

CITY OF NORMAN, OK STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: 09/23/2025

REQUESTER: Karla Sitton, Administrative Tech IV

PRESENTER: Jason Olsen, Director of Parks and Recreation

ITEM TITLE: CONSIDERATION OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, APPROVAL,

ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RECEIPT OF THE NORMAN OPTIMIST CLUB ANNUAL REPORT SUBMITTED TO

THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

BACKGROUND:

The Norman Optimist Club (NOC) is a non-profit organization dedicated to serving the youth of Norman and surrounding areas. NOC was established on February 7, 1974, and offers sports programs to include basketball, fall flag football and fall tackle football, spring volleyball, winter basketball, baseball, softball, fall sideline cheer and summer camps and clinics.

DISCUSSION:

The City has Contract K-1819-70 with the Norman Optimist Club (NOC) to manage the youth softball and baseball programs, the adult softball program and allows use of the fields at Reaves Park. NOC also provides youth basketball and volleyball programs at the Young Family Athletic Center (YFAC). NOC gave its annual presentation to the Board of Park Commissioners on June 5, 2025. Their presentation included information about their events, programming, rentals, and 2023-2024 financials.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council accept the Norman Optimist Club's (NOC) annual report for the 2024 calendar year.