

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Parks and Recreation *man*

BOARD AGENDA # *B-3b

Urgent Routine

AGENDA DATE May 5, 2009

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO
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(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

SUBJECT:

Approval for the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County to Have Exclusive Use of the Kiwanis Camp from May 15, 2009 to May 17, 2009 for their 4-H Primary Camp

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1) Approve request from the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County to have exclusive use of the Kiwanis Camp from Friday, May 15, 2009, beginning at 8:00 a.m. to Sunday, May 17, 2009, ending at 5:00 p.m. for their 4-H Primary Camp.
- 2) Direct the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County to adhere to the requirements set forth by the Department of Parks and Recreation.
- 3) Approve the waiver of fees for exclusive use and reservation of the Kiwanis Camp.

FISCAL IMPACT:

If approved, \$100 in exclusive use and reservations fees will be waived for the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County for their 4-H Primary Camp.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2009-292

On motion of Supervisor Monteith, Seconded by Supervisor Chiesa

and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Chiesa, Grover, Monteith, and Chairman DeMartini

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) X Approved as recommended

2) _____ Denied

3) _____ Approved as amended

4) _____ Other:

MOTION:

Christine Ferraro

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

File No.

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DISCUSSION

A request has been received from the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County to have exclusive use of the Kiwanis Camp from Friday, May 15, 2009, beginning at 8:00 a.m. to Sunday, May 17, 2009, ending at 5:00 p.m. for their 4-H Primary Camp.

The 50-acre Kiwanis Camp is one of the eleven sites of the La Grange Regional Park and is located near the town of La Grange, south of Basso Bridge, east of Lake Road, and across the street from the Basso Bridge Fishing Access Area. The Camp was established in 1980 by the Kiwanis Club of Greater Modesto and is located adjacent to remnants of the historic gold dredge camp and the Joe Domecq Wildlife Area.

The La Grange Regional Park is the County's most diverse park with over 700 acres located at eleven sites in the La Grange Area, including six sites with historic significance, 225 acres of river bottom along the Tuolumne River, Joe Domecq Wilderness Area, the Off Highway Vehicle Recreation Area and the La Grange Gold Dredge Area.

4-H is a community of six million young people across America learning leadership, citizenship and life skills. The 4-H community also includes 3,500 staff, 518,000 volunteers and sixty million alumni. 4-H'ers participate in fun, hands-on learning activities, supported by the latest research of land-grant universities that are focused on science, engineering, technology, healthy living, and citizenship.

The Department of Parks and Recreation does not have any objections to this request for exclusive use and as such necessitates the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County to adhere to the following requirements:

- On or by Wednesday, May 13, 2009, no later than 5:00 p.m. require 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County, to provide the Department of Parks and Recreation a Certificate of Insurance with a minimum general liability of \$1 million and endorsement naming Stanislaus County as an additional insured.
- A Hold Harmless (Organization) is required. The original agreement must be completed and returned by Wednesday, May 13, 2009, no later than 5:00 p.m.
- The expected number of participants for this event 100 youth and 50 adults.
- No alcohol may be sold or served during this exclusive use.
- The area is to be left in a clean condition as discussed in the Kiwanis Camp Handbook.

Approval for the 4-H Youth Development Program of Stanislaus County to Have Exclusive Use of the Kiwanis Camp from May 15, 2009 to May 17, 2009 for their 4-H Primary Camp

POLICY ISSUE (S)

The Board should consider whether the approval for this exclusive use request and waiver of fees supports the Board of Supervisors' priority of effective partnerships. The Department of Parks and Recreation strives to establish partnerships with organizations serving youth that provide structured recreational experiences in the community.

STAFFING IMPACT

There are no staffing impacts associated with this item.