

**CITY OF TEMECULA
AGENDA REPORT**

TO: City Manager/City Council

FROM: Erica Russo, Director of Community Services

DATE: May 24, 2022

SUBJECT: Approve Cooperative Agreement with Non-profit Seniors' Golden Years of Temecula Valley in Support of Various Senior Services Activities

PREPARED BY: Yvette Martinez, Community Services Manager

RECOMMENDATION: That the City Council approve a cooperative agreement with non-profit Seniors' Golden Years of Temecula Valley in support of various senior services activities.

BACKGROUND: The City of Temecula incorporated in 1989 with a population of less than 30,000 residents and a senior population of less than 10%. Since then, the City's population has grown over three times that amount to an estimated 110,000 with a senior population of approximately 25%. The City of Temecula recognizes the need to assist in providing services and amenities to enrich quality of life, provide information and education, and support the emotional and physical needs of aging adults within our community.

For the past 29 years, the Mary Phillips Senior Center (MPSC) has grown along with the community by providing hundreds of programs, activities, and services for aging adults and those with special needs. It is the City's goal to provide the commitment and leadership to identify residents' needs, increase access to existing programs, develop tangible solutions, and plan for the future. The facility has become a place to socialize and participate, earning a reputation as "The Place Where Friends Meet".

The Seniors' Golden Years of Temecula Valley (SGY) is a non-profit organization dedicated to the improvement of the lives of Temecula Valley Seniors through social, educational, and nutritional activities. SGY has played an integral part in the City's senior services since the formation of the MPSC in 1989.

The Partnership between the City of Temecula and Senior Golden Years exists to leverage resource opportunities; create, expand, and improve activities and services; and promote senior support. The City of Temecula and Senior Golden Years have worked cooperatively to host various activities for residents of Temecula and surrounding cities. The City will sponsor the use of space at the Mary Phillips Senior Center in order for the non-profit to conduct their services. This partnership will continue through the following:

- **Board Meetings:** The City will sponsor the use of space at the Mary Phillip's Senior Center to conduct the non-profit's monthly board meetings. The Board Meetings are closed to the public and are for members of the board to conduct business.
- **Member Meetings:** The City will sponsor the use of space at the Mary Phillips Senior Center to conduct the non-profit's bi-monthly member meetings. The Member Meetings are open to members of the club or anyone interested in joining. Meetings serve on average 50-60 seniors.
- **Bingo Activity:** The City will sponsor the use of space at the Mary Phillips Senior Center to conduct a Bingo Activity. The activity is open to all seniors ages 55 and over. The non-profit is required to obtain a Charitable Organization Bingo License in order to perform this activity. This activity serves on average 50-75 seniors.
- **Social Activities:** The City will sponsor the use of space at the Mary Phillips Senior Center to hold various social events like Saturday Socials. These activities will be open to all seniors ages 55 and over. These activities serve on average 25-100, people depending on the event.

In order to fulfill the desired outcomes of the Human Services Division to serve seniors and active adults, the City seeks to formalize the cooperative partnership between the City of Temecula and Seniors' Golden Years of Temecula Valley, which is essential in continuing to provide these types of activities to the senior population. This two-year agreement entails the use of in-kind Community Services facility and staff support valued at \$3,000 and \$1,000 respectively. The non-profit Seniors' Golden Years of Temecula Valley shall provide the following benefits and in-kind services for the citizens of Temecula which include City of Temecula logo/name on advertisements, press releases, and all other promotional materials, and coordinate various Senior Social Activities as described above.

FISCAL IMPACT: In-kind Community Services facility and staff support valued at \$3,000 and \$1,000 respectively. Current funding has been allocated in the FY 2021-22 TCSD Budget. Funding for the balance of the term will be requested as part of the Annual Operating Budget process.

ATTACHMENTS: Cooperative Agreement