

July 2, 2019

City of Racine Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services  
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Dear PRCS Board Members:

The 2019 Root River Council will take place on August 25, 2019 at the Root River Environmental Education Community Center (REC) located at 1301 W. 6th Street. The festival will run from 12pm to 5pm. The goal of the Root River Festival is to connect Racine residents to the Root River.

The event will feature 2-3 food trucks, approximately 10-15 booths on environmental issues and local environmental organizations, kid's crafts and activities, and the REC's regular weekend canoe and kayak rentals. Additionally, the Racine Zoo confirmed that they will be bringing some of their ambassador animals to this event.

As the REC already has a bathroom, there will only be 1 port-a-potty for this event. Parking will be available at 21st Century Preparatory School, located at 1220 Mound Ave. Attendees will be directed to follow the bike path to the festival at the REC.

This year's festival is co-hosted by the REC and the Root River Council.

Unlike previous years, this festival will be much smaller (anticipating 200-300 attendees) and will not feature horse carriage rides, alcohol, or music.

Sincerely,

Laura Schulz  
Root River Council & Root River Environmental Education Community Center