

CITY OF YUBA CITY  
STAFF REPORT

**Date:** February 16, 2010  
**To:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the City Council  
**From:** Parks and Recreation Department  
**Presentation By:** Brad McIntire, Parks and Recreation Director

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**Subject:** Prop 84 Grant applications through the Statewide Park Development and Community Revitalization Program.

**Recommendation:** Adopt two resolutions approving the filing of two applications for a competitive grant to help fund Athletic Fields and a Community Center through Proposition 84.

**Fiscal Impact:** The grant awards a minimum of \$100,000 and a maximum of \$5 million. There is no requirement for matching funds. There is no anticipated fiscal impact on the General Fund within the next two year budget cycle. Future General Fund Dollars would be used to maintain and operate the facilities.

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**Background:** In November of 2006, California voters passed Proposition 84. Funding for this grant program was made available through the Sustainable Communities and Climate Change Reduction chapter in Proposition 84. There will be two rounds awarding \$368 million to critically underserved communities throughout California. As of July 1, 2009 the 2009/10 Budget Act approved \$184 million for the first competitive round.

Recent meetings such as Council Priority Setting Workshops, Parks Master Plan Community Input Sessions, Parks and Recreation Commission Meetings, City Commissioners Workshop, make it clear that our community is in need of more lighted athletic fields and a community center. Both facilities would add value and promote an active and healthy life style in our community. For this reason, staff is recommending a separate grant application for each facility. Substantial planning has been done by the Parks and Recreation staff on the application for funds for lighted athletic fields. The January 2010 Council Priority Workshop made it clear that a community center was of equal or higher priority and we have moved quickly to prepare the community center application as well. While the preparation and filing of two separate grant applications is a substantial under taking, the clear direction from Council and the citizens of Yuba City is that both are necessary. In addition, the two identified projects are strong candidates for this grant because the City of Yuba City owns the property for both potential sites, which adds value to the scoring of these projects.

If the City of Yuba City is successful in securing funding, staff will be notified within six months from April 2010. Contracts must be executed within three years from the date of appropriation and the Grant Performance Period ends eight years after the date of appropriation.

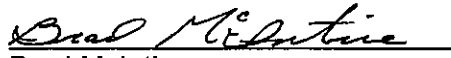
**Fiscal Impact:** No fiscal impact on the General Fund within the next two year budget cycle. Potential future General Fund Dollars to Maintain and Operate facilities.

**Alternatives:** Do not approve the filing of two applications for a competitive grant to fund Athletic Fields and a Community Center through Proposition 84.


Instruct staff to apply for only one of the two recommended applications for the Proposition 84 competitive grant.

**Recommendation:** Adopt two resolutions approving the filing of two applications for a competitive grant to help fund Athletic Fields and a Community Center through Proposition 84.

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RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUBA CITY APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR STATEWIDE PARK PROGRAM GRANT FUNDS

BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUBA CITY AS FOLLOWS:

**WHEREAS**, the State Department of Parks and Recreation has been delegated the responsibility by the Legislature of the State of California for the administration of the Statewide Park Program, setting up necessary procedures governing the Application; and

**WHEREAS**, said procedures established by the State Department of Parks and Recreation require the applicant to certify by resolution the approval of applications before submission of said application(s) to the State; and

**WHEREAS**, the applicant will enter into a contract with the State of California to complete the grant scope project:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Yuba City hereby:

Approves the filing of an application for a Soccer Complex located between Live Oak Boulevard and Clark Avenue area, and

1. Certifies that said applicant has or will have available, prior to the commencement of any work on the project included in this application, the sufficient funds to complete the project; and
2. Certifies that the applicant has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the projects(s), and
3. Certifies that the applicant has reviewed, understands, and agrees to the General Provisions contained in the contract shown in the Grant Administration Guide; and
4. Delegates the authority to Brad McIntire, Parks & Recreation Director, to conduct all negotiations, sign and submit all documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, and payment requests, which may be necessary for the completion of the grant scope; and
5. Agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and guidelines.

Adopted this 16th day of February, 2010 by the following vote:

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution Number \_\_\_\_\_ was duly adopted by the City of Yuba City Council following a roll call vote.

Ayes:  
Noes:  
Absent:  
Attest:

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