



AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

MEETING DATE: 5/14/2024

PREPARED BY: Megan Mainer, Director of Parks & Recreation

AGENDA CONTENT: Discussion and possible action to waive fees for the Juneteenth Mass Gatherings permit and authorize use of Bates Park pavilion.

AGENDA ITEM SECTION: Consent Agenda

BUDGETED AMOUNT: NA

FUNDS REQUESTED: TBD

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The Juneteenth Celebration Committee submitted a Mass Gatherings Permit for their annual Juneteenth Celebration scheduled for June 15, 2024, from 11 am – 8:30 pm and requested the City of Angleton waive the fees associated with the Mass Gatherings Permit and authorize use of Bates Park pavilion.

Food will be free for patrons and a DJ and band will be onsite. Music will be played from 5 pm -8:30 pm. The event will consist of about 400-500 people, a fish fry, local vendors, food vendors, moonwalks, fire department participation, and a parade that will commence at 3 pm at Pizza Hut and conclude at Bates Park. However, the community starts arriving at Bates Park at 11 am.

Additionally, the Parks Division has historically provided additional trashcans and trashcan liners for the event and last year City departments were represented.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends City Council waive fees for the Juneteenth Mass Gatherings permit and authorize use of Bates Park pavilion.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move we approve to waive fees for the Juneteenth Mass Gatherings permit and authorize use of Bates Park pavilion.