

RESOLUTION NO. 24-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA; AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 03-2-9, ADOPTED ON FEBRUARY 09, 2003; AMENDING THE REQUIRED TIMEFRAME TO REQUEST A PARK PERMIT TO UTILIZE SPORTS FACILITIES WITHIN CITY PARKS; AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR OR DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXTEND THE TIMEFRAME TO REQUEST A PARK PERMIT FOR SPORTS FACILITIES; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, On January 11, 1983, the City Commission of the City of Cooper City adopted Resolution No. 83-1-2, establishing a policy for the use of sports facilities owned, leased, or maintained by the City of Cooper City (the "City"); and

WHEREAS, On February 25, 2003, the City Commission adopted Resolution No. 03-2-9, revising the policy for the use of sports facilities owned, leased, or maintained by the City; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 03-2-9 provides in part that all requests by an individual or group for a park permit shall be made to the City's Director of Parks and Recreation at least seven (7) days, but not more than fifteen (15) days, prior to the event; and

WHEREAS, Section 12-46(B) of the City's Code of Ordinances, entitled "Application procedure" provides that applications for use of sports facilities shall be governed by the provisions of Resolution No. 03-2-9, as same may be amended from time to time; and

WHEREAS, residents intending to apply for a park permit to utilize sports facilities within City parks have expressed a desire to be submit permit requests well ahead of the presently-required fifteen (15) day timeframe; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that eliminating the requirement that park permit applications for the use of a sporting facility be submitted within seven (7) days prior to the use of the facility, expanding the maximum amount of days that a park permit application to utilize a sporting facility may be submitted to ninety (90) days, and authorizing the Parks and Recreation Director to extend the timeframe for which a permit application may be submitted is in the best interest of the citizens and residents of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA:

Section 1: **Recitals Adopted.** That each of the above stated recitals is hereby adopted and confirmed. All exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

Section 2: Resolution Amended. That Section 1D of Resolution No. 03-2-9, dated February 25, 2003, is hereby amended by deleting therefrom the words and phrases which are struck through and adding thereto the words and phrases which are underscored:

All requests by an individual or group for a park permit shall be made to the City's designee ~~at least seven (7) days, but no more than fifteen (15)~~ ninety (90) days, prior to the event. The City's designee may waive the application timeframe requirement provided by this Section on a case-by-case basis. Any and all outstanding invoices or fees due for prior park permits shall be paid in full by the applicant prior to the issuance of additional park permits.

Section 3. **Conflicts.** All resolutions inconsistent or in conflict herewith shall be and are hereby repealed insofar as there is conflict or inconsistency.

Section 4. **Severability.** If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Resolution is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, then said holding shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this resolution.

Section 5. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective upon its passage and adoption by the City Commission.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this _____ day of _____, 2024.

MAYOR GREG ROSS

ATTEST:

TEDRA ALLEN, MMC

Approved as to Legal Form:

JACOB G. HOROWITZ
City Attorney

ROLL CALL
Mayor Ross _____
Commissioner Green _____
Commissioner Shrouder _____
Commissioner Katzman _____
Commissioner Mallozzi _____