

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

DEPT: Parks and Recreation

BOARD AGENDA # *B-12

Urgent

Routine

AGENDA DATE October 21, 2008

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO
(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

SUBJECT:

Approval of the Waiver of Fees for the Use of Frank Raines Recreation Hall as requested by the California Off-Road Vehicle Association for their Annual CORVA Northern Jamboree to be held on Friday, October 24, 2008 through Sunday, October 26, 2008

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1) Approve the request from the California Off-Road Vehicle Association's request for waiver of fees for the use of Frank Raines Recreational Hall beginning Friday, October 24, 2008 to Sunday, October 26, 2008, from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for their Annual CORVA Northern Jamboree.
- 2) Direct the California Off-Road Vehicle Association to adhere to the requirements set forth by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

FISCAL IMPACT:

If approved, \$225.00 for recreational building fees and \$30.00 reservation fees will not be assessed to the California Off-Road Vehicle Association.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2008-721

On motion of Supervisor Grover, Seconded by Supervisor Monteith
and approved by the following vote,

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

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: Mayfield

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) Approved as recommended

2) Denied

3) Approved as amended

4) Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST:


ELIZABETH A. KING, Assistant Clerk

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DISCUSSION:

A request from the California Off-Road Vehicle Association (CORVA) has been received for the use of Frank Raines Recreational Hall for its Annual CORVA Northern Jamboree. The Jamboree is a weekend family event kick-off to the off-road vehicle season. Additionally, this weekend signifies the beginning of the season for most Northern California off highway vehicle users with group volunteers assisting in educating new and beginner riders about Frank Raines trails, litter pickup in campgrounds and natural areas, fence repairs, and trail maintenance issues such as creating natural barriers with downed logs.

CORVA is a varied group of outdoor recreationalists who are active in promoting the positive aspects of vehicular access on public lands. The group is composed of owners of "Green Sticker" vehicles such as ATV's, motorcycles, 3-wheelers, trials bikes, dune buggies, as well as "street legal" 4x4 vehicles, dual sport motorcycles, and baja and desert racers.

CORVA's purposes are to work with land managers for responsible off-highway vehicular access and recreation opportunities while enjoying these opportunities. Efforts toward promotion of responsible off-highway vehicular access focus on membership education regarding rules and regulations, promoting conservation efforts, and trail maintenance projects.

The Department of Parks and Recreation has partnered with CORVA and their annual jamboree for numerous years. This is a first time request for a waiver of fees.

The Department of Parks and Recreation does not have any objections to this request for waiver of fees and necessitates CORVA adheres to the following requirements:

- By Thursday, October 23, 2008, no later than 3:00 p.m., require CORVA, 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 Agreement (Organization) is required. The agreement must be completed and returned by the event date to the Department of Parks and Recreation.
- The expected number of participants including youth is 300.
- No alcohol shall be sold or served at Frank Raines Recreational Hall.
- CORVA volunteers shall work with all other necessary groups, organizations, or other governmental personnel as necessary or requested by the Department to ensure a safe event.

POLICY ISSUE:

The Board should consider whether the approval of the waiver of fees supports the Board of Supervisors' priority of effective partnerships.

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STAFFING IMPACTS:

There are no staffing impacts associated with this item.