

**TEMECULA COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION
AGENDA REPORT**

TO: Community Services Commission

FROM: Kevin Hawkins, Director of Community Services

DATE: November 4, 2019

SUBJECT: Temecula Valley In-Line Hockey Association Update

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RECOMMENDATION: That the Community Services Commission receive and file this status update regarding sports league criteria and the Temecula Valley Inline Hockey Association.

BACKGROUND: In 2016, TCSD Director Kevin Hawkins asked staff to insure that all youth sports leagues comply with the criteria to be a recognized league, and that such requirements are applied consistently. These criteria were developed in order to reflect the revenue generated by Special Tax Measure C, which is levied on all resident households. In November of 2016, staff discussed with the Temecula Valley Inline Hockey Association (TVIHA) the sports criteria and option of becoming a rental group. TVIHA elected to become a rental group in January 2017 based upon its inability to meet the recognized youth league sports criteria as well as wanting the option to host tournaments, continue to have competitive teams, and to have an adult league.

Beginning in February 2017, TVIHA has been billed for their rink usage as follows:

- Practices only are billed at the discounted local youth non-profit rate of \$0 per hour without lights and \$5 per hour with lights
- Game nights, which take place nine of the twelve months in year (September-November and January-June), are billed at the non-resident rental rate of \$14 per hour without lights and \$24 per hour with lights

Prior to February 2017, TVIHA was paying the local youth non-profit rate for all rink usage, including games. The adjustment made in February 2017 occurred consistent with the group's decision to maintain the flexibility associated with rental status. However, as a courtesy, the City continued to bill the lower rate for all practice hours. Another adjustment made in the billing process to transition from a \$10 non-resident fee for each non-resident player to a flat \$30 non-resident fee per team, per season, which provided additional saving to the organization.

ATTACHMENT: City Requirement for Recognition of Youth Athletic Leagues (Administrative Guideline)