

COUNCIL AGENDA: March 5, 2013

SUBJECT: CENTRAL VALLEY RACING PROPOSAL

SOURCE: PARKS AND LEISURE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

COMMENT: Staff has recently received a proposal from Mick Elsberry of Central Valley Racing to hold a series of races at the Porterville Off-Highway Vehicle Park in 2013.

Central Valley Racing is a group of local riders who frequent our local OHV Park as participants. The proposal coincides with the type of events staff is seeking to promote at the park, which is family oriented, one - day events with approximately 60 - 125 riders from ages 5 years and up. All conventional motocross races will be scheduled to allow for the highest possible participation. Six races are proposed to be scheduled throughout 2013.

Central Valley racing will provide insurance, score keepers, extra flaggers, awards, an EMT and race promotion. City staff will provide track prep before and after the races, flagging duties, and collection of money and waivers at the entry gate.

One hundred percent (100%) of the fees collected on practice days will be obtained by the City, and the City will retain fifty percent (50%) of the gate fees collected on race days.

Staff is also seeking permission to permit overnight camping in the open space adjacent to the park at \$10 per unit.

RECOMMENDATION: That the City Council
1.) Approve the Motocross Race Proposal for 2013 with Central Valley Racing at the OHV Park; and
2.) Approve overnight camping for the event.

ATTACHMENT: Motocross Race Proposal

 Director  Appr/Funded

 City Manager

ITEM NO.: 11

**Department of Parks
& Leisure Services**



**Donnie Moore
Director**

The City of Porterville in conjunction with Central Valley Racing will be holding up to six races in 2013.

The City of Porterville will provide:

- Insurance coverage for practice days
- Staff at the entry to take money and signatures on waivers
- Three staff flaggers
- Preparation and track maintenance for both days
- PA System
- 100% of Saturday's gate monies collected will be retained by the City of Porterville

Central Valley Racing will provide on Race Day:

- Insurance coverage for race days
- Score keepers on race day and extra flaggers if needed
- Provide and secure all entry forms
- Provide EMT on site during race events
- Provide awards for all race classes
- Secure and manage parking, spectators, and camping area
- Provide staff for clean-up of park following race event
- Promote the events – flyers, sponsors, radio and newspaper advertisement
- All costs covering race promotion will be the responsibility of Central Valley Racing
- Collection of monies collected at the gate will be distributed 50/50 between the City of Porterville and Central Valley Racing.

City of Porterville
Authorized Representative

Central Valley Racing
Authorized Representative

Date

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