

Board of Aldermen Request for Action

MEETING DATE: 8/28/2023 **DEPARTMENT**: Parks and Recreation

AGENDA ITEM: Resolution 1259, Camp Host Agreement Renewal

REQUESTED BOARD ACTION:

Motion to approve Resolution 1259, authorizing renewal of an agreement with Janet Terry and Chris Dunkin for camp host services at Smith's Fork Campground.

SUMMARY:

RFQ #22-22 was posted on September 16, 2022. This RFQ was posted for the purpose of entering into an agreement for Camp Host Services at Smith's Fork Campground for the initial period of March 31, 2023, to October 31, 2023. One submission was received and reviewed by a committee comprised of Parks and Recreation Director Matt Denton, Parks Maintenance Crew Leader Chase Stewart and Recreation Manager Alex Threlkeld. The one submission was invited for an interview and Janet Terry and Chris Dunkin were selected by the committee as the most qualified bid.

Once selected, the pricing submitted of \$2,500 per month was found to be reasonable and appropriate for camp host services.

Resolution 1142 awarded the bid of the camp host to Janet Terry and Chris Dunkin on November 1, 2023, for the April 1 to October 31, 2023, season, with the option to renew for three additional seasons at the option of the City.

Janet Terry and Chris Dunkin have completed their first year of Camp Host Services for the City of Smithville. Staff and patrons alike have noticed improved appearance and cleanliness of the campground and the restroom facilities. Customer satisfaction has been great. We have received multiple compliments, letters, and emails stating how great both are and how well they keep the shower house clean.

Staff recommends exercising the option to renew their agreement for the 2024 season.

POLICY OBJECTIVE:

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FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

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RESOLUTION 1259

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF AN AGREEMENT WITH JANET TERRY AND CHRIS DUNKIN FOR CAMP HOST SERVICES AT SMITH'S FORK CAMPGROUND

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen of the City of Smithville, Missouri desires to provide the citizens of Smithville and campground patrons with a full-time camp host at Smith's Fork Campground; and

WHEREAS, The City of Smithville contracted with Janet Terry and Chris Dunkin for such services on November 1, 2022, for the April 1 to October 31, 2023 season and the contract may be renewed for three additional seasons at the option of the City, and;

WHEREAS, both parties wish to renew the contract, and;

WHEREAS, the contract provides annual renewal at the City's option for such services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF SMITHVILLE, MISSOURI:

THAT the Board of Aldermen for the City of Smithville, Missouri hereby directs the Mayor to execute a renewal of the agreement with Janet Terry and Chris Dunkin for Camp Host Services at Smith's Fork Park beginning April 1, 2024, and ending October 31, 2024.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Aldermen and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of the City of Smithville, Missouri, on the 28th day of August 2023.

Damien Boley, Mayor	
ATTEST:	
Linda Drummond, City Clerk	