



Park and Recreation Commission

City of Arts & Innovation

TO: HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS **DATE: OCTOBER 19, 2020**

FROM: PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

SUBJECT: VERBAL UPDATE REGARDING THE RIVERWALK LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE DISTRICT

ISSUE:

To provide a verbal update regarding the ongoing and current situation with the Riverwalk Landscape Maintenance District.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Park and Recreation Commission receive and file a verbal update regarding the ongoing and current situation with the Riverwalk Landscape Maintenance District.

BACKGROUND:

On August 17, 2020, an eComment was received before the Park and Recreation Commission meeting. The resident is concerned about the ongoing decline in the landscaping and maintenance of the Riverwalk Landscape Maintenance District (RLMD), including the parks. The concerns noted include unkept landscaping, bridges, BBQ grills, waste receptacles, overgrown trees, unsafe/old fitness and playground apparatuses, graffiti removal, broken water fountains, etc.

DISCUSSION:

Recently, the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department has been working with RLMD to clear up confusion regarding each party's responsibilities. Ongoing meetings and communications are currently being held and a real time verbal update will be provided during the meeting.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

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Attachment: eComment from Tiffany Jones