



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: June 3, 2021

From: Clay Holstine, City Manager

Subject: Ad-Hoc Subcommittee for Community Events

Background

In the past year Community Events for the most part have come to a halt do to the pandemic. As restrictions are easing there a few items that staff and Councilmembers have identified as potential event, in addition to normal programming such as the Concerts in the Park (commencing in September on Sunday afternoon, Day in the Park on the first Saturday of October).

These include a Vegan Food Truck Festival and a celebration of the new Brisbane Library. Over past 30 years the City has in five year intervals celebrated its incorporation, usually coinciding with the September 12th, 1961 vote to incorporate. While staff resources to develop and oversee events is limited we did want to engage City Council in discussion of potential future events and the timing of these events. It may be that some of these we will need to push off to 2022 or later.

Additionally, the City has approached some event planning in coordination with non-profits including the Brisbane Chamber of Commerce.

As Council can see there are a variety of issues and options. It is recommended that Council appoint two members to work with City staff and develop recommendations for consideration by the Council as a Whole.

Clay Holstine, City Manager