

Carver County Board of Commissioners  
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Regular Session

Agenda Amendment

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- Consent Item 5.6** Permit request by ISD 108, NYA Central Schools,  
HS Cross Country Running Meets at Baylor Regional Park  
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# Carver County Board of Commissioners Request for Board Action



**Agenda Item:**

**Permit Request By ISD 108, NYA Central Schools, HS Cross Country Running Meets At Baylor Regional Park**

Primary Originating Division/Dept: <input type="text" value="Public Works - Parks"/>	Meeting Date: <input type="text" value="8/18/2020"/>
Contact: <input type="text" value="Sam Pertz"/> Title: <input type="text" value="Parks Supervisor"/>	Item Type: <input type="text" value="Consent"/>
Amount of Time Requested: <input type="text" value=""/> minutes Presenter: <input type="text" value=""/> Title: <input type="text" value=""/>	Attachments: <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Strategic Initiative: <input type="text" value="Communities: Create and maintain safe, healthy, and livable communities"/>	

**BACKGROUND/JUSTIFICATION:**

Independent School District (ISD) 108, Central Schools of Norwood Young America, has requested a special use permit for upcoming cross county running meets planned for August 27, September 3 & 24 and October 8 to be held at Baylor Regional Park.

By County Ordinance, Chapter 91; special events require issuance of a use permit.

The four planned meets are consistent with State Executive Order(s) and Minnesota State High School League (MSHSL) guidelines for how high school cross country athletics are to be performed under COVID19 guidelines. The permittee has prepared and submitted a preparedness plan specific to team operations (including daily practice and meets) as well as site details for when County park property is used for meets.

In past years, these events have attracted 1000's of people (athletes, faculty, spectators). Under the guidelines and review and comment from the State, MSHSL and County Public Health & Attorney's Office, each event is limited in total to two hundred and Fifty (250) people, where at no time can groups congregate greater than twenty five (25) in one area (i.e. start and finish areas, team areas etc.).

The meets are organized and facilitated by athletic faculty of ISD 108 in coordination with their athletic conference. Appropriate insurance certificates and other permit requirements have been provided to the County by ISD 108.

These events have a long history of being very successfully organized by the permittee on County park property. With approval, these would be the first special use/event occurrences on County Park property since the COVID19 pandemic.

The Park Commission is expected to recommend approval of the request for board action on August 12, 2020.

Staff of ISD 108 is aware that should COVID19 guidelines and requirements change, corresponding changes to the permit may also apply.

**ACTION REQUESTED:**

Motion to approve the special use permit for cross country running meets coordinated by ISD 108, NYA Central Schools, for the 2020 season.

FISCAL IMPACT: <input type="text" value="None"/>	<b>FUNDING</b> County Dollars = <input type="text" value=""/> \$0.00
If "Other", specify: <input type="text" value=""/>	Total <input type="text" value=""/> \$0.00
FTE IMPACT: <input type="text" value="None"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insert additional funding source
Related Financial/FTE Comments: <input type="text" value=""/>	