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for consideration by the Apex Town Council

Item Type: CONSENT AGENDA

Meeting Date: June 23, 2026

Item Details

Presenter(s): Craig Setzer, Director

Department(s): Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Resources

Requested Motion

Motion to adopt an ordinance amending Section 15-7(h) of the Town of Apex Code of Ordinances to expand eligibility for the annual no-cost rental of parks facilities by nonprofit and civic organizations, consistent with the Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Resources Program and Rental Pricing Policy, effective the date of adoption.

Approval Recommended?

Yes

Item Details

The Town Council approved the new Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Resources Program and Rental Pricing Policy on September 9, 2025, to be effective July 1, 2026. The pricing policy, in accordance with the Town Code of Ordinances, allows nonprofit and civic groups to rent a parks facility at no cost once per year pursuant to standards set forth in subsection (h) of Section 15-7. The current version of subsection (h) applies a narrow scope for which groups qualify - only those with a 501(c)(3) status. This ordinance amendment broadens that scope to match the new Program and Rental Pricing Policy and to reflect actual practice. Examples of non-profits without 501(c)(3) status include: social welfare organizations (501(c)(4)); business leagues (501(c)(6)); and fraternal benefit societies (501(c)(8)).

Attachments

- CN18-A1: Ordinance Amendment - Chapter 15 - Parks and Recreation, Section 15.7 - Rules and Regulations; Illegal Acts - Expand Nonprofit Definition Consistent with Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Resources Program and Rental Pricing Policy

