

## **Vergas Event Center 8.3.2022**

### Free or Reduced Rent Policy

Motion by Haarstick, seconded by Ditterich to recommend to Council to approve the Free or Reduced Rent Policy. Motion carried unanimously.

## **Vergas Event Center 10.10.2022**

### Council Recommendations

Free and reduced rent policy was approved at the September council meeting.

Fee schedule was approved at the September council meeting. Lammers covered the updated areas that relate to the Event Center

### Festival of Trees

Based on approved city policy, motion by Haarstick, seconded by Ditterich to recommend to council the rejection of the reduced rental application for the Festival of Trees by the Vergas Community Club. Motion carried with abstention by Hasse.

After discussion, motion by Hasse, seconded by Pinke to recommend to council to update the free and reduced rent policy, section 7 to add the following language “unless the event is from the Vergas Community Club, Vergas Lion’s, or the Vergas-CDH Fire Department.” Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Hasse, seconded by Haarstick to recommend to council if the previous recommendation is adopted, to approve a reduced rental fee of one half the usual rate for the Festival of Trees. Motion carried unanimously.

### Council Recommendations

- Reject Festival of Trees reduced rent application.
- Modify Free and Reduced Rent Policy.
- Approve one half rental rate for Festival of Trees if policy is changed.

## **Vergas Event Center 11.2.2022**

### Council Recommendations

Council approved the Vergas Community Club to pay \$200.00 for the Festival of Trees.

The free and reduced rent policy change was not approved at the October council meeting. Discussed item 7.

Current working of line 7. Fundraising events will not be recommended to the City Council. Motion by Ditterich, seconded by Perry, to suggest a change to line 7 to say: Fundraising events will not be recommended to the City Council unless the fundraiser is a group that has donated funds to the event center.

### Council Recommendations

Recommend changing item 7 in the policy to reduced and rent-free. Fundraising events will not be recommended to the City Council unless the fundraiser is a group that has donated funds to the event center.

