

TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY TOWN COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

To:	Honorable Mayor and Town Council	Date: October 22, 2013

From: Ralph Wright Item No: <u>5</u>

Parks and Recreation Manager

Subject: FEE WAIVER REQUEST FOR THE SALVATION ARMY

THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER NOVEMBER 28, 2013 AT THE JAMES

WOODY COMMUNITY CENTER.

Г.M. Approval:	Budgeted Item: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
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RECOMMENDED ACTION:

For good cause shown, and finding a waiver will serve a public purpose, approve the waiver of the Facility Rental Fee of \$121.88.

SUMMARY:

The Salvation Army of Victor Valley is requesting use of the Auditorium at the James Woody Community Center on November 28, 2013 in order to provide a free Thanksgiving meal for those in the community. They anticipate serving 150 – 200 meals to people who would otherwise have nowhere else to go for Thanksgiving dinner.

The fees come to \$121.88. The organization will still be required to provide a Certificate of Insurance.

BACKGROUND:

On 8-14-01, the Town Council adopted a policy stating fees can be administratively waived for a local public agency, a utility company or service district, or a similar entity providing an essential service to the general community, whereas, non-profit requests for fee waivers must go before the Town Council for consideration.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Although there is not an ongoing demand that is displaced with the request on this particular day, the waiving of these fees will result in the loss of potential revenue in the amount of \$121.88.

Council Meeting Date: 10/22/13 5-1

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To Whom It May Concern:

The Salvation Army is requesting the use of the auditorium at the James Woody Center on Thanksgiving Day, November 28th, 2013. The hours needed are from 7:00 AM until 3:00PM. We will be using the kitchen to cook a free Thanksgiving meal for those in the community of Apple Valley. We will need the use of some tables and chairs. We anticipate serving between 150 – 200 meals, and will actually be serving from 11:30 AM – 1:30PM.

The Salvation Army did this in years past, and never had any problems, but just very grateful people who had no where else to go for their Thanksgiving dinner. The Salvation Army Advisory Board feels this is a great need for the town of Apple Valley, since there are no other dinners being served on Thanksgiving Day.

We would also like to request that all fees for this event be waived, as we are a non-profit organization.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request.

Blessings,

Captain Sylvan Young

In-Charge