

# UNIVERSITY PARK CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMO

**Meeting Date:** 7/1/2025

Item Type: Staff Report

**Subject:** July is Parks and Recreation Month Proclamation

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### Background:

In 1985, the National Recreation and Parks Association (NRPA) declared July as national Parks and Recreation Month. Each year, Parks and Recreation agencies around the country recognize this declaration and participant in a number of community activities and outreach programs.

This year's theme is "Build Together, Play Together" to remind us of the contributions of more than 160,000 full-time park and recreation professionals — along with hundreds of thousands of part-time and seasonal workers and volunteers — who maintain our country's close-to-home parks.

Together we're building and maintaining sustainable parks and green spaces for current and future generations. Together, we're building thriving communities focused on health and well-being. Together, we're building high-quality programs and spaces accessible and inclusive for all.

Parks staff have planned a month full of events and programs for our community members to enjoy.

Today, we bring the proclamation before Mayor and City Council to declare July as Parks and Recreation Month in the City of University Park for 2025.

#### **Fiscal Impact:**

- ⊠ Not Applicable
- □ Budget Amendment Required
- □ Proposed Revenue
- □ Proposed Expenditure

Funding Source:

### Master Plan Goal:

Please check the associated Theme and provide the corresponding action item number.



	Theme	Action Item(s)
$\boxtimes$	Affirming Sense of Place	2.4
	Assuring Connectivity	
	Innovative Governance	
	Technological Integration	
	Preparing for the Future	
	Not Applicable	

## **Recommendation:**

Staff recommends approval of this reservation request.

# **Committee Review (optional):** N/A

#### Attachments:

Proclamation