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DATE: October 15, 2024

TO: City Council

FROM: Steve Williams, Interim City Administrator

RE: Agreement – PG&E Use of Utica Park during Public Safety Power Shutoff

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve an agreement between City of Angels and Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) for Utica Park to be used by PG&E during a Public Safety Power Shutoff Event.

BACKGROUND:

In October of 2019, the City of Angels entered into a five (5) year agreement with PG&E which allowed PG&E to use Utica Park during a Public Safety Power Shutoff event. The 2019 agreement will conclude on October 15, 2024.

DISCUSSION:

Utilities may temporarily turn off power to specific areas to reduce the risk of fires caused by electric infrastructure. This action is called a Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS).

A PSPS Event means the existence of one or more environmental conditions creating extreme fire danger that results in the shutoff of power for public safety. Examples of PSPS Events include red flag warnings issued by the United States National Weather Service, low humidity levels, high winds, and dry vegetation.

During a PSPS Event, PG&E manages the event by setting up temporary customer resource centers in strategic locations through the region of the PSPS.

PG&E has requested access to and use of Utica Park, 1075 Utica Lane, Angels Camp, California, if necessary, during a PSPS event in the Angels Camp area. PG&E will pay a fee of one hundred dollars per day for each use day.

The term of the agreement is for five years beginning October 25, 2024.

The agreement includes a "Restoration" clause which requires PG&E to restore the use area as nearly as possible to pre-use conditions should any damage occur during PG&E use.

This agreement has been reviewed by the City Attorney.



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FINANCIAL IMPACT: None

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Agreement

