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CITY OF ENGLEWOOD

ORDINANCE #25-33

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 191 ENTITLED FEE SCHEDULE
OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ENGLEWOOD**

WHEREAS, the Chapter 191 of the Code of the City of Englewood sets forth the Fee Schedule for a variety of activities throughout the City of Englewood, including the use of public facilities and resources; and

WHEREAS, **some not-for-profit** organizations **provide public as well as social benefits** for the residents and the City of Englewood **consistent with the organization's mission statement and the** various services and activities they **provide**; and

WHEREAS, the City of Englewood seeks to support such organizations to the extent possible, while at the same time balancing the impact such activities may have on the **parks, public access, infrastructure**, staff, employees, budget and resources of the City of Englewood.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Governing Body of the City of Englewood that Chapter 191 of the City of Englewood Code is hereby amended as follows:

Chapter 191- 15 Waiver of Recreation Fees, the City Manager, **or their designee**, is hereby authorized to **reduce or** waive fees for not-for-profit organizations that **provide a** service to the residents of the City of Englewood. **Such waiver shall consider** the appropriate circumstances after evaluating the impact on the City of Englewood's **citizenry**, staff, employees and facilities, **and shall not exceed eight (8) hours in duration from set up to clean-up**. The criteria **for** making such determination shall include the financial impact **including but not limited to**: costs for **compensating the maintenance of** the City of Englewood's **parks & infrastructure, salary and overtime** for staff and employees, **wear and tear on facilities, utility costs** and impact **on** the City budget for waiving such fees. The City Manager shall confirm that the organization's mission aligns with community benefits, the event serves a public purpose and confirms that the use of the City's assets and facilities are not used for commercial or profit generating activities or are unrelated to the exempt purpose of the not-for-profit organization. The waiver is also subject to confirmation that the non-profit holds a 501(c)(3) federal tax exempt status from the IRS, or is an eligible Englewood resident sponsored event, and that the non-profit organization demonstrates that paying fees would impose an undue financial hardship; ~~and be it:~~ **and**

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that **not-for-profit** organizations or eligible Englewood resident sponsored events that use City facilities for fundraising activities, or charge a fee unrelated to the purposes of said organization to participate in an event on or in a City facility will not be eligible for a waiver or reduction of fees. In the event that the fees are not reduced or waived, the recreation fees for low impact activities by not-for-profits and eligible Englewood resident sponsored events, shall be \$25.00 per hour: and

FURTHER ORDAINED that all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies. All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances shall otherwise remain in full force and effect; and

If any Article, Sections, Subsection, paragraph, phrase or sentence is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid said Article, Section, Subsection, paragraph, phrase or sentence shall be deemed severable; and

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final publication as provided by law.

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RECORD OF VOTE

FIRST READING DATE: September 2, 2025

COUNCIL	MOTION	VOTE
David		Y
Rosenzweig		Y
Tokayer	X	Y
Wilson		Y
Wisotsky		Y

DATE PUBLISHED IN THE RECORD: September 8, 2025

DATES PUBLIC HEARINGS HELD: September 16, 2025

DATE SECOND READING HELD: September 16, 2025

COUNCIL	MOTION	OPEN	MOTION	CLOSE	MOTION	ADOPT
David						
Rosenzweig						
Tokayer						
Wilson						
Wisotsky						

Y=YES

N=OPPOSED

A=ABSTAINED

AB=ABSENT

PRESENTED TO MAYOR:

APPROVED _____

REJECTED _____ (VETO)

DATE: _____

MAYOR MICHAEL WILDES

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of
an Ordinance adopted and approved by the Mayor and
Council of the City of Englewood.

Yancy Wazirmas, RMC
City Clerk