



## Town Council Agenda Report

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Date: September 10, 2019 Item No. 6

To: Honorable Mayor and Town Council

Subject: FEE WAIVER FOR DON FERRARESE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION  
TO USE THE DINING ROOM AT THE GOLF COURSE

From: Douglas Robertson, Town Manager

Submitted by: Lori Lamson, Assistant Town Manager

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 \$1,000.00.

### SUMMARY

Don Ferrarese Charitable Foundation is requesting use of the golf course dining room for an auction on October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>. The proceeds from the auction will benefit the youth of the community through the work of the Foundation. The organization will still be required to cover any food or beverage costs and submit a completed Facility Use Agreement for approval through the Sierra Golf Management.

### BACKGROUND

On August 14, 2001, 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**

Because of the recent closure of the golf course kitchen, there has been little demand for the use of the dining room. However, if there were continual use of the facility, the waiving of the fees would result in the loss of potential revenue in the amount of \$1,000.00.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

- A. Fee Waiver request from Don Ferrarese Foundation



PO Box 3182 Victorville, CA 92392 760-951-8003  
501 (c)(3) Tax Exempt non-profit Fed Tax ID 73-1723719

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September 3, 2019

Town Council Members  
Town of Apple Valley  
Via: email [LPearson@applevalley.org](mailto:LPearson@applevalley.org)

Attention. Ms. La Vonda M-Pearson, Town Clerk

RE: Use of vacant space at Apple Valley Golf and Country Club

Honorable Council Members:

The Don Ferrarese Charitable Foundation is a 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization as recognized by the IRS, Federal Tax ID# 73-1723719.

Since its inception in 2005, the Ferrarese Foundation has raised and given to the local community(ies) nearly \$1.5 million.

I am writing to respectfully request the Town Council to approve the "gratis" use of the vacant restaurant space at the Apple Valley Golf and Country Club for a benefit auction for three full days, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>. The proceeds from said auction are to benefit the Foundation.

I am immediately available to address any questions. My cell number is 760-964-4976.

Respectfully yours,

**Don Ferrarese Charitable Foundation**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "W. Daniel Tate".

W Daniel Tate  
Founder and President