



**COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE
GENERAL SERVICES
PARKS**

**COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM**

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AGENDA DATE: March 2, 2010

Public Hearing Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Resolution, Ordinance or Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>

CONTACT PERSON: Neil Pilegard PHONE: 624-7220

SUBJECT: Authorize the 2010 Civil War Reenactment Society event in Mooney Grove Park.

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Civil War Reenactment at Mooney Grove Park, including the discharge of firearms (limited to blank ammunition), on March 4-7, 2010.
2. Authorize overnight camping during the event by participants.
3. Authorize the use of fire pits.

SUMMARY:

The Civil War Reenactment Society (CWRS) has requested an encampment and battle reenactment at Mooney Grove Park on March 4-7, 2010 (Thursday-Sunday). CWRS has conducted these reenactments for the past 10 years with great success at the park. They provide an opportunity for the public to be exposed to history in an exciting way. They conduct a weekend of living history, encampment and battle reenactment with black powder charges.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

No Net County Cost.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The event links well with Strategic Initiatives 2 and 3 by improving tourism

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opportunities, and by providing exciting educational opportunities.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Board could decide to not allow the reenactment. Staff recommends against this alternative because it would result in a loss of gate revenue at Mooney Grove Park by spectators of the event and result in a missed opportunity for exciting tourism and educational opportunities.

INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS OR AGENCIES:

CWRS will notify the Tulare County Fire Department of the use of artillery in the parks.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Hal Cypert
General Services Manager

Cc: Auditor/Controller
County Counsel
County Administrative Office (3)

Attachment(s)

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF 2010 CIVIL WAR)
REENACTMENT SOCIETY EVENT IN)
MOONET GROVE PARK)

RESOLUTION NO. _____
AGREEMENT NO. _____

UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR _____, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR _____, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD _____
_____, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

ATTEST: JEAN M. ROUSSEAU
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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