

May 13, 2002

Honorable Mayor and Members of  
The Hermosa Beach City Council

Regular Meeting of  
May 28, 2002

**SO. CAL. FOUNDATION FOR CHILDREN  
CHARITY BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT**

**Recommendation**

The Parks, Recreation, and Community Resources Commission and staff recommend that Council:

1. Approve the request from the Dig for Kids Foundation and So. Cal. Foundation for Children, both Hermosa Beach based non-profit organizations, to conduct a Beach Volleyball Tournament on the North side of the Pier, Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2002 from 9 AM to 5 PM.
2. Waive the participant/spectator fees.
3. Approve the event contract (Attachment).

**Background**

Staff has received an application from the Dig for Kids Foundation and So. Cal. Foundation for Children requesting to hold an adult Beach Volleyball Tournament in Hermosa Beach on the North side of the Pier on Saturday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2002.

Founded and operated by local Professional Beach Volleyball Players, Eric Fonoimoana and Albert Hannemann, Dig for Kids (DFK) is an organization that combines after-school volleyball lessons with academic tutoring and mentoring. The So. Cal. Foundation for Children (SCFC) raises funds for scholarships and the purchase of gifts for children that would otherwise go without during the holiday season. Both organizations provide educational guidance and athletic opportunity to underprivileged youth in the South Bay and Los Angeles areas.

**Analysis**

This event meets the required criteria to be classified as a non-profit event as stipulated by the City of Hermosa Beach Community Resources Department, Special Event Permit Rules and Regulations. The Dig for Kids Foundation is a registered non-profit organization, while the So. Cal. Foundation for Children is recognized by the City of Hermosa Beach as a local service organization. In accordance with policy, 100% of all event proceeds will be donated to the aforementioned non-profit groups.

Local residents will be provided with an opportunity to enjoy Beach Volleyball at an advanced level of play, as either a participant or a spectator. The one-day Tournament will facilitate a Professional Division, 2-person elimination format, and a Recreational Division, 4-person co-ed teams. An estimated 200 local players are expected to draw a crowd of 200 spectators.

Tournament Directors, Albert Hannemann and Bill Sigler, have proven to be successful in the operation of other local charity events and volleyball tournaments. The proceeds from the Tournament will be donated to charities benefiting youth from the South Bay and surrounding areas.

Fiscal Impact: Estimated Fees \$850
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**Attachment :**

Event Contract

Respectfully submitted,

Concur:

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Lisa Lynn  
Recreation Supervisor

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Mary C. Rooney  
Director of Community Resources

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Stephen R. Burrell  
City Manager

Noted for Fiscal Impact:

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Viki Copeland  
Director of Finance