



## AGENDA ACTION FORM

### **Consideration of a Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Sign Agreements with Tri-Cities United Soccer Club**

To: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

From: Chris McCartt, City Manager *CM*

Action Form No.: AF-237-2023

Work Session: July 17, 2023

First Reading: N/A

Final Adoption: July 18, 2023

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#### **Recommendation:**

Approve the Resolution.

#### **Executive Summary:**

If approved the City will enter into agreements with Tri-Cities United Soccer Club (TRIC) for concessions rights and for the use of Eastman Park at Horse Creek. TRIC has worked with the City of Kingsport to organize and operate recreational soccer programs and to provide soccer opportunities within the region. In recent years their primary facility for program operations has been Eastman Park at Horse Creek.

The current TRIC agreement and TRIC Concession Lease is nearing the end of its term and TRIC and staff desire to enter into a new agreement. The new agreement will establish a term of 12 months for the use of Eastman Park at Horse Creek Facilities and establishes concessionaire rights.

Additionally, it creates a framework pursuant to which the parties will engage in good faith efforts to advance the Tribe Sports Initiatives, collaborate on promotion and marketing, and conduct coach's clinics, skills camps, staff assistance and games.

These agreements allow the City of Kingsport to partner with TRIC to provide high quality soccer opportunities for the citizens of Kingsport.

#### **Attachments:**

1. Resolution

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Cooper	—	—	—
Duncan	—	—	—
George	—	—	—
Montgomery	—	—	—
Olterman	—	—	—
Phillips	—	—	—
Shull	—	—	—