
City Council Regular Meeting

DEPARTMENT: Parks and Recreation
FROM: Jen Basham, Director of Parks and Recreation
MEETING: March 4, 2024

SUBJECT:

Consider approval of the purchase of GPS for golf carts for four years at Hidden Creek Golf Course through Sourcewell cooperative purchasing agreement #122220-CCR with Club Car in the amount of \$180,000 (*Staff Contact: Jen Basham, Director of Parks and Recreation*)

SUMMARY:

Staff is proposing to utilize GPS positioning systems on the golf cart fleet at Hidden Creek Golf Course. This positioning system enhances the golfer experience by adding the following enhancements:

- 10-inch touch screen with hole views and yardages
- Approach views and detailed greens maps
- Food and Beverage ordering and reports
- Targeted advertisements throughout round

The systems will assist the management of the course through:

- Control over golf cart fleet with geo-fencing
- Protect sensitive areas of the course (greens, tees, newly sodded areas)
- Ability to keep the fleet on the cart path on wet days
- Lock down the cart fleet at night
- Speed control in designated areas
- Pace of play management and reporting
- Two-way messaging with golf carts

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends proceeding with the purchase of GPS positioning systems for the golf cart fleet at Hidden Creek Golf Course.

COUNCIL ACTION:

- 1) Approve
- 2) Deny request

PRIOR ACTION/INPUT (Council, Boards, Citizens):

NA

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost for the addition of the GPS system is \$180,000 over the course of four years. Staff anticipates recovering the cost for the additional expense through an update to the cart rental fee on the fee schedule.

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