

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

DEPT: Parks and Recreation

BOARD AGENDA # *B-3(a)

Urgent

Routine

AGENDA DATE September 28, 2010

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO

(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

SUBJECT:

Approval for the Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, to Have Exclusive Use of the Kiwanis Camp Located Within La Grange Regional Park from October 8, 2010 to October 9, 2010 for their Annual Scout Master Training Program

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Approve the request from the Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, to have exclusive use of Kiwanis Camp located within La Grange Regional Park beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, October 8, 2010, and ending no later than 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 9, 2010, for their Annual Scout Master Training Program.
2. Direct the Boys Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, 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, \$180 in exclusive use and \$10 for the reservation fee will be waived for the Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, for their 2-day and 1-night stay at the Kiwanis Camp.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2010-601

On motion of Supervisor DeMartini, Seconded by Supervisor Chiesa
and approved by the following vote,

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

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.

Approval for the Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, to Have Exclusive Use of the Kiwanis Camp Located Within La Grange Regional Park from October 8, 2010 to October 9, 2010 for their Annual Scout Master Training Program

DISCUSSION:

A request has been received from the Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, to have exclusive use of the Kiwanis Camp beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, October 8, 2010, and ending no later than 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 9, 2010, for their Annual Scout Master Training Program.

The Kiwanis Camp is located within La Grange Regional Park. This location was established in 1980 by the Kiwanis Club of Greater Modesto and is home to remnants of the historic gold dredge camp and adjacent to the Joe Domecq Wildlife Area.

La Grange Regional Park is the County's most diverse park with over 700 acres consisting of eleven sites within the town of La Grange including 225 acres of river bottom along the Tuolumne River, the Joe Domecq Wildlife Area, the off-highway vehicle recreation area, and the La Grange Gold Dredge Area. Of the eleven sites, many hold local historic relevance including the Pioneer Cemetery, Barn and Blacksmith Shop, Gold Dredge and remnants, Jail and Museum, Gas Pump, Refinement House, School House, and Worker Homes.

The Department of Parks and Recreation supports this requests for exclusive use provided that the Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, adheres to the following requirements:

- The Boy Scouts of America, Greater Yosemite Council, shall provide the Department of Parks and Recreation a Certificate of Insurance with a minimum of \$1 million liability coverage and shall provide an accompanying endorsement naming Stanislaus County as an additional insured. The Certificate of Insurance and endorsement shall be provided no later than 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 6, 2010.
- An Organization Hold Harmless Agreement is required. The original must be completed and submitted no later than 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 6, 2010.
- Individual Hold Harmless Agreements for each participant must be completed prior to participating. All original agreements are to be submitted to the Department of Parks and Recreation no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 6, 2010. In unforeseen circumstances determined by the Department, the event organizer for the Greater Yosemite Council may submit the agreements no later than 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 13, 2010.
- No key deposit will be required for this event as a Department volunteer will open the facility and secure the facility for this event.
- The expected number of participants including youth is 40.
- No alcohol may be sold, served, or consumed during this exclusive use event.

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- The Kiwanis Camp shall be left in a clean condition free of litter and debris. Nineteen hours of volunteer service from the group will offset the cost of the waiver of fees. The group will be picking up all stray trash and litter at the Kiwanis Camp and Basso Bridge and Fishing Access. Additionally, the group will be dusting and removing all spiders and webs from the picnic tables located in the Kiwanis Camp.

POLICY ISSUE:

Approval of this agenda item supports the Board of Supervisors' priority of Effective Partnerships by partnering with community based organizations that foster human development through the use of outdoor spaces that provide lifelong learning opportunities while discovering the County's history.

STAFFING IMPACTS:

There are no staffing impacts associated with this item.

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