

STAFF REPORT

City of Dripping Springs

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Submitted By: Tina Adams, Dripping Springs Ranch Park Event Manager

Council Meeting Date: 12.2.2020

Agenda Item Wording: Discuss and consider possible action on city facility closure based on Public

Health Emergency.

Agenda Item Requestor: Bill Foulds, Jr., Mayor

Summary/Background:

In consideration of rising COVID-19 cases in Hays County, CODS staff reviewed all the upcoming events scheduled at the Dripping Springs Ranch Park. The staff members participating in the discussion were Mayor-Bill Foulds, Emergency Management Coordinator-Roman Baligad, City Administrator-Michelle Fischer, Parks & Community Services Director-Kelly Schmidt, City Attorney-Laura Mueller and DSRP Event Center Manager-Tina Adams. After review and collaboration, recommendations were made as follows:

- 1. Move forward with the event
- 2. Move forward with the event, but with the recommendations of staff
- 3. Cancel the event
- 4. Develop basic criteria for when events would be cancelled or changed, but allow for flexibility.

Please reference the attached Spreadsheet

Commission Recommendations:

Recommended Council Actions: Provide direction on Event Cancellations and Criteria for facility use during the Public Health Emergency.

Attachments:	Events Schedule.	Suggested Criteria.
Next Steps/Schedule:		