



**CITY OF MARTINEZ
PARK, RECREATION, MARINA & CULTURAL COMMISSION AGENDA**

AGENDA DATE: November 17, 2015

TO: PRMCC

FROM: Tim Tucker

SUBJECT: Pickleball update

RECOMMENDATION:

Accept report.

DISCUSSION:

The City Council created an Ad-Hoc Pickleball subcommittee. The Subcommittee is comprised of Councilmembers DeLaney and McKillop. They held their first meeting on November 9th. Two representatives from pickleball were in attendance along with staff.

The agenda included short term measures and long term goals. Fundraising was also an agenda item. The Subcommittee is recommending the following short term measures:

- Re-stripe the second Hidden Valley Park tennis court for dual tennis and pickleball use
- Set priority hours for pickleball –
 - Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 5PM – 7PM
 - Friday 8:30 AM – Noon
 - Saturday 8AM – Noon
- Non priority hours on a first come first serve basis
- Install sign “Courts for Tennis and Pickleball use only.”

The Subcommittee is recommending the following long term measures:

- Construct six to eight, preferable eight, new pickleball courts
- Install lighting that is designed for pickleball use (9PM curfew)
- Provide parking (tournament parking overflow to use County lot on Glacier)
- Hidden Valley Park, north of existing courts is preferred site
- Evaluate alternate sites
- Fundraising to start once site approved

The City Council Ad-hoc subcommittee will report out to the full Council at their November 18, Council meeting.