

Fee Waiver Staff Report

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TO: DOUGLAS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THROUGH: DOUGLAS J. DEBORD, COUNTY MANAGER

FROM: TERENCE T. QUINN, AICP, DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

CC: STEVE SHOULTZ, CPRP, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF PARKS, TRAILS AND BUILDING GROUNDS

SUBJECT: FEE WAIVER REQUEST IN THE AMOUNT OF \$200 FOR THE GIRLS RUGBY COLORADO TEAM

OWNER: DOUGLAS COUNTY 100 THIRD STREET CASTLE ROCK, CO 80104 REPRESENTATIVE: MEG CLARKE GIRLS RUGBY COLORADO 708-821-8823

COLORADO@GIRLSRUGBYINC.COM

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING

OCTOBER 8, 2024 @ 1:30 p.m.

I. <u>EXECUTIVE SUMMARY</u>

Girls Rugby Colorado (GRC), a 501(c)(3) non profit organization, requests a fee waiver in the amount of \$200 for the use of Pinery Park grass field for their practices on October 2, 9, 16, and 23, 2024. This is for 10 players and 2 coaches.

II. <u>BACKGROUND</u>

Girls Rugby Colorado is a 501 C3 non-profit, values based, youth sports organization helping girls to feel empowered through flag rugby. As a non-profit organization they strive to keep their program affordable and offer scholarships to any families in need.

III. <u>REQUEST</u>

Girls Rugby Colorado (GRC) requests a fee waiver in the amount of \$200 for the use of Pinery Park grass field for a 1-hour practice each evening of October 2, 9, 16, and 23, 2024.

IV. STAFF ASSESSMENT

The Board of County Commissioners has the sole authority to waive or reduce all park use fees and may choose to waive or reduce the use fee of \$200 for Girls Rugby Colorado.

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From: Girls Rugby Colorado <colorado@girlsrugbyinc.com>
Sent: Monday, September 16, 2024 2:02 PM
To: Parks and Trails <parksandtrails@douglas.co.us>
Subject: Permit Fees

Hello Esteemed Board of County Commissioners,

I am the Program Manager for Girls Rugby Colorado - a non-profit, values based, youth sports organization helping girls to feel empowered through flag rugby! As a non-profit organization we strive to keep our program affordable and offer scholarships to any families in need. I have made a reservation at **Pinery Park on October 2nd, 9th, 16th, and 23rd** for a one hour evening practice. This is for 10 players and two coaches.

I am wondering if the fee can be waived or a discount applied due to our non profit status and goal to inspire young girls to lead and succeed! Our program sets aside funding for field reservation, but the \$50 fee is double what we are used to seeing - thus the reason for my request.

I would be happy to provide more information if desired, including our 501 C3. Here is our website detailing more about the program: <u>https://www.girlsrugbyinc.com/colorado/</u>

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, Meg Clarke They/Them Colorado Program Manager for Girls Rugby

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Girls Rugby Colorado Team