

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKLIN
DECLARING JULY 2020 AS "PARKS AND RECREATION" MONTH

WHEREAS, Parks and Recreation make lives and communities better now and in the future; and

WHEREAS, it is established through statewide public opinion research, 98% of California households visit a local park at least once a year; two in three households visit a park once a month; more that 50% of household participate in an organized recreation program; and most park use is with family and friends; and

WHEREAS, residents value recreation as it provides positive alternatives for children and youth to reduce crime and mischief especially during non-school hours; it promotes the arts; it increases social connections; aids in therapy; and promotes lifelong learning; and

WHEREAS, residents value their parks for access to outdoor spaces for children and adults to play, be active, exercise and participate in group sports; and

WHEREAS, parks provide access to the serenity and inspiration of nature and outdoor spaces, as well as preserve and protect the historic, natural and cultural resources in our community; and

WHEREAS, the residents of the City of Rocklin including children, youth, families, adults, seniors, businesses, community organizations, and visitors, benefit from the wide range of parks, trails, open space, sport fields, courts, facilities and programs provided by the City of Rocklin; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rocklin urges all its residents to recognize that parks and recreation enriches the lives of its residents and visitors as well as adding value to the community's homes and neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, July is celebrated across the nation as Parks and Recreation Month.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY the City Council of the City of Rocklin, the City Council proclaims July 2020 as Parks and Recreation Month and in doing so, urges all its residents to use and enjoy its parks, trails, open space, facilities, and recreation opportunities.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of June, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES:	Councilmembers:
NOES:	Councilmembers:
ABSENT:	Councilmembers:
ABSTAIN:	Councilmembers:

Greg Janda, Mayor

ATTEST:

Hope Ithurnburn, City Clerk