Parks and Recreation Fee Schedule Plan

Continuation of 5-Year Graduated Cost Recovery Plan to Address Mandatory Minimum Wage Increases

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Summary of Changes to FY20/21 Fee Schedule Adopted by Council

- 5-Year Graduated Cost Recovery Plan presented to Council
 - Annual fee increases to keep pace with minimum wage increases each year
- FY20/21 Fee Schedule adopted by Council
 - Fees increased to cover minimum wage increases
- Health & Wellness Division created by combining 2 divisions
- Health & Wellness Pass created for scholarship recipients
 - Combines Senior Activity Pass, Rec Center Pass, and Aquatics Pass
 - Addresses fee increases for most vulnerable citizens by providing access to department's basic recreation services
- Pickleball moved to Open Gym pricing structure
- Senior age increased to 60



Parks and Recreation - Temporary Salaries

Assembly Bill 456: Mandated Minimum Wage Increase

Effective July 1, 2020

\$8.25 minimum wage shall increase
 \$0.75 per year until \$12.00 is reached

Year	Wage
7/1/2019	\$ 8.25
7/1/2020	\$ 9.00
7/1/2021	\$ 9.75
7/1/2022	\$10.50
7/1/2023	\$11.25
7/1/2024	\$12.00



Parks and Recreation - Temporary Salaries

7 pay scale categories -- wage increase impacts all of them

	Rec Specialist 1	Rec Specialist 2	Rec Specialist 3	Rec Specialist 4	Rec Specialist 5	Rec Leader	Sr Rec Leader
2019	\$8.25	\$9.25	\$11.25	\$13.00	\$16.00	\$11.50	\$13.50
2020	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$13.75	\$16.75	\$12.25	\$14.25
2021	\$9.75	\$10.75	\$12.75	\$14.50	\$17.50	\$13.00	\$15.00
2022	\$10.50	\$11.50	\$13.50	\$15.25	\$18.25	\$13.75	\$15.75
2023	\$11.25	\$12.25	\$14.25	\$16.00	\$19.00	\$14.50	\$16.50
2024	\$12.00	\$13.00	\$15.00	\$16.75	\$19.75	\$15.25	\$17.25



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Rec Specialist 1	Rec Specialist 2	Rec Specialist 3	Rec Specialist 4	Rec Specialist 5	Rec Leader	Sr Rec Leader
Activity/Site Attendant	Activity/Site Attendant II	Activity/Site Specialist	Activity Admin Assistant	Sports Official	Rec Leader	Sr Rec Leader
Lifeguard	Sr Lifeguard	Head Lifeguard	Pool Assistant	Rec Spec V		
Swim Instructor	Facility Attendant II	Swim Instructor (Cert)	Aquatics Instructor (Cert)	Adaptive Rec Specialist V		
	Instructor	Facility Specialist	Facility & Events Assistant			
		Inclusion/ Adaptive Spec	Inclusion Coordinator			
			Bus Driver			

Parks and Recreation - Effect of Temporary Salary Increase

Year	FY20/21	FY21/22	FY22/23	FY23/24	FY24/25		
Year 1	\$180,000	\$180,000	\$180,000	\$180,000	\$180,000		

Total Deficit Over 5 Years = \$2,700,000

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Year 1

Annual Deficit

Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Increase

Graduated Fee Increase EXAMPLES

Program	FY19/20	FY20/21	FY21/22	FY22/23	FY23/24	FY24/25
Pool Lane Rental	\$8.75	\$9.00	\$9.25	\$9.50	\$9.75	\$9.75
Softball League	\$575.00	\$575.00	\$580.00	\$580.00	\$585.00	\$595.00
Pools Seniors 60+ Youth 6-17 Adult 18-59	\$2.50 \$4.00 \$6.00	\$2.75 \$4.00 \$6.00	\$3.00 \$4.00 \$6.00	\$3.00 \$4.50 \$6.50	\$3.00 \$4.50 \$6.50	\$3.00 \$5.00 \$7.00
Rec Centers Seniors 60+ Youth 6-17 Adult 18-59	\$1.00 \$4.00 \$6.00	\$1.25 \$4.00 \$6.00	\$2.00 \$4.00 \$6.00	\$2.50 \$4.50 \$6.50	\$3.00 \$4.50 \$6.50	\$3.00 \$5.00 \$7.00
Brunch & a Movie	\$20.00	\$20.50	\$21.00	\$21.50	\$22.00	\$22.50
Sierra Kids – PM Week After School Recreation Program	\$45.00	\$46.50	\$48.00	\$49.50	\$51.00	\$52.50

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Health & Wellness Pass

- For scholarship recipients only
- Combines Senior Activity Pass, Rec
 Center Pass, and Aquatics Pass
- Addresses fee increases for most vulnerable citizens by providing access to department's basic recreation services

Physically Intensive Activities

Open Gym – Basketball Lap Swim/Water Walking

Open Gym – Pickleball Open Swim

Fitness Center Workout Rooms

Social Interaction Activities

Baggo Dominoes

Ballroom Dance Health, Wellness and You

Beanbag Baseball Mahjong

Bingo Minnesota - Card Game

Board Game Day Pinochle - Card Game

Book Club Shuffleboard

Bridge - Card Game Sit and Get Fit

Bunco Sunshine Quilters

Card Games – various The Voices

Conversation Café This-N-That Exchange

Cribbage - Card Game Ukulele



Staff Recommendation

- Due to the unfunded minimum wage increase each year, continue to implement 5-Year Graduated Cost Recovery Plan presented to Council.
- The annual fee increases will keep pace with minimum wage increases each year, which should neutralize the deficit and prevent closures or program reductions.
- The Health & Wellness Pass addresses the challenge with raising fees for our most vulnerable populations by providing free access to basic recreation services.