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Subject: Item #11: Proposal to Name Main Library after Billie Jean King

Dear esteemed Council members,

It has come to my attention that it is proposed to change the name of the Main Library to Billie Jean King Library. Accomplished as this person might be, naming such a grand hall of the works of thousands of thinkers and philosophers after one person would be an absolute disservice to all of them (perhaps even an insult). Such a Library should instead have a name as universal as it's nature. For example, "Ode". An homage to all the authors who's writings have found a home in this library, and to the people of our City who take the time to study and learn there.

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