



## AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

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**MEETING DATE:** 10/20/2025

**PREPARED BY:** Harbria Gardner, Facility Operations Superintendent

**AGENDA CONTENT:** Discussion and possible action to include a Youth category in the Angleton Recreation Center discount structure.

**AGENDA ITEM SECTION:** Regular Agenda

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**BUDGETED AMOUNT:** N/A **FUNDS REQUESTED:** N/A

**FUND:** N/A

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

In response to direction from the Parks & Recreation Board and (ABLC) to explore ways to ensure recreation continues to be accessible to youth, staff are proposing the addition of a Youth Membership Discount to the existing Angleton Recreation Center discount categories. This initiative reinforces the City's commitment to providing affordable and equitable opportunities for children and teens to engage in recreation and wellness activities.

The proposed discount would apply to individuals aged 12 to 17 years old, recognizing that this group includes full-time students who typically lack regular employment or independent income. Their availability to use the facility is also limited to after-school hours, weekends, and school holidays.

Currently, the Recreation Center maintains 23 active monthly individual memberships and 4 annual memberships for youth in the proposed category. While participation remains consistent, staff and community feedback indicate that affordability continues to be a barrier for some youth—particularly following the recent day pass rate increase, which may have limited the frequency of individual youth visits.

To support equitable access and encourage continued participation, staff recommend implementing a Youth Discount that mirrors the structure used for other eligible membership categories, providing a \$10 reduction on monthly memberships and a \$75 reduction on annual memberships. This adjustment helps offset affordability concerns, supports consistent engagement, and aligns with the City's long-term goal of fostering active, healthy lifestyles among local youth.

## Current Individual Membership Packages

| Type                          | Monthly | Annual |
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| Individual Resident (12 & up) | \$35    | \$350  |
| Individual Non-Resident       | \$50    | \$500  |

## Eligible Membership Discounts

- Seniors (60+), Active Military, First Responders, City of Angleton Employees, Brazoria County Employees, Angleton ISD Employees
- **Proposed Addition: Youth (12–17 years old)**
- Monthly: –\$10
- Annual: –\$75

## RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends ABLC discuss and consider the addition of a Youth Category to the Angleton Recreation Center's eligible membership categories.