



STAFF REPORT
7/26/2023

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Maritza Martinez, Public Works Director

SUBJECT: Execution of the Eleventh Amended Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Coachella and Sports Leagues.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Execution of the Eleventh Amended Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Coachella and Sports Leagues.

BACKGROUND:

Since 2007, the City has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the local nonprofit sports leagues for use of park facilities. The MOU identifies the following per league use information pertaining to Bagdoura Park and Rancho Las Flores Park: league season (months of the year available), days of use during the identified league season and area of the park available to the league use during their identified season.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS:

Staff has discussed the following edits to the current Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Sport Leagues:

- Section 2.2 and 2.3 MOU edits
 - o Adjusting both soccer league field access season from November 1 – July 31st to instead reflect use from January 10 – July 31st and September 18 – November 19; maintenance will occur in new proposed schedule between August 1st- September 17 and again November 20 – January 9th. In both scenarios a three month maintenance period is allotted to the City. This altered schedule accommodates Coast Soccer League tournament participation by both soccer leagues and adjusts winter rye overseeding application schedule to occur later in the year, as is the request is the request of the City maintenance staff.

These recommended edits have been discussed with both soccer sports leagues and both soccer sports leagues (CVSL and CYSA-S) have affirmed support of these recommended changes. This item was also presented to the Parks and Recreation Commission on July 18, 2023 and the Commission recommended approval of the Eleventh Amended MOU.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Recommended action will not have a fiscal impact.

Attachments:

MOU Eleventh Amendment (Proposed)