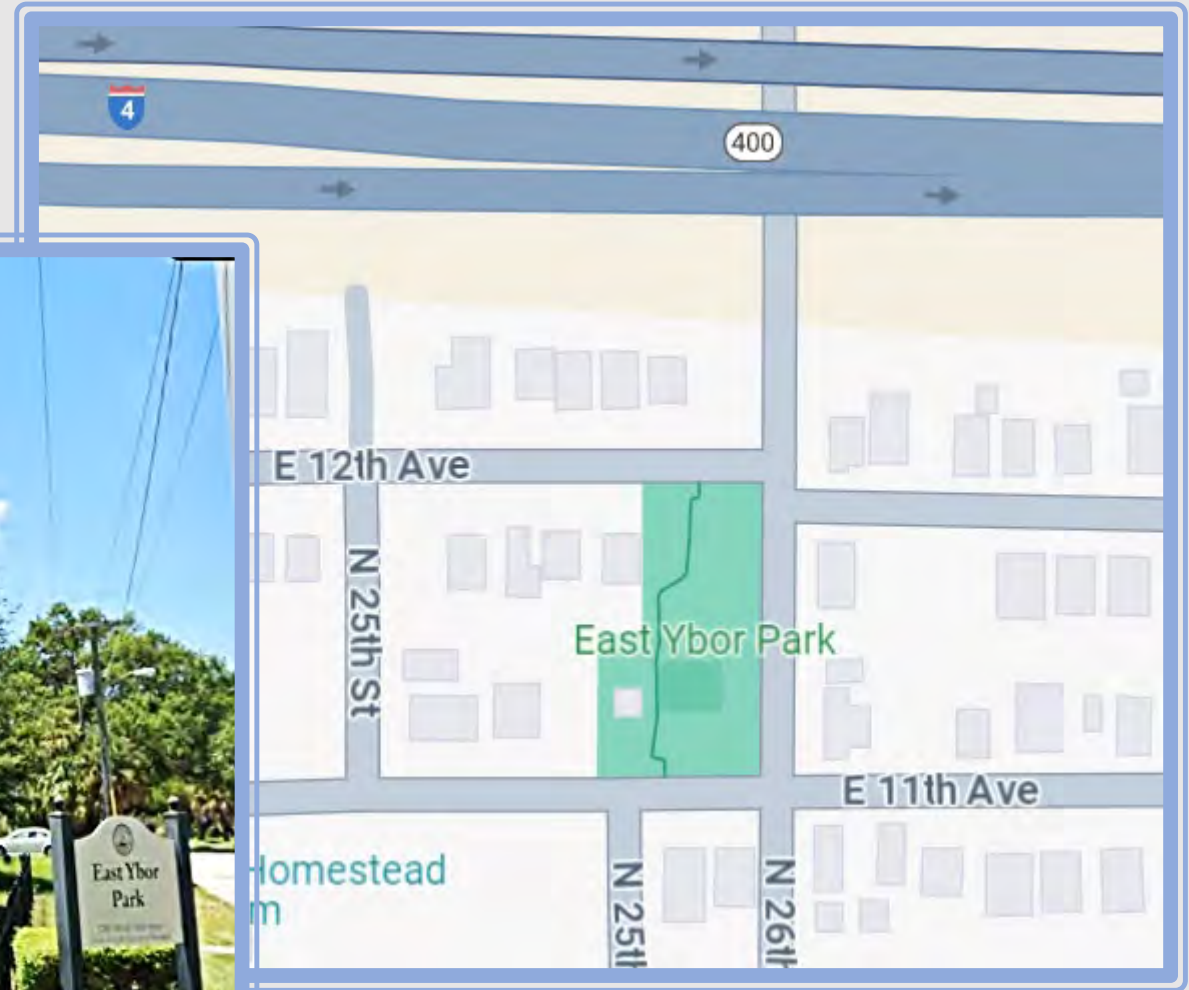
# Costantino Park Honorary Naming

## City Council Motion 23-82934

**That Council be requested to have Parks & Recreation Department rename East Ybor Park to Costantino Park on April 27, 2023 (Citro-Carlson).**

In 1906 the Costantino family arrived from Sicily, one of the first families to reside in East Ybor. Frank Costantino owned and operated the Costantino Family Monument Company which supplied most of the tombstones in Ybor City cemeteries. Frank Costantino is honored and depicted in *The Adamo Mural Public Art Project*. His daughter, Frances Costantino, was instrumental in the expansion of the Ybor City Historic District to protect the historic homes of the cigar workers and early pioneers of Ybor City. Improving the quality of life in East Ybor City has been a priority for the Costantino Family.

The Costantinos' commitment to the East Ybor Community, its history, and protection of its multicultural heritage led to the establishment of the East Ybor Park situated along N. 26<sup>th</sup> Street.



**Parks & Recreation Department recommends renaming East Ybor Park to Costantino Park.**