

REQUEST FOR ACTION CITY COUNCIL

Department Origination:	Finance
Agenda Item:	Accept a \$400 Donation from the Baxter Lions for the 2024 Children's Triathlon
Approval Required:	Simple Majority Vote

BACKGROUND

The Children's Triathlon will be held on August 24, 2024, using Whipple Beach as the focal point for the event. The City of Baxter has received a \$400 check from the Baxter Lions to offset a portion of the cost of the 2024 event.

POLICY

The following is the City of Baxter's policy regarding the acceptance of donations:

- > Minnesota Statue requires all donations to be officially accepted by the City Council.
- Donors will be informed that no conditions or promises of future favorable city action on their behalf may be attached to the gift.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

The \$400 donation will be deposited in the General Fund to offset a portion of the City's cost to host the triathlon.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff recommends acceptance of the \$400 donation toward part of the cost of the triathlon with the city's appreciation.

COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED

Motion to accept the \$400 donation from the Baxter Lions to offset a portion of the costs for the 2024 Children's Triathlon.