#### NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING

Pursuant to Section 54954.2 of the Government Code of the State of California, a Regular meeting of the **PARKS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION** is hereby called for:

Date/Time: Thursday, October 5, 2017, 7:00 p.m.

(or as soon thereafter as possible)

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

333 Civic Center Plaza, Tracy

Government Code Section 54954.3 states that every public meeting shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the Commission on any item, before or during consideration of the item, however, no action shall be taken on any item not on the agenda.

#### **MEETING AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Items from the Audience In accordance with <u>Procedures for Preparation, Posting and Distribution of Agendas and the Conduct of Public Meetings</u>, adopted by Resolution 2015-052, any item not on the agenda brought up by the public at a meeting, shall be automatically referred to staff. If staff is not able to resolve the matter satisfactorily, the member of the public may request a Commission Member to sponsor the item for discussion at a future meeting.
- 4. Approval of Minutes: Regular Meeting August 3, 2017
- 5. Old Business
  - a. Discuss/Approve updated Parks and Community Services Commission Goals
- 6. New Business
  - a. Accept and Approve Changes to the 2018 City of Tracy Sports Field Reservation Handbook
  - Discuss/Approve Recommendation to the City Council for Renaming of Sixth Street Plaza
- 7. Items from Staff
  - a. Parks & Recreation Director Report
  - b. Recreation Division Report Report Attached
  - c. Aquatics, Athletics, and Community Facilities Division Report Report Attached
  - d. Public Works Parks Maintenance Division Report Verbal

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- 8. Items from the Commission
- 9. Items from the Audience
- 10. Adjournment to next meeting on November 2, 2017

#### POSTED: September 28, 2017

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# PARKS & COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING MINUTES August 3, 2017

1. CALL TO ORDER: Chair Levoit called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL:

a. Present: Chair Levoit, Commissioners Birk, Gouveia, Jimenez, Saltzman

b. Absent: Commissioner Douglas, Vice Chair Johnson

c. Staff Present: Ed Lovell, Management Analyst II; Craig Bronzan, Special Advisor;

Martin Morozowsky, Public Works Superintendent

d. Recorded By: Sandra Edwards, Executive Assistant

**3. INTRODUCTIONS** – Craig Bronzan introduced himself to the Commission and audience, outlining his duties as a special advisor and provided a history of his experience in parks.

4. ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE: None.

#### 5. APPROVAL OF REGULAR MEETING MINUTES OF June 1, 2017

a. Motion: Commissioner Gouveiab. Second: Commissioner Birk

c. Abstain: None

d. Vote: Approved by unanimous vote

#### 6. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Parks and Community Services Commission Goals
  - i. Support Efficient Policies None.
  - ii. Community Involvement None.
  - iii. Park, Facility, and Sports Field Safety None.

Ed Lovell, Management Analyst II, provided a brief history of why the Parks Commission provided updates on their goals. Lovell added that the City Council has requested that the Parks and Community Services Commission provide an annual report. Chair Levoit stated the goals needed to be looked at and updated. Commissioner Birk stated the Chief of Police has been invited to explain his stance on cameras in parks. Commissioner Jimenez discussed the goal regarding memorandums of understanding and the City taking over them.

#### 7. ITEMS FROM STAFF

a. Parks & Recreation Director's Report – Craig Bronzan stated that at the next City Council meeting there will be a workshop at 5:00 p.m. with the developer and designer of the aquatic center with preliminary designs, based on feedback they have heard from Council, the public, and other stakeholders. The will provide costs and receive direction from Council as to how it might be funded. Mr. Bronzan invited the commissioners to attend.

Commissioner Gouveia asked if there was a cap on the years of service, and if other residents of Tracy, not in Ellis, would be blocked off from access to the swim center. Mr. Bronzan indicated staff will find out definitively, but believes the aquatic center would be

open to all members of the public. Mr. Lovell agreed that the aquatic center would be open to all members of the public.

- a. Recreation Division Report Report was included as part of the agenda packet.
- b. Community Facilities Division Report Report was included as part of the agenda packet. Mr. Lovell added that the pool has extended the swim season at the Joe Wilson Pool and provided copies of upcoming events to the Commission.

Regarding the Community Center renovation, Mr. Lovell stated that the contract has been awarded and additional funds have been allocated for additive items. The additives include a remodel of the kitchen, bathrooms, hall re-flooring, and walls painted.

Commissioner Jimenez added that money has been available for swim lessons from the Park Foundation for children of low income. Commissioner Birk offered that Brighter Christmas has a list of eligible families and possibly those families could be reached contacted. Commissioner Birk also mentioned that the Boys & Girls Club has youth . Ed can market better. Mr. Lovell stated staff could do a better job of marketing available funding for eligible youth.

- c. Public Works Parks Maintenance Division Report Martin Morozowsky provided the following update:
  - Legacy Fields Phase 1C have received 95% plans and they are under review.
  - Several booster pumps have been replaced to help with irrigation in parks.
  - Putting together a RFP for a contractor to maintain parks.
  - The 4<sup>th</sup> of July event was great, but would like to have volunteers clean up.

#### 8. ITEMS FROM THE COMMISSION:

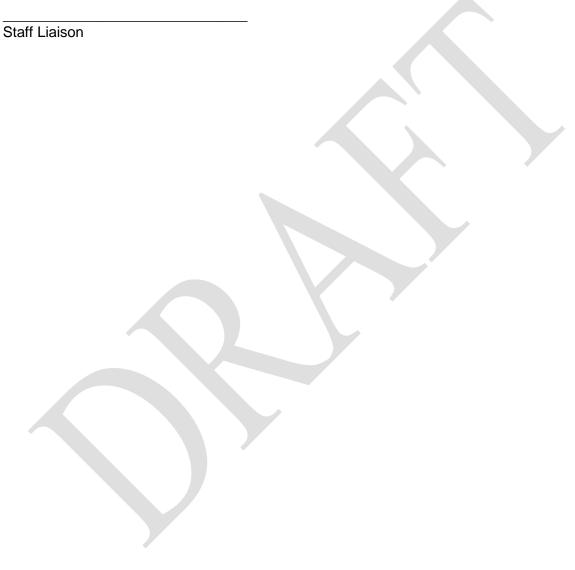
- Commissioner Jimenez stated a resident reported that at Huck Park, the trees were dropping a sticky substance that is getting on the benches and walkways.
- Commissioner Birk reported a faucet in a park that had been running 24 hours and that it was addressed quickly.
- Commissioner Gouveia stated that school starts next Monday, and to please be patient with traffic issues.
- Chair Levoit sent pictures of Joe Wilson Pool where his son attended on June 23, adding that youth may be intimidated with the number homeless people who gather near the bike rack that is far from the entrance. Chair Levoit asked if there is a way to relocate the bike rack.
- Chair Levoit stated he used the Government Outreach application to report a big hole in the grass at Lincoln Park, and showed a picture of an area where people were parking inappropriately.

#### 9. ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE: None.

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#### **10. ADJOURNMENT**:

Gouveia a. Motion: b. Second: Saltzman c. Vote: d. Time: Unanimous 7:37 p.m.



# CITY OF TRACY PARKS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING October 5, 2017

#### **AGENDA ITEM 5.a.**

#### **REQUEST**

#### **APPROVE COMMISSION GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR FY 2017/18**

#### **DISCUSSION**

At the September 7, 2017 regular Parks and Community Services Commission (Parks Commission) meeting, the commission held discussion on their goals for the current fiscal year 2017/2018.

Below are the commission recommended goals for FY 17/18 with suggested dates by which to accomplish the goals:

#### FY17/18 Parks and Community Services Commission Goals

	GOAL	TIMELINE	SUB-COMMITTEE
COMMUNITY OUTREACH	Public Outreach at Farmer's Market twice per year	Each month in conjunction with the City booth	Assignments made each commission meeting
	Public Outreach at Block Party or other events twice per year	As scheduled in conjunction with the City booth	Assignments made each commission meeting
	Hold a Commission Meeting at a park or other public facility twice per year	April - August	All
	Conduct a Senior Center Outreach meeting	November 8, 2017 2pm @ Sr. Center	
	Ensure representation with the following groups:	Annually in July	Parks Foundation Representative:
	<ul><li>Parks &amp; Recreation Foundation</li><li>Tracy Senior Association</li></ul>		Tracy Senior Assoc. Representative:
	Provide monthly reports on the Parks Commission activities to	Monthly	TUSD Representative (Goveia)

	Tracy Unified School District		
PROGRAM ENCHANCEMENT	Research Adopt-a-Park programs and provide recommendations to the Commission	June 2018	
PRO	Research Park Watch programs and provide recommendations to the Commission	June 2018	

In order to successfully complete each of these goals, staff is asking the commissioners to approve the final list and timeline for each of the goals. In addition, staff is recommending that the commissioners form ad-hoc subcommittees to address each of these items by the timeline specified.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund for this item at this time.

#### **RECOMENDATION**

That the Commission approves the commission goals and objectives for FY 2017/18.

# CITY OF TRACY PARKS & COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING October 5, 2017

#### **AGENDA ITEM 6.a.**

#### **REQUEST**

### ACCEPT AND APPROVE CHANGES TO THE 2018 CITY OF TRACY SPORTS FIELD RESERVATION HANDBOOK

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

As part of an ongoing review process, staff has updated the City of Tracy Sports Field Reservation Handbook (Attachment A) for use in the upcoming calendar year and Annual Field Allocation Process. The Parks and Community Services Commission provided initial review and feedback to staff on the current Handbook draft at its September 7 regular meeting, prior to its presentation to the sports field user groups at the annual pre-allocation meetings. The Commission requested that staff return with additional information at its October 5 regular meeting.

#### **DISCUSSION**

The policy authority provided in the Tracy Municipal Code 7.16.030 (a) states that the Parks and Recreation Commission has the power to "establish rules and regulations governing the conduct of recreation programs, protection of property and activities of persons in all parks."

The Sports Field Reservation Handbook establishes the guidelines for staff to allocate City-owned and operated sports fields to applicants on an annual allocation basis. The Handbook designates priority classification groups, in-season priority sports, and the Annual Field Allocation process and schedule, in addition to codifying rules and regulations for sports field rentals.

The Commission initially reviewed the Handbook and provided feedback to staff at its September 7 regular meeting. At that meeting, a representative from one of the sports field user groups addressed the Commission and requested that the Priority Classification system be modified to ensure Tracy residents from non-profit, private and commercial organizations receive scheduling priority over non-residents.

The current Priority Classification system prioritizes non-profit youth, non-profit adults, and then all other private and commercial organizations, as follows:

#### Field Allocation Priority Classification

Field allocations will be established based on the following priority classification groups:

- A. City-sponsored or co-sponsored events and programs, other governmental agencies, including City recreational programs or leagues
- B. Non-profit youth organizations comprised of 80% Tracy Residents
- C. Non-profit youth organization comprised of less than 80% Tracy Residents
- D. Non-profit adult organizations comprised of 80% of Tracy Residents
- E. Non-Profit adult organization comprised of less than 80% Tracy Residents

- F. All other youth organizations. This includes for-profit organizations, tournaments, club teams, clinics and/or camps with individual or team participation fees.
- G. All other adult organizations. This includes for-profit organizations, tournaments, club teams, clinics and/or camps with individual or team participation fees.

A recent survey of nine other local agencies indicated that the majority of those agencies prioritize non-profit and for-profit resident youth and adult leagues over non-resident leagues when allocating sports fields. The consensus of sports field user groups that attended the Pre-Allocation Meetings on September 25 and 26 was in favor of moving forward with resident priority.

Staff recommends amendment of the Priority Classification system as follows:

#### Field Allocation Priority Classification

Field allocations will be established based on the following priority classification groups:

- A. City-sponsored or co-sponsored events and programs, including City recreational programs or leagues
- B. Other governmental agencies
- C. Organizations comprised of at least 80% Tracy residents
  - 1. Youth non-profit
  - 2. Youth commercial
  - 3. Adult non-profit
  - 4. Adult commercial
- D. Organizations comprised of at least 80% Tracy residents
  - 1. Youth non-profit
  - 2. Youth commercial
  - 3. Adult non-profit
  - 4. Adult commercial
- E. General public (private individuals)

"Commercial" use shall be defined as "Any activity conducted in or on a City facility where monies are collected for the specific purpose to financially benefit an individual, business or organization, non-profit corporations excluded." This definition was adopted by the Commission at its October 6, 2005 meeting, and staff recommends continuing with this definition and including it in the 2018 Handbook.

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Parks and Community Services Commission accept and approve changes to the 2018 City of Tracy Sports Field Reservation Handbook.

#### **ATTACHMENT**

Attachment A - Sports Field Reservation Handbook Update: 2018 DRAFT

Prepared by: Christine Mabry, Management Analyst I

Reviewed by: Ed Lovell, Management Analyst II

Reviewed by: Craig Bronzan, Special Advisor, Management Partners, Parks & Recreation

#### **CITY OF TRACY**

## **Sports Field Reservation Handbook**

2018 Allocation Year DRAFT:

To be approved by Parks & Community Services Commission
at its October 5, 2017 regular meeting



Parks & Recreation Department
Community Facilities Division
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#### SPORTS FIELD RESERVATION HANDBOOK

#### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for considering the City of Tracy for your next sporting event, game or practice. The City's Parks & Recreation Department, through its Community Facilities Division, administers the allocation and reservation of City-owned and operated sports fields to non-profit, private and commercial users.

The City of Tracy recognizes the importance of providing safe, well-maintained and aesthetically appealing fields to all users. The policy provided herein reflects this philosophy, as well as the City's desire to provide an outstanding quality of life through park amenities and facilities.

Please carefully review this handbook prior to submitting your request for field usage, and sign the Acknowledgement Form on the last page of the Handbook to signify that you (and/or the representing organization) have read and understood the information and policy herein.

Contact information for the Community Facilities Division is as follows:

Tracy City Hall 333 Civic Center Plaza Tracy, CA 95376

City Hall Business Hours:

Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 6:00 pm Friday\* 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

\*City offices are closed every other Friday. Please call ahead for office availability.

Phone (209) 831-6201 Fax (209) 831-6218

Email sportsfields@cityoftracy.org

City website: www.cityoftracy.org

Reservations website (view schedule only): www.TracyArtsandRec.com

Facility Attendant (Patrol): (209) 640-2733

Facility Attendant (Tracy Sports Complex): (209) 814-0706

Facility Attendant (Legacy Fields): (209) 362-0076

Weather/Field Condition Hotline (updated by 3 pm with changes): (209) 831-6350

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#### **GENERAL RULES/SCHEDULING**

#### **Hours of Use**

- Sports field rental hours: 9:00 am 10:00 pm (may vary based on specific site/facility)
- A minimum one-hour rental is required per field.
- Rentals on City Holidays are contingent upon staff availability.

#### **Allocations & Scheduling**

- Fields are initially allocated during the **Annual Field Allocation Process**. Requests for additional use of fields after the Field Allocation period will be addressed on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Only an Authorized Agent listed on the City's field rental account will be allowed to book fields for their
  affiliated organization. Coaches or other individuals must receive permission in writing from their
  league representative to book fields for the organization, or under the organization's name.
- Fields shall be assigned based on the Field Allocation Priority Classification and the In-Season Priority
  Schedule. If two or more user groups fall equally within the same classification, the City of Tracy will
  consider the following factors when allocating fields: percentage of Tracy residents in the organization,
  size of the organization, number of field hours requested, returning events/ tournaments, and
  performance history.
- Tournaments or events that have been occurring on a specific date or weekend for three years or more will be given priority; the dates and tournament rental request must still be submitted.
- Due to space limitations regarding parking and spectator capacity, softball tournaments and soccer tournaments may not be booked simultaneously.
- The City reserves the right to cancel any event as deemed necessary for the safety of all participants and in the best interest of the sports park.
- All first-come, first-served field reservations and all field prep requests must be submitted and paid for by 12:00 noon on the Tuesday prior to the rental. Schedules for the upcoming week are finalized at this time and no further changes will be made to the schedule.
- Submittal of an application does not guarantee that the rental request has been authorized.

#### **Facility Use Permits**

- **Permitted hours of use must include set-up and clean-up time.** Users may not access field prior to their permitted rental time, and the field must be vacated at the time specified in the Facility Use Permit.
- Field users must have a copy of their Facility Use Permit on hand during each rental and must be prepared to present it to City staff on demand; electronic versions are acceptable. Field users without permits may be asked to vacate the field (see **Rules of Conduct**).
- Permission for activities beyond the scope of normal league play (practices or games) must be requested in writing at least 20 days in advance, and approved activities must be listed on the Facility Use Permit (see **Special Permits & Requests**).
- Use of Plasencia Fields, Legacy Fields, and Tracy Sports Complex is **by permit only**. No drop-in use is permitted.
- The City reserves the right, on a case-by-case basis, to add conditions or modifications to the Facility Use Permit
- The Facility Use Permit includes all approved days and times. Not all requests can be granted. Please check your permit carefully prior to scheduling practices and games.
- Reservations may not be transferred, assigned, or sublet.

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#### GENERAL RULES/SCHEDULING, CONT'D

#### **Field Allocation Priority Classification**

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#### **In-Season Priority Schedule**

Scheduling priority shall be assigned to sports during their traditional, in-season time frames.

UsageJanuary-JuneJuly-DecemberPrimary UserBaseball/Softball/CricketFootball/SoccerSecondary UserFootball/SoccerBaseball/Softball/Cricket

#### Insurance

Insurance must provide protection from claims arising from injuries or damage to other people or property. The following items are requited on the insurance certificate:

- Insured's name is the same as listed on the sports field rental application.
- Minimum of \$1,000,000 General Liability Insurance, and \$2,000,000 Aggregate
- Name the City of Tracy as "Additional Insured"
- If selling items of any kind, a product liability endorsement to the user's general liability is required.
- Certificate Holder: City of Tracy/Community Facilities Division 333 Civic Center Plaza, Tracy, CA 95376

#### **Performance History**

The City reserves the right to limit or revoke field allocations/access based upon an organization's performance history including: compliance with established rules and policies, field conditions after use, unruly behavior of participants and guests, or overdue or outstanding payment. Requests for field allocations will not be considered if unpaid or overdue balances exist on the user's account.

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#### GENERAL RULES/SCHEDULING, CONT'D

#### **Proof of Non-Profit Status**

An organization's non-profit status must be on file and current in order to qualify for a non-profit priority classification. An organization must demonstrate its non-profit status by:

- Being registered as a non- profit business or corporation with the State of California or an acknowledged IRS 501(c) organization, and
- Maintaining good standing (business entity status "Active") with the State of California Secretary of State's office (<a href="www.kepler.sos.ca.gov">www.kepler.sos.ca.gov</a>).

#### **Verification of Tracy Residency**

Residency percentages will be established using rosters from the most current or prior season. Organizations or individuals that do not have rosters from the previous season will initially be assigned to Group C, E, F or G. Rosters must be submitted with the initial field request and must include the head coach's full name, home address, email address, phone number, and each youth participant's full name, home address, and phone number.

#### **Cancellation & Refund Policy**

Any requested cancellations or changes made to the Facility Use Permit must be submitted in writing to the Community Facilities Division.

- Practices/Games: Cancellations made a minimum of 10 days prior to the practice or game will
  receive a full credit of rental fees. Any cancellations requested less than 10 days in advance will not
  receive any credit of fees.
- Tournaments & Camps/Clinics: Cancellations made a minimum of 20 days prior to the start of the tournament/camp/clinic will receive a full credit of rental fees. Any cancellations requested less than 20 business days in advance will not receive any credit of fees.

If an event is cancelled after it has started due to rain or inclement weather conditions, the base rental fee will be pro-rated to the percentage of games played, less 10% of the whole (e.g., if 70% of games were played, 60% of fee base would apply). All maintenance and light charges will apply for the time period that the fields were in use. Credits/refunds will not be issued for unused hours that were not caused by rainouts or inclement weather.

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#### **ANNUAL FIELD ALLOCATION PROCESS**

Each fall, the City of Tracy initiates its annual sports field allocation process for user groups interested in renting fields for the approaching calendar year. Field Allocation Applications can be obtained by contacting the Community Facilities Division at (209) 831-6201, in person at Tracy City Hall, or via email to sportsfields@cityoftracy.org. Submittal of a Field Allocation Application does not guarantee that the rental request(s) has been authorized.

Date	Process		
September 7, 2017	<ul> <li>First review of Handbook revisions by Parks &amp; Community Services</li> </ul>		
,	Commission.		
September 8, 2017	Staff sends email invitation to Field User Group Meeting to current user		
	groups with: Handbook draft, application, and timeline.		
	Information is posted on the City website for new users interested in		
	applying.		
Baseball/Softball/Football:	Field User Group Allocation Meetings		
September 25, 2017	• Field user groups come prepared to discuss their needs, issues and concerns		
	and are encouraged to submit agenda items for discussion.		
Soccer/Cricket/Ultimate:	Meetings topics will also include maintenance updates, policy review, and		
September 26, 2017	field issues.		
October 5, 2017	Final review and approval of Handbook by Parks & Community Services		
	Commission.		
	January-June Allocations		
October 31, 2017	Deadline to submit applications for practices/games, tournaments, and special		
	events (e.g., Opening Day) for January – June allocations. (Late submittals		
	forfeit priority.)		
November 2017	Staff works with user groups to negotiate and adjust schedules.		
	<ul> <li>Staff issues draft field rental schedules and rental fee statements to each</li> </ul>		
user group for January-June permits.			
December 1, 2017 • Staff issues final schedule for permits January-June.			
	Each user group that accepts the schedule and associated fees will receive a		
	Facility Use Permit upon submittal of payment of permit application fee and all		
	field deposits, plus proof of insurance.		
	July-December Allocations		
March 29, 2018	Deadline to submit applications for practices/games, tournaments, and special		
	events (e.g., Opening Day ) for July – December allocations. (Late submittals		
	forfeit priority.)		
April 2018 • Staff works with user groups to negotiate and adjust schedules.			
	Staff issues draft field rental schedules and rental fee statements to each		
	user group for July-December permits.		
May 1, 2018	•Staff issues final schedule for permits July-December.		
	Each user group that accepts the schedule and associated fees will receive a		
	Facility Use Permit upon submittal of payment of permit application fee and		
	field deposits, plus proof of insurance.		

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#### ANNUAL FIELD ALLOCATION PROCESS, CONT'D

#### **Grounds for Denial or Cancellation of Permit**

- Submittal of an application does not guarantee that the rental request has been authorized.
- The City reserves the right to deny an allocation request to accommodate a City-sponsored/cosponsored tournament and/or special event.
- Due to space limitations regarding parking and spectator capacity, softball tournaments and soccer tournaments may not be booked simultaneously.
- A request may be denied, or a permit cancelled, on the grounds that the applicant has previously had a
  Facility Use Permit revoked in the City of Tracy or another jurisdiction for violation of permit conditions,
  or failure to fulfill any use requirement by the established deadline, including, but not limited to, the
  payment of facility fees or extra fees.
- Permits may be cancelled for failure to adhere to policies outlined in the Sports Field Reservation Handbook, as presented herein, or as contained in the Tracy Municipal Code (TMC 4.16.090).
- Applicants have the right to appeal a permit denial or cancellation (see Measures to Ensure Adherence to Policy).

#### **Payments** (see **Sports Field User Fees**)

- Permit Application Fee, Damage Deposit and Bases Deposit (if applicable) are due upon submittal of Facility Rental Application.
- Personal checks will **not** be accepted on behalf of a non-profit, for-profit, or commercial organization. Checks must be issued by the associated organization.
- Tournament payments are due 20 days prior to the tournament start date.
- Lighting, fencing and field prep fees are due no later than 5 business days prior to the scheduled practice, game, or tournament start date.
- The following payment plan options for field rental fees are available:
  - Month-to-Month Payments: Renters also have the option of paying their monthly balance in-person via cash, check or credit.
  - Payment in Full/ Bulk Payment: Renters may pay for their rentals in full, or issue a bulk payment to their account which will be charged against until the balance is exhausted. A field use permit will only be issued for the rentals that the payment balance can cover.
- Organizations approved for a monthly payment plan will find payment plan due dates and monthly totals at the bottom of their facility use permit. Organizations are responsible for ensuring monthly payments are made by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.
- IMPORTANT: Late payments will result in consequences up to and including cancellation of the current permit and/or loss of priority for the following allocation year.

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#### **SPORTS FIELD USER FEES** (Adopted July 6, 2017 and September 21, 2018)

Fees are reviewed annually and updated according to the Master Fee Schedule adopted by the Tracy City Council, effective on or around each July 1.

#### **Application & Special Fees**

Fee	Practice/Game Fees	Tournament Fees	
Permit Application Fee	\$35 per application	\$35 per application	
Damage Deposit*	\$100 per field	\$100 per field	
Deposit for Baseball/Softball Bases*	\$250 per application	\$250 per application	
Fencing Fee	\$112 per field/per day	\$112 per field/per day	
Gate Fee (if charging admission)	\$104 per day	\$104 per day	
On-site Staffing Fee	\$28/hour	\$28/hour	
Vehicle Access Pass	\$10/per vehicle/per season	\$10 per vehicle/per event	
Portapotty Fee**	As billed by vendor	As billed by vendor	
Dumpster Rental/Disposal Fees**	As billed by vendor	As billed by vendor	
Traffic & Parking Control	Actual costs (to be determined	Actual costs (to be determined	
	by Director)	<mark>by Direct</mark> or <mark>)</mark>	

<sup>\*</sup>Damage Deposits and Deposits for Baseball/Softball Bases are refunded at the conclusion of the rental period.

#### **Field Use Fees**

#### Premium Fields (Legacy Fields, Plasencia Fields, Tracy Sports Complex)

User Group	Practice/Game Fees	Light Fee	Tournament Fees	Tournament Light Fee
Non-Profit Youth	\$10/hour	\$8/hour	\$90 per field/per day	\$8 per field/per hour
Non-Profit Adult	\$16/hour	\$11/hour	\$120 per field/per day	\$11 per field/per hour
Private	\$29/hour	\$13/hour	\$232 per field/per day	\$11 per field/per hour
Commercial	\$40/hour	\$20/hour	\$320 per field/per day	\$11 per field/per hour

#### Standard Fields (Clyde Bland, Galli, Tiago, Tracy Ball Park, Veterans)

User Group	Practice/Game Fees	Light Fee	Tournament Fees	Tournament Light Fee
Non-Profit Youth	\$8/hour	\$8/hour	\$72 per field/per day	\$8 per field/per hour
Non-Profit Adult	\$12/hour	\$11/hour	\$108 per field/per day	\$11 per field/per hour
Private	\$23/hour	\$13/hour	\$207 per field/per day	\$11 per field/per hour
Commercial	\$32/hour	\$20/hour	\$288 per field/per day	\$11 per field/per hour

#### **Field Prep Fees**

Light Watering	Light Field Prep	Full Field Prep
\$6 per field	\$16 per field	\$44 per field
• Light watering* of the infield	Dragging infield between lines	Dragging entire field
between the lines	only	<ul> <li>Heavier watering* for dust and to</li> </ul>
	Light Watering*	soften the surface
	Touch up lines as needed	Re-line entire field
		Re-pack holes at batters boxes and
		pitchers plate as needed (time
		permitting)
8 minutes per field, approx.	15 minutes per field	45 minutes per field

<sup>\*</sup>Watering may not be available depending on mandated water restrictions in effect at the time.

<sup>\*\*</sup> May be pro-rated and shared by facility user groups.

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#### **GENERAL FIELD & FACILITY USE POLICIES**

#### **Authorized Agent/League Contact**

An applicant representing an organization renting a City facility is required to provide a letter from the agency or organization specifically authorizing the individual to conduct business with the City of Tracy to reserve a facility on the organization's behalf, and signed by the individual listed on the business license, a titled officer, or designated signatory. The Authorized Agent shall be the single point of contact for City staff.

#### **Bases**

Bases are included in rentals at the Tracy Sports Complex. Bases are available for rentals at Tracy Ball Park and Veterans Park upon request and receipt of Deposit for Baseball/Softball Bases.

#### **Damages**

The renter agrees to reimburse the City for all costs incurred by damages including, but not limited to, the facility, furnishings, fixtures, field turf, additional cleaning required outside of the normal scope for said facility, which occurred in connection with the permitted activity and caused by renter, sponsoring organizations and/or attendees. Clean up of shells from seeds and nuts on fields or in dugouts shall be charged at the Maintenance Worker hourly rate. Reimbursement for such expenses may be deducted from the security deposit.

#### **Equipment Storage**

Items are not permitted to be left or locked to any of the City of Tracy property. The City of Tracy is in no way responsible for storing any items belonging to a renter unless said renter has paid a rental fee for storage space.

#### **Facility Keys**

No organization shall be in possession of City keys. Organizations found to be in possession of unreturned keys will be subject to disciplinary action up to and including permit revocation, effective immediately.

#### Field Lining – Soccer

Access to facilities to line fields must be scheduled in advance with the Community Services Division. *See also:*Subdivision of Fields.

The following conditions have been agreed upon by current soccer user groups for the lining of soccer fields and shall be enforced unless an alternative has been specifically approved in writing by the Director:

- Fields must be lined with approved athletic marking paint only.
  - o Full-size (11v11) fields shall be marked in WHITE paint
- Modified fields shall be contained fully within a standard full-size field and shall be marked in BLUE or another color collectively agreed upon by the soccer user groups All paint dispensers and buckets must be removed from the premises
- Paint shall not be dispensed into the storm drain
- Do not "over line" other prepared lines
- Fields cannot be lined before 3:00 pm on weekdays or when other teams are playing on fields.

#### Field Preparation Requests - Baseball/Softball

Requests to have City staff line and/or prep baseball/softball fields for games or tournaments must be received by 12:00 noon on the Wednesday prior to the reservation. Field maintenance personnel are not available unless previously requested. If field maintenance is requested, ample time must be provided between games for

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servicing of the fields. Staggered start times for games are required to assure that your maintenance needs are met. Participants are not allowed on the fields until all prep work is complete and equipment is removed.

#### **Food & Beverages**

Please limit food and beverages that are brought in from outside at sports facilities. Items that are **not** permitted include: glass containers (TMC 4.16.180(r)), peanuts in shells, sunflower and other seeds in shells. A concessionaire provides food and beverage service at the Tracy Sports Complex, and *no outside food and drink* is permitted at that facility unless specifically designated in writing by City staff.

#### **Field Maintenance**

Field conditions are assessed based on both the short-term (Days/Weeks) and the long term (Months/Seasons) impacts to each field's playability. City staff will determine if the fields are open or closed. An annual rest and renovation of fields is scheduled at the Tracy Sports Complex and Plasencia Fields, and Legacy Fields to maintain field sustainability. The City attempts to be flexible in accommodating user groups, but ultimately, the health and safety of the user and the conditions and playability takes priority. This may require the closure of fields or facilities, denial of use of a field, and/or making alternate sites available for use. No user groups shall use fields that are closed for renovation or repair.

#### **Foot Protection**

Metal cleats are not allowed during softball, baseball, or soccer play at the Tracy Sports Complex, with the exception of men's and women's fast pitch softball. This includes shoes with rounded spikes and detachable football cleats. Sandals, flip-flops, slippers, etc. are not allowed on the playing fields.

#### Garbage

The City of Tracy provides garbage cans and dumpster(s) at most sport field locations. All renters are responsible for cleaning up debris and trash on all fields and common areas following field use. Any trash left behind by the renter will be picked up by City Staff and labor costs will be deducted from the deposit.

#### **Hours of Use**

**Soccer games** may be scheduled Sunday through Saturday from 8:00 am until 10:00 pm. Fields may be accessed at 7:00 am for warm-ups, but games cannot begin until 8:00 am.

**Softball and baseball games** may be scheduled Sunday through Saturday from 9:00 am until 10:00 pm. Fields may be accessed upon completion of field preparations and approval of City staff, but games cannot begin before 9:00 am. Teams and players may not be on the field at any time during field preparations or maintenance.

#### **Notice of Non-Use of Field**

Field users must notify the Community Facilities Division to report any reserved time that can be released for general public use or to other groups. Continued non-use of a rented, permitted field may result in revocation of the permit of the allocated field.

#### **Pets & Leashed Animals**

Animals must be leashed at all times at City parks and sports fields. Animals may not access fields while games are in play. Dogs are subject to regulations of TMC 5.08.130. Owners are responsible for picking up after their animals while on/in parks, parkways, trails or other public areas.

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#### **Rainouts & Inclement Weather**

In the case of active rain, all fields are closed during the time of actual rain; the fields are then reassessed once the rain has ceased. On occasion, on a non-rainy day, staff will determine a field to be closed based on excessive rains during the previous day(s), which have left conditions unsafe for use, even though the rain has stopped. Fields may be closed due to frost or other conditions that may damage the turf or playing surface. Play may be suspended due to excessive heat. Weather/Field Condition Hotline: (209) 831-6350 (typically updated by 3 pm each day)

#### **Subdivision of Fields**

Soccer fields may be subdivided for players ages 12 and under (U12). All requests to subdivide fields must be submitted with the Facility Rental Application, and a diagram of the proposed field subdivision must be included. Staff will review the request and will come to a decision based on the impact of wear and tear of the fields. See also: Field Lining – Soccer.

Soccer user groups have collectively agreed on the following guidelines:

- 9v9 fields must run in the same direction as 11v11 fields
- 7v7 and smaller fields may run in the opposite direction as 11v11 fields

#### **Subleasing of Fields**

When permits are issued, a specific field(s) is reserved for the user, to the exclusion of others. Groups may not assign their scheduled time to other groups. Any such action will result in the loss of rental/allocation privileges. Recognizing this exclusivity, groups should only reserve the fields they intend to use.

#### **Turf Management**

To insure the long-term health of City turf and sports fields, the number of games/hours of use at each facility are limited on a seasonal and weekly basis. Without such limitations, the impact on these facilities can have a negative long-lasting effect on the sports fields.

In order to maintain playable fields, fields are limited to no more than 15 hours of field usage per week. Inseason field closures may occur if staff determines fields have deteriorated due to wear and tear, or in cases of inclement weather, such as rain or frost. In preparation for large tournaments, fields will be closed and not scheduled for use the entire week prior to the tournament.

It is the responsibility of all field users to protect the turf from excessive wear and tear. Users should rotate locations of training and equipment, including but not limited to: ladders, cones, pitching practice, etc. Additionally, users shall not use fences, bleachers or other amenities as targets for practicing or warming up.

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#### **RULES OF CONDUCT**

#### **Alcohol Consumption/ Public Intoxication**

The consumption of alcohol is not allowed in any City sports park or parking lot. As the renter, it is your responsibility to make sure that no alcohol is present during the time of your rental. Those who are witnessed consuming alcohol or who appear to be intoxicated will be asked to leave the premises. The Tracy Police Department may also be notified.

#### **Cooperation with City Staff and Other Field Users**

All teams must engage appropriately with staff and with one another, and not interfere with the use of fields by other user groups. Refusal to comply with City staff instructions may result in a directive to vacate the field. These actions will be documented in the renter's file, and may result in disciplinary action. Police enforcement will be called upon should any individuals or groups engage in verbal or physical violence.

#### **Good Neighbor Policy**

Please arrive quietly and depart in the same manner to avoid disrupting the neighborhood especially after the late games.

Balls and /or any other equipment thrown, batted, kicked, or otherwise propelled that land on private property are not to be retrieved without permission of property owner. Do not climb walls or enter gates to gain access onto private property. For assistance, contact the Facility Attendant.

#### **Inappropriate Behavior**

Any type of indecent exposure including public urination or any other inappropriate exposure will not be tolerated. Vulgarity of any kind including but not limited to foul or offensive language shall not be used during any time of the duration of the rental. The Tracy Police Department will be contacted immediately should individuals become unruly and further enforcement is needed.

#### **Police Enforcement**

If a renter refuses to comply with City Field Rental Policies or follow the request of a City staff member, the Tracy Police Department Dispatch will be notified for assistance. For your own convenience, in the case of an emergency, the Tracy Police Department Dispatch can be reached at (209) 831-4552.

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#### **SPECIAL PERMITS & REQUESTS**

The following items may require approval from multiple City departments and require an advanced written request to process. Upon approval, City staff will add notes and issue a revised copy of your permit.

#### **Audio/Visual Equipment**

The City must be notified via the Tournament Application if the renter wishes to project sound or music from a loud speaker or stereo, have a DJ present at their event, or have lighting/visual media displayed at the event.

#### **Barbecues**

The use of barbecues is permitted at sport tournaments but must be requested in writing and added to the Facility Use Permit for all other park/field rentals. Barbecues must be in an approved designated area at least twenty feet from the nearest tent and supervised at all times to prevent injury to bystanders. Use of barbecues at the Tracy Sports Complex is only permitted in the picnic area located in the northwest corner of the complex.

#### **Concessions & Merchandise Sales**

The sale of items in any City park is prohibited without a permit from the Community Facilities Division. Users interested in selling merchandise items at a City park or facility, or food and beverage at facilities other than the Complex, must request authorization to do so in writing, obtain a permit from the Community Facilities Division, obtain a City of Tracy Business License (TMC 4.16.140), and obtain a product liability endorsement as part of the insurance certificate. Also see **Vendors**.

At the Tracy Sports Complex, a full service concession facility is on the premise with a contracted concessionaire available. The contracted concessionaire has first right of refusal for all events scheduled at the complex. No additional selling of any kind or providing of food and beverages within the Tracy Sports Complex perimeters during a rental or event is permitted without prior written consent of the City as well as a valid business license. A sign will be provided at each entry gate listing these rules:

- NO outside food or drink permitted inside gates.
- ONE ice chest filled with water may be brought into the facility per team. No other ice chests, coolers, or containers permitted.
- NO alcoholic beverages/intoxication or glass containers on site, including in the parking lot.
- NO shelled nuts or seeds of any kind.
- NO warm-ups permitted on the soccer fields.

#### **Facility Electrical Access**

Any and all access to City electrical units must be requested in writing from the Community Facilities Division. Approved access will be noted on the Facility Use Permit.

#### Fencing

If a renter would like to acquire additional fencing from an outside contractor, a written request and a drawn schematic showing the proposed placement of the fencing must be issued to the City for approval no later than 20 days prior to the event. Failure to notify the City of outside fencing services will result in the cancellation of the permit. Additional fencing may not be placed at the baseball/softball diamonds at the Tracy Sports Complex.

#### **Gate Access**

Access to the gated areas at Plasencia Fields and Legacy Fields will be opened 15 minutes prior to permit start time, as a courtesy. Contact the Community Facilities staff for gate access at other times (storage access, etc.).

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#### SPECIAL PERMITS & REQUESTS, CONT'D

#### **Parking & Overnight Policy**

The south parking lot at the Tracy Sports Complex is for emergency vehicle access and use only. Vehicles parked in that area will be towed at the owner's expense. Vehicles parked in City-only parking spots at Tracy Sports Complex will be towed at owner's expense. No person shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle over twenty (20) feet in length in any municipal parking lot, either day or night (TMC 3.08.410). City staff will assist tournament hosts to designate approved parking locations for RVs, campers, school buses, etc.

Unless the Permit expressly allows it, no overnight parking of vehicles in City parking lots is allowed at any time (this includes RVs and other camper vehicles). Individuals or organizations cannot charge or collect revenue for the use of public parking.

#### **Restrooms/ Portable Toilets**

Restrooms are available for use at many of the City of Tracy's rentable parks. Please remind all of your league participants to use the facilities prior to practice or games, as the restrooms are unlocked at the permitted start time. If restrooms are not available, the individual or organization renting the park is responsible for supplying and maintaining portable toilets for participants and attendees. The City of Tracy requires one portable toilet for every 100 attendees; ADA-accessibility required (staff will advise on required ratios).

Contact the Community Facilities Division prior to the delivery of portable toilets to coordinate drop-off with Parks Maintenance staff. Portable toilets must be placed at least 20 feet away from all storm drains and streets, and shall never be situated on top of storm drain inlets or on a public street. Restocking and cleaning the portable toilets will be the renter's responsibility.

#### **Tents and Canopies**

The use of tents and canopies is permitted at sports tournaments. Per the California Fire Code, no more than seven (7) 10' by 10' tents may be placed adjacent to one another.

#### **Vehicle Access**

No vehicles may be driven on sports fields or parks without a City-issued Vehicle Access Permit, including golf cart or mule-type vehicles. A request must be submitted in writing to the Community Facilities Division, and upon payment of per-vehicle fee and staff approval, specific conditions of vehicle access will be added to your permit. Additionally, it is unlawful to ride or drive any horse or other animal or any motorized vehicle, cycle, go-cart or scooter other than on the roads or drives provided for such purpose (TMC 4.16.180(I)).

#### Vendors

If you would like to host a vendor(s) during your rental, submit a written request to the Community Facilities Division. Each vendor must be in possession of a business license and insurance. Tent and canopy policy applies. Also see **Concessions & Merchandise Sales**.

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#### **ADDITIONAL TOURNAMENT & SPECIAL EVENT REQUIREMENTS**

In addition to General Field Use Policies, Rules of Conduct, and Special Permits & Requests, the following requirements must be adhered to for tournaments.

#### **Admission Charges**

Organizations must indicate on their application their intent to charge admission (additional Gate Fee applies). Failure to receive approval from the City to charge admissions will result in the cancellation of the Facility Use Permit, and/or rental penalties. Because Plasencia Fields and the Tracy Sports Complex are public facilities, only participants and spectators can be asked to pay. Individuals using the parks for exercise or access to other areas may not be forced to pay.

Tournament permit holders at the Tracy Sports Complex ball fields are required to enforce the rules and regulations by posting an organization representative at each entry gate. Should representatives not be provided, the City shall assign City staff and charge the permit holder accordingly. See also: Concessions and Merchandise Sales.

#### Field Schedule & Use

When scheduling softball events at the Tracy Sports Complex, as the number of fields being used is reduced, the schedule shall ensure that the first field to be vacated will be Diamond No. 4, and the second field vacated will be Diamond No. 3. Within the Tracy Sports Complex, the soccer fields are not available for softball warm-up. Likewise, the softball fields are not available for soccer warm-up.

#### First Aid/Medical Station

All tournaments are required to have a minimum of one first aid station(s) at each site with first aid supplies and certified medical person(s). The number of first aid staff you need depends on the tournament and the number of participants. If you do not have volunteers for this, you may hire EMS event support.

#### Garbage

Any event hosting twenty-four (24) or more teams will be required to pay for an additional dumpster to be placed at the Tracy Sports Complex. Recycling containers are also available through the City by calling the Public Works Department at (209) 831-6300.

#### **Hours of Use**

**Soccer tournaments** may be scheduled Sunday through Saturday from 8:00 am until 10:00 pm. Fields may be accessed at 7:00 am for warm-ups, but games cannot begin until 8:00 am. The last game of a tournament must begin no later than 9:00 pm and gameplay must end by 10:00 pm.

**Softball and baseball tournaments** may be scheduled Sunday through Saturday from 9:00 am until 10:00 pm. Fields may be accessed upon completion of field preparations and approval of City staff, but games cannot begin before 9:00 am. Teams and players may not be on the field at any time during field preparations or maintenance. The last game of a tournament must begin no later than 9:00 pm and gameplay must end by 10:00 pm.

#### Inspection Check-in/ Check-out

Applicant or applicant's designee shall inspect all areas of the facility prior to each day's play, to determine the acceptability of playing conditions for that day. Any problems should be reported immediately to the Facility Attendant on-site. In addition, the applicant is responsible for policing the facility and surrounding area during

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and after use each day to assure the area is kept litter free. The applicant shall forfeit their deposit for any damages or excessive cleanup required.

#### **Meeting Room (Tracy Sports Complex)**

The Sports Complex Meeting Room is located on the east end of the soccer fields. Although the Meeting Room is not included in the rental fee for tournaments, it can be rented separately to be used for purposes such as signins, official's headquarters, or other tournament functions. Tables and chairs can be put in the room upon request, but other furniture located in the room may not be moved. Parking is not permitted on the sidewalk adjacent to the Meeting Room for any reason, including loading and unloading equipment and supplies.

#### **Parking and Traffic Control**

Tournaments hosts must provide adequate traffic and parking control, according to the size of their event, and adhere to all City parking regulations. Parking is permitted in parking stalls on hard surfaces only. Fees shall be assessed for additional parking setup by City staff.

#### **Pets & Leashed Animals**

For participant and visitor safety, animals are <u>not</u> permitted on site during tournaments or special events.

#### **Picnic Area, Tracy Sports Complex**

Tournament hosts are required to patrol and maintain cleanliness at the picnic area at the Tracy Sports Complex, located on the corner of 11<sup>th</sup> Street and Jefferson Parkway.

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#### **MEASURES TO ENSURE ADHERENCE TO POLICY**

The permit holder is responsible for any and all conduct by players, parents, coaches, and visitors, both on and off the field, while on City property.

The principle objective of any disciplinary measures shall be to improve adherence to the policies in this Handbook that allow the City to provide safe, well-maintained and aesthetically appealing fields. The City upholds and maintains a progressive disciplinary policy which may include some or all of the following steps. City staff will duly consider an organization's efforts to correct violations when applying disciplinary measures.

- Verbal warning by Facility Attendant
- Verbal warning by Community Facilities Staff
- Written warning sent to organization and maintained in organization's file
- Suspension of rental privileges for one month
- Loss of priority classification for the remainder of the calendar year
- Suspension of rental privileges for three months
- Loss of priority classification for the upcoming calendar year
- Permanent suspension

Refund of field rental fees shall follow the City's field rental cancellation policy. If a renter and/or organization are found to be utilizing sports fields following the cancellation of their permit, participants will be asked to vacate the fields. Failure to do so will prompt police and further disciplinary action.

Should fields become released due to the violations listed above, user groups shall be notified by email, and fields shall be made available on a first-come, first-served basis following an application period.

#### **Appealing Denial or Cancellation of Permit**

Applicants shall have the right to appeal to the Parks and Community Services Commission a permit denial, permit condition, the Director's refusal to waive the filing deadline, or the Director's decision pertaining to fees or insurance coverage. Notice of appeal shall be filed with the Director stating the grounds for appeal.

The appeal must be filed no later than noon on Thursday, a week preceding the Parks and Community Services Commission meeting, to be placed on the next regular meeting's agenda. Regular meetings of the Parks and Community Services Commission are scheduled on the first Thursday of each month, at 7:00 pm, City Hall Council Chambers. The decision of the Parks and Community Services Commission may be appealed to the City Council which has final authority.

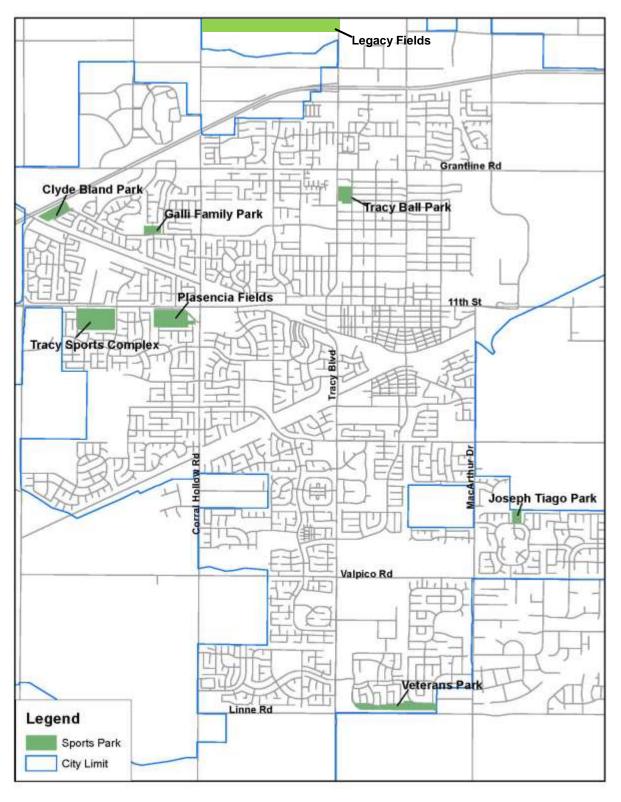
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#### **CITY SPORTS FACILITIES CHART**

FACILITY	DESCRIPTION	BASEBALL/ SOFTBALL	SOCCER	FOOTBALL	BASE DISTANCES	
Clyde Bland Park 1753 Blandford Ln.	<ul><li>1 baseball/ softball diamond</li><li>Soccer turf area</li><li>No lighting available</li></ul>	Yes	Yes	No	60', 65', 70'	
Galli Family Park 2341 W. Lowell Ave.	<ul><li>1 baseball/ softball diamond</li><li>No lighting available</li></ul>	Yes	Yes	No	60', 65' Baseball is limited to ages 12 and under.	
<b>Tiago Park</b> 1355 Eastlake Cir.	2 baseball/ softball diamonds. No lighting available.	Yes	Yes	No	60' Baseball is limited to ages 12 and under.	
Tracy Ball Park 2100 N. Tracy Blvd.	<ul> <li>2 baseball/softball diamonds</li> <li>2 large outfields.</li> <li>Lighting available for ball diamonds.</li> </ul>	Yes	Yes	Yes	North Diamond: 60', 65', 70', 80', 90' South Diamond: 65', 70', 75'	
Veterans Park 238 Glenhaven Dr.	<ul> <li>1 baseball/softball diamond</li> <li>2 open turf areas for soccer</li> <li>Lighting available for ball diamond only</li> </ul>	Yes	Yes	No	60', 65' Baseball is limited to ages 12 and under.	
PREMIER FIELDS						
Legacy Fields 4901 N. Tracy Blvd Use by Permit Only	<ul><li>4 baseball/ softball diamonds</li><li>6 soccer fields</li><li>No lighting available</li></ul>	Yes	Yes	No	60', 65', 70' Baseball is limited to ages 12 and under.	
Tracy Sports Complex 955 Crossroads Dr. Use by Permit Only	<ul> <li>4 baseball/softball diamonds</li> <li>4 soccer fields</li> <li>Lighting available on all fields</li> </ul>	Yes	Yes	No	60', 65', 70' Baseball is limited to ages 12 and under.	
Plasencia Fields 2040 Krohn Road (11 <sup>th</sup> St./Corral Hollow Rd) Use by Permit Only	<ul><li>4 soccer fields</li><li>1 mini soccer field</li><li>Cricket pitch</li><li>No lighting available</li></ul>	No	Yes	No	Not Applicable	

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#### **MAP OF CITY SPORTS FACILITIES**



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## SPORTS FIELD RESERVATION HANDBOOK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

of Tracy, Sports Field Reservation Handbo	nderstood the policies and procedures contained in the City ok, and agree to abide by them. I have retained a copy of the the information contained in the Handbook with the
	f my organization or league, I am responsible for any and all visitors, both on and off the field, while on City property and set forth in this Handbook.
	e right to stop all play, cancel and/or revoke my Facility Use cocedures contained in the Handbook are made by me, a ive(s).
Printed name of facility user	
Signature of facility user	Date
Name of organization	

# CITY OF TRACY PARKS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING October 5, 2017

#### **AGENDA ITEM 6.b**

#### **REQUEST**

CONSIDERATION OF REQUEST TO NAME THE SIXTH STREET PLAZA AS FRONT STREET PLAZA, AND IF APPROVED, MAKE A RECOMMENDATION TO CITY COUNCIL FOR AN ALLOCATION OF \$1,500 FROM THE GENERAL FUND FOR THE DESIGN, FABRICATION AND INSTALLATION OF A BRASS PLAQUE MEASURING NO GREATER THAN 8"X10"

#### BACKGROUND

A recommendation to name the Six Street Plaza the Front Street Plaza has been recommended by the Tracy Historical Museum who will have member(s) present at the meeting to discuss the matter with the Commission.

ParkRecommended NameSixth Street PlazaFront Street Plaza

#### DISCUSSION

All park facilities are named using the Council Park Naming Policy G-13, amended by City Council in December 2000, and again on September 11, 2017. On August 24, 2017, a single application was received by the Parks & Recreation department requesting that the Sixth Street Plaza, located at Sixth Street and Central Avenue, adjacent to the City of Tracy Transit Center, be renamed the Front Street Plaza. The request to rename the plaza is included for your review.

#### FISCAL IMPACT

An allocation of \$1,500 will be needed from the General Fund for the design, fabrication, and installation of a brass plaque measuring no greater than 8"x10".

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends the Parks an Community Services Commission consider the recommendation by the Tracy Historical Museum, and if approved, make a recommendation to City Council approval of the name and to authorize an allocation of \$1,500 from the General Fund for the design, fabrication, and installation of a brass plaque measuring no greater than 8"x10".

Prepared by: Craig Bronzan, Special Advisor, Management Partners
City of Tracy Parks and Recreation Department

Attachment A – Nomination Form



### Tracy Historical Museum

1141 Adam Street, Tracy, CA 95376 P. O. Box 117, Tracy, CA 95378-0117 (209) 832-7278

August 24, 2017

The Honorable Mayor Robert Rickman
Tracy City Council
333 City Center Plaza
Tracy, California 95376

Dear Sirs:

The West Side Pioneer Association/Tracy Historical Museum would like to make a recommendation to the Council and related entities for naming the downtown 6<sup>th</sup> Street area. Our Historic Landmark Committee recently met to consider such recommendations.

Keeping with the historic background of Tracy and the area in question, the committee unanimously decided the name to forward to you should be "Front Street Plaza." Front Street was the originally used name for what is now 6<sup>th</sup> Street, when the street 'fronted' on the rail lines. We feel that is the most appropriate designation for a truly historically part of our city.

Thank you for allowing the WSPA/Tracy Historical Museum to propose an option to this process.

Gratefully submitted,

John McVey

President, West Side Pioneer Association/Tracy Historical Museum

cc: Tracy Arts Council

Parks & Recreation Department

#### RESOLUTION 2017-179

## APPROVING THE AMENDMENT TO THE POLICY FOR NAMING PUBLIC BUILDINGS, PARKS AND FACILITIES

WHEREAS, The City Council directed staff to prepare a report regarding the naming of public buildings, parks and facilities, and

WHEREAS, A detailed report was presented to the City Council on April 6, 2004 for their review and approval, and

WHEREAS, On August 15, 2017, the City Council directed staff to amend the Policy for Naming Public Buildings, Parks and Facilities to address renaming of public buildings that have already been named and whose functions are moved, or which are relocated or reconstructed, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council hereby amends the Policy for Naming Public Buildings, Parks and Facilities to include a requirement that, if a public building that has previously been named is proposed to have its function be moved, or is proposed for relocation, or demolition, or is destroyed through a natural disaster or other act, the City Council shall be provided an opportunity to name the replacement building.

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The foregoing Resolution 2017-179 was passed and adopted by the Tracy City Council on the 19<sup>th</sup> of September 2017, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: DEMENT, RANSOM, YOUNG, VARGAS, RICKMAN

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: NONE COUNCIL MEMBERS: NONE ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS: NONE

**MAYOR** 

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

## CITY OF TRACY PARKS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING October 5, 2017

#### **AGENDA ITEM 7.b.**

#### **RECREATION DIVISION UPDATE**

SENIORS By Jolene Jauregui

For the month of August there were approximately 3,350 repeat seniors that attended the Senior Center. Each week the Senior Center welcomes new participants into our programs. We had 17 new seniors visit and tour the center for the month of August.

During the month of August, the Senior Fitness programs had 1,140 repeat participants. A variety of fitness classes are offered Monday thru Friday. Each class has very little to no impact on the body and is adaptable for every fitness level.

Throughout the month of August, the Senior Center served 425 hot lunches with an additional 32 seniors joining with their own lunches in the Multi-purpose room. In addition, Meals on Wheels delivered meals to 41 homebound seniors in Tracy. Meals are delivered every Tuesday for a 5 day supply.

#### **Highlights for September:**

- On Friday, September 8, in honor of the 30th Dedication Anniversary of the Lolly Hansen Senior Center and National Senior Center Month, the Senior Center hosted a special celebration. The morning kicked off with fitness Instructor Moria Blea leading a power walking session and a pancake breakfast. Three guest speakers spoke on the history of the Senior Center and why they attend various activities at the center. There were over 120 seniors in attendance, as well as, Mayor Robert Rickman, Council Members, Parks & Community Services Commissioners, City Staff and numerous volunteers.
- On Monday, September 11, the Senior Center hosted its annual Ice Cream Social in honor of Grandparents Day. There were 44 seniors and their grandchildren that enjoyed some cold treats and fun activities.
- On Friday, September 22, the Senior Center offered a hands on iPad® training. There were 13 seniors who gained an understanding of how to use their device during this one hour class.

#### **Upcoming events and programs:**

- On Saturday, September 30 & Saturday, October 7, the Senior Center will be hosting the AARP Driving Course. Seniors will learn how to stay safe while driving and upon completion of the two-day course they will receive a discount on their car insurance.
- In partnership with the Lolly Hansen Senior Center, the University of Pacific School of Pharmacy will host a Medicare Health Fair Event on Tuesday, October 24. Seniors and other Medicare beneficiaries will have the opportunity to receive FREE health screenings that include: Flu Shots, Fall Risk Prevention, Diabetes and Bone Density screenings. Seniors can also schedule an appointment to have a comprehensive look at their current medications and/or review their Medicare Part D Plan.
- On Tuesday, October 31, the Senior Center will host its annual Halloween Bash. Seniors are invited to wear their scary or silly costumes for a chance to win a prize. Seniors will enjoy dancing and munching on fun treats.
- 1. 30th Anniversary

2. Ice Cream Social - Grandparents Day





**SPECIAL INTEREST** 

By Jolene Jauregui





Action Gymnastics teaches a variety of classes for students 1 through 8 years of age. On these classes, students will have the opportunity to learn gymnastics skills through safe progressions. Students build strength and self-confidence with the use of music and gymnastics equipment. A total of 38 participants are enrolled for the month of September.

Kidz Love Soccer teaches a variety of classes. Students 2 to 5 years of age are able to learn the basics of dribbling, passing, shooting goals and defense on the field. Other classes that are offered through Kidz Love Soccer are Mommy/Daddy & Me, Soccer 1, Soccer 2 and Tot/Pre-K soccer classes.

#### YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

By Jolene Jauregui

The ASP (After School Program) is a program offered at Louis Bohn, Poet Christian and Wanda Hirsch Schools. The program continues to provide healthy snacks, homework help, recreation games and arts and crafts. For the month of September, sites explored fantasy and fairytales. Students made and ate fairy dough, created fearsome dragon masks and got creative through drawing contests.

#### For the month of August:

Site	Full Time	Daily	Hourly
Bohn	7	0	6
Hirsch	12	1	10
Poet-Christian	10	2	16





SPECIAL EVENTS By Jolene Jauregui

Staff is currently working on the following upcoming events:

- Blues, Brews & BBQ Saturday, October 7, 2017 12pm to 6pm at the Downtown Plaza
- Girls Night Out Witches & Broomsticks Friday, October 20, 2017 6pm to 10pm at the Downtown Plaza

#### S.A.F.E. - STUDENTS ADDING FUN TO EDUCATION

By Jolene Jauregui

SAFE is an after school program located at Williams Middle School. Staff provides many activities for the teens to participate in, such as homework help, arts & craft and recreational activities. SAFE has been very fortunate enough to have its own room to hold the program in. In addition, staff utilizes the gym and outdoor areas to offer other recreation activities. Currently the SAFE program has 50 teens enrolled this school year. For the month of September, staff got creative with a fantasy and fairytale themed month. Students got to explore their imaginations by making edible fairy dough and cardboard castles.





# CITY OF TRACY PARKS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING OCTOBER 5, 2017

#### **AGENDA ITEM 7.c.**

#### **AQUATICS, ATHLETICS, & COMMUNITY FACILITIES DIVISION UPDATES**

#### **OPERATIONAL UPDATES**

by Christine Mabry

The Tracy Community Center construction is on schedule to reopen for an event on October 7, 2017. In addition to all the new or updated amenities, Community Center users will now be provided access to a janitorial closet with a mop sink (formerly the "Lockers" room) and sufficient cleaning supplies for their events.

#### ATHLETICS PROGRAM UPDATES

by Justin Geibig

**Softball Leagues**: The Tracy Adult Softball League is now in its third and final season of the year. This season there are 20 teams registered, with 11 teams in the Men's Division and 9 teams in the Coed League.

**Junior Warriors:** The City of Tracy Parks & Recreation Division is hosting the Junior Warriors Basketball Program open to participants' grades 3<sup>rd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup>. Registration is currently open and we are anticipating at least 200 participants to register. The season will kick off on October 14, 2017, with players participating in the Skills Assessment at Kimball High School.

#### **AQUATICS PROGRAM UPDATES**

by Justin Geibig and Christine Mabry

During the month of August, 2,260 people came to the Joe Wilson Pool for Recreational Swim, Lap Swim, Water Exercise, and Swim Lessons. Recreational swim was offered on Saturdays and Sundays throughout August and had a total of 1,930 participants in attendance and averaged 148 participants on a daily basis, with maximum facility capacity 286.

Highlights for September:

- Friday, September 8 the Joe Wilson Pool hosted its first Dive-In Movie event featuring the
  popular film, "LEGO Batman." There were over 50 participants in attendance who enjoyed
  watching the movie while floating in the pool.
- On September 23-24, the Joe Wilson Pool offered a new SCUBA Open Water Certification Course. There were 3 participants registered who learned the basic techniques of SCUBA diving. The City of Tracy partnered with the company Dive –N-Trips to offer the two-day class.
- September 28 marked the final session of aquatics programming at the Joe Wilson Pool.





#### **SPECIAL EVENTS & MOUS**

by Christine Mabry

#### **Upcoming Special Events:**

- October 6 Kimball High School Homecoming Parade
- October 7
  - o Chest of Hope L.O.V.E. Walk and 5K @ Lincoln Park
  - o TCCA's Antique and Vintage Faire @ 10<sup>th</sup> Street between A & B Streets
  - o City of Tracy's Blues, Brews & BBQ @ Downtown Plaza
- October 11 Millennium HS Homecoming Parade
- October 13 Tracy HS Homecoming Parade
- October 14 Tracy Firefighters Association Pancake Breakfast @ Fire Admin Bldg.
- October 20 City of Tracy's Girls' Night Out "Witches & Broomsticks" @ Downtown Plaza
- October 21 Barktoberfest (Animal Rescue of Tracy) @ Lincoln Park
- October 27 West High School Homecoming Parade
- October 28
  - West HS Cross Country Fun Run
  - Arbor Day Event @ Lincoln Park
  - o TCCA Downtown Tracy Halloween Festivities
  - o Final Farmers' Market of the year
  - Feast of Our Lady of Fatima Procession (7-9 pm)
- October 29 Feast of Our Lady of Fatima Procession 11am-1pm)