



**STAFF REPORT**  
**6/23/2021**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

**FROM:** Maritza Martinez, Public Works Director

**SUBJECT:** Approve 2021 – 2023 Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Coachella and Desert Recreation District.

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**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve 2021 – 2023 Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Coachella and Desert Recreation District.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

For the past ten years, the Council has approved funding in the amount of \$23,800 for the following Summer Programming: Open Swim Passes (\$6,000), Summer Camp Scholarships (\$10,800), and Movies at the Parks (\$7,000). City Council has approved a Memorandum of Understanding since July 25, 2011, authorizing the partnership between the City of Coachella and Desert Recreation District (DRD), which provides these summer programs.

The collaboration with the DRD through the MOU has provides the DRD use of City parks, Bagdouma Community Center and Bagdouma Pool facilities. The DRD provides recreational programming at city facilities as allowed by this MOU. Some of the ongoing recreational programming offered includes: Hip Hop, Titan Fitness, Beginning Guitar, Beginning Drums, Teen Social Nights, Baile Folklorico, Fit after 50, Dance Play and Pretend Ballet, Beginning Ballet, Basketball Training Zone, Summer Art Scene and an Adult Softball League.

The proposed MOU will be for a two-year term, June 1, 2021 - May 31, 2023, and provides flexibility for DRD to expand programming as the demand is identified. The Parks and Recreation Commission reviewed this item on June 15, 2021 and recommended approval of the item.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The recommended action has no fiscal impact as these funds are currently budgeted.

Attachments:

Proposed MOU