

City of Rochester Hills AGENDA SUMMARY NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS

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TO: Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Ravi Yalamanchi, Council Member

DATE: July 16, 2010

SUBJECT: Charitable Gaming License Policy

As part of the State of Michigan's application process for a Charitable Gaming License, local civic organizations are required to obtain a resolution from their City Council stating that the City recognizes their organization as being nonprofit and operating in the community. The number of such requests has increased over the last two years, as indicated below. As such, I felt it would be a good idea to have a policy in place to help guide and assist the City Council in making informed, thoughtful and consistent determinations concerning such requests. I have been working with City Attorney John Staran to create this policy and a draft has been included for Council's consideration and review.

The following are Council approvals of non-profit designations related to Charitable Gaming Licenses:

Organization

Great Oaks Country Club

Rochester Hills Dance & Arts Society

Oakland Youth Orchestra Teen Opportunity Programs

Kenny Rehab

Rochester Rotary Charities

Friends of the Rochester Hills Public Library

Leader Dogs for the Blind

Rochester Symphony Orchestra, Inc.

Detroit Oratorio Society Kirk P. Dyer Foundation

Michigan Athletes with Disabilities Hall of Fame

The Filippis Foundation Help Cerebral Palsy Kids

Adams Parents for Instrumental Music

Band of Angels

Oakland Live Y'ers (OLY)

Free Desire Inc.

Heavenly Paws of Michigan Rochester Lions Charities. Inc.

Five Star Connection

Oakland Cobras Fastpitch Softball Assoc., Inc.

Michigan Rollin' Pistons

Rochester Youth Soccer League

Date Approved

April 25, 1990 November 16, 1994 February 1, 1995

February 15, 1995 April 26, 1995

September 18, 1996

May 27, 1998

November 4, 1998

December 2, 1998

February 7, 2001

May 23, 2001

September 14, 2005

November 30, 2005

May 3, 2006

September 12, 2007

April 7, 2008

March 16, 2009

June 1, 2009

August 3, 2009

October 19, 2009

November 23, 2009

May 3, 2010

May 24, 2010

June 21, 2010