# City Council Agenda Summary Sheet (Non Purchases)

**Agenda No:** 2004-1231 – Acceptance for First Reading an amendment to Chapter 54,

Fees, of the Code of Ordinances

Date: December 2, 2004

**Prepared By:** Susan Galeczka, City Council Liaison

City File No: N/A

**Meeting Date:** December 8, 2004

#### **PURPOSE:**

To accept for first reading an amendment to Chapter 54, Fees, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rochester Hills to adopt fee changes from Treasury, Parks and DPS.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

City Council at its regular meeting of July 28, 2004 directed the Leisure Activities Committee to review the daily vehicle entry fees currently charged for the City Parks and recommend whether or not those fees could be slightly increased in order to help offset future Park improvements.

The Leisure Activities Committee met on October 18, 2004 and discussed the possible increase of parks fees including Motor Vehicle Entry Fees and Sports Field Rental Fees. The Committee's recommends the following to Council

- The motor vehicle entry fee schedule for the parks remains unchanged for 2005
- The field usage fee 2004 be increased for full size fields and by a prorate amount for smaller fields on a base calculation of \$10 increase
- The field lighting rates be approved at an increase of \$5 per hour

Draft Minutes of the Leisure Activities Committee meeting have been included along with the information presented to the Committee. The proposed changes were forwarded on to the City Attorney to prepare the amendment to the ordinance.

In addition as part of the annual review of the fee schedule, all Department Directors have reviewed the fee schedule and DPS and Treasury have provided additional changes to the Ordinance for inclusion by the City Attorney.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

To accept for first reading an amendment to Chapter 54, Fees, of the code of Ordinances of the City of Rochester Hills to modify fees charges for various City services and to repeal conflicting ordinances

Department Authorization: Roger Rousse, DPS, Mike Hartner, Parks/Forestry, Kurt Dawson,

Treasurer Reviewed by:

Fiscal: Jean Farris

Clerks: Susan Koliba-Galeczka

Approved by: Pat Somerville

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