NOTES

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Ann E. Wall, City Manager

DATE: August 23, 2023

SUBJECT: Materials for Your Information

Please find attached the following materials for your information:

- 1. A flyer for the Cops & Barbers event on August 24th from 2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- 2. A memo from Don Octigan, Director of Recreation and Parks, regarding the North Carolina Recreation and Parks Association Grant

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Attachments





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To: Ann Wall, City Manager

From: Don Octigan, Director of Recreation and Parks TO

Date: August 23, 2023

Re: NTC – North Carolina Recreation and Parks Association Grant

The Greenville Recreation and Parks Department was awarded a \$1,000 grant from the North Carolina Recreation and Parks Association (NCRPA). The NCRPA Board of Directors allocated a competitive New Initiative Grant Program to nine state winning agencies.

With these additional funds, the Department will purchase equipment and supplies for the Mobile Recreation Trailer. This trailer will be utilized to provide accessible recreational opportunities to underserved areas and neighborhoods that do not have access to a park. These outreach efforts will enhance the community as well as improving one's quality of life.

Aside from outreach efforts, the trailer will also be used during community events led by the City. Items staff are looking to purchase include: Educational Supplies, Fitness Supplies, Hygiene Products, Board Games, Promotional Items, Cornhole Boards and Bags, Organizational Items, etc.

This grant will be instrumental for the City and the Recreation and Parks Department in launching a cost-effective, equitable, and accessible mobilized program.

Please let me know if there are any questions.

cc: Darris Sawyer, Recreation and Parks Superintendent