



City of Racine, Wisconsin
Agenda BRIEFING MEMORADUM

AGENDA DATE: 2/9/23

SUBJECT:

Permission to enter into an MOU with RUSD to provide entry-level recreational activities for “2023 Summer School Playgrounds”, “Girls High School Summer Basketball League”, “Teen Outreach After School Program”.

DEPARTMENT: Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services (PRCS)

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

#1. We will provide entry-level recreational activities through the extended learning program in partnership with Racine Unified School District. We will accomplish this by setting up an after school Playgrounds Program at the 7 selected schools.

#2 Our program mission is to give players and teams the opportunity to stay engaged in live basketball activity during the offseason, while further developing their skills and team chemistry in a competitive environment. This league will give our student-athletes an outlet to show case their talent in front of coaches, family and friends in Racine.

#3 The Teen Outreach Program (TOP), is a 9-month program that promotes positive youth development through engaging curriculum, community service learning, and supportive relationships with adults. The program empowers teens with the tools and opportunities to develop social-emotional skills, build healthy relationships and community connections, develop a sense of purpose, and avoid risky behaviors.

BUDGETARY IMPACT:

Total combined program budget’s approximately \$363,066. Expenditures will include salaries, supplies and transportation and will be fully reimbursed by RUSD at end of the program.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Permission for the Mayor and City Clerk to enter into an MOU with RUSD to provide entry-level recreational activities for “2023 Summer School Playground program”, “Girls High School Summer Basketball League” and “Teen Outreach After School program”.