

City Council Communication

AGENDA DATE: May 5, 2025 LEGISTAR ITEM #: Proc 25-017

SUBMITTED BY: Shannon Griffin **DEPARTMENT:** Parks, Recreation &

Golf

□Ordinance	□Resolution	□Presentation
□Admin Business	□Public Hearing	⊠Other

REQUEST

Proclamation Declaring May 17, 2025 as Kids to Parks Day in Commerce City, Colorado

BACKGROUND

2025 marks the 15th anniversary of Kids to Parks Day, an annual day of outdoor exploration at local, state, and national parks and public lands across the country. Organized by National Park Trust, the mission of Kids to Parks Day is to foster future outdoor enthusiasts and help with developing the next generation of park stewards by engaging kids in memorable outdoor experiences. While discovering and exploring our parks, kids learn about park stewardship, outdoor recreation, STEM, and the history of our country and its amazing national treasures – because kids need parks and parks need kids!

Always hosted on the third Saturday of May, Kids to Parks Day encourages kids and families to get outside and create their own adventure at thousands of local park events and programs. National Park Trust works with cities and towns, teachers, families, park and public lands officials, and numerous sponsors and partners to make these events possible. Together we can protect and preserve our nation's parks and public lands, so please join us!

On Saturday, May 17th Commerce City will be hosting their local Kids to Parks Day event at Monaco Park from 2-4p.m. This event is free! Check out the newly renovated park and all it has to offer and enjoy activities such as inflatables, a scavenger hunt, crafts, games and prizes.

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Contractor		N/A			
Amount of Request/Contract		\$N/A			
Amount Not To Exceed		\$N/A			
Amount Budgeted		\$N/A			
Budget Year		FYN/A			
Funding Source		N/A			
Additional Funds Needed		\$N/A			
Funding Source (if funds needed)		N/A			
		TIMELINE			
Estimated Start Date		Estimated End Date			
N/A		N/A			
Years and Months of Contract		Number of Times Renewable			
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AVAILABLE ACTIONS

We will market this event in PRG activity brochure, on social media,

through email blast and flyers.

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STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Acceptance of Proclamation