

TOWN OF JEROME

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT

To: The Honorable Mayor and Council

From: Jerome Fire Department Auxiliary

Date: 5/9/2023

Meeting Date: 6/13/2023

TITLE: Halloween dance

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Granting permission to permanently use the basketball court for the annual Halloween Dance.

DISCUSSION:

The Jerome Fire Department Auxiliary would like to permanently reserve the basketball court annually for its Halloween dance in lieu of coming before the Council every year. We have been using it for the past two years. The results have been positive with the auxiliary getting great feedback from those that attend, as well as an increase in proceeds benefiting the Fire Department. These proceeds have allowed the auxiliary to be able to support the fire department with needed and necessary equipment. The basketball court allows for a better controlled environment for both security and safety of the participants.

Background/History:

The dance is coming up on its 50th year anniversary, making it a big part of Jerome's history. We would like to continue this tradition.

Key Considerations: With permanent usage of the Basketball court each year, it helps to streamline the yearly approval process both for the town and the Fire Department Auxiliary.

Community Benefits and Considerations:

The dance not only helps the auxiliary, but it brings in money to businesses in the town as well.

Financial Implications: None

Options and Alternatives:

The Dance would be moved back in to Spook Hall.

Attachments/Exhibits: