

April 27, 2004

Chairperson and Members of the
Parks, Recreation and Community
Resources Advisory Commission

Regular Meeting of
May 4, 2004

BEACH VOLLEYBALL COURT INSTALLATION
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Recommendation

Staff recommends that Commission consider resident request to install two (2) beach volleyball courts at Lynden Street and the Strand.

Background

The Community Resources Department received a letter of request and application form from Tim Henning (Attachment A) dated April 13, 2004. Mr. Henning has requested installation of two (2) beach volleyball courts south of Lynden Street. The purpose of Mr. Henning's request is to accommodate the increasing number of volleyball players at the south end of the Strand.

Analysis

In coordination with the Departments of Public Works and Community Resources the Parks and Recreation Commission instituted a Beach Volleyball Court Policy and Application form in 1997 (Attachment B). The policy includes a Court Specification Sheet that stipulates there shall be no more than two (2) volleyball courts per Strand block, with the exception of courts 'grand fathered' in at the time of policy development. Installation of courts south of Lynden Street would not violate this policy.

Another option for players is to utilize temporary volleyball courts. The regulation of two (2) courts per Strand block also applies to temporary courts. Pursuant to municipal code, all beach equipment, which includes temporary nets, must be removed from the beach during the nighttime.

Alternatives:

- A. Install two (2) new beach volleyball courts
- B. Install one (1) new beach volleyball court
- C. Deny request to install new beach volleyball courts

Attachments:

- A. Letter of Request
- B. Volleyball Court Policy and Application
Volleyball Court Specification Sheet
- C. Volleyball Court Listing by Location
- D. Ordinance 12.20.080

Respectfully submitted,

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VOLLEYBALL COURTS
(as of 4/28/04)

# Of Courts	Actual Distance	Actual Location	
<i>South of Pier</i>			
2	50'	44 Strand	
2	55'	58 Strand	
2	51'	78 Strand	
2	50'	114 Strand	
1	51'	132 Strand	
1	50'	302 Strand	
2	51'	340 Strand	
2	43'	502 Strand	
2	56'	612 Strand	
2	55'	632, 636 Strand	
2	78'	802 Strand	
2	52'	820 Strand	
3	55'	1016 Strand	Sea Sprite/middle bldg.
2	50'	1042 Strand	Sea Sprite
2	51'	1100 Strand	Scotty's

<i>North of Pier</i>			
2	38'	11 Pier Ave.	Mermaid/Pier Head
3	50'	1286 Strand	Good Stuff
3	50'	13 th Street	
1	50'	1300 Strand	Beach House
2	78'	14 th Street	South of Restrooms
2	112'	14 th Street	West of Restrooms
2	28'	1618 Strand	
2	28'	1632 Strand	
2	54'	1712 Strand	
2	51'	1728 Strand	
2	49'	1920 Strand	
2	48'	2126 Strand	
1	35'	2334 Strand	
2	35'	Vacant	1 st house S. of 24 th
1	49'	2617 Strand	
1	38'	2728 Strand	
2	23'	2909 Strand	
1	29'	3108 Strand	
2	19'	3233 Strand	Next to
1	31'	3435 Strand	Bike Path at 35 th