



MEDINA, WASHINGTON

AGENDA BILL

Monday, June 8, 2026

<p>Subject/Topic: Park Rules for Tennis Courts</p> <p>Dept. Origin: City Council</p> <p>Category: Consent</p> <p>Prepared by: Jennifer S. Robertson, City Attorney and Ryan Osada, Public Works Director</p> <p>Attachments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ordinance No. 1056 – Amending MMC 12.20.015 to clarify that public tennis courts may only be used for the sport of tennis	<p>Proposed Council Action/Motion:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Information Only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Receive and File</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Discuss</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Provide Direction</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopt/Approve</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other:</p>
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Summary:

Medina Parks contain public tennis courts which are often in high demand, particularly during warmer months. In recent years, there has been increasing use of tennis courts for other sports which results in tennis players being unable to use the courts for their intended purposes. This has kept the tennis courts from being used for their intended purpose. In addition, some of these alternative uses include pickleball which has a louder impact on other people using the parks and on nearby residences which has resulted in the City receiving noise complaints. The Council directed the staff to bring forward legislation that would clarify the allowed use of public tennis courts in Medina is limited to tennis. The revised MMC 12.20.015 amends the parks rules applying to clarify that no other sports may be played on public tennis courts in Medina parks.

These proposed Ordinances meet and support Council's priority 5.

Council Priorities:

1. Financial Stability and Accountability
2. Quality Infrastructure
3. Efficient and Effective Government
4. Public Safety and Health
5. Neighborhood Character and Community Building

Attachment(s)

Exhibit 1: Ordinance amending MMC 12.20.015.

Budget/Fiscal Impact: None

Recommendation: Adopt Ordinance to amend MMC 12.20.015.

City Manager Approval: 

Proposed Council Motions:

MOTION: "I move adoption the Ordinance No. 1056, amending section 12.20.015 of the Medina Municipal Code to clarify that tennis courts may not be utilized for other sports; providing for severability and corrections; and establishing an effective date."