



Parks, Recreation & Forestry STAFF REPORT

MEMO DATE: September 17, 2020

MTG. DATE: September 21, 2020

TO: Village of Cottage Grove Board of Trustees

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FROM: Sean Brusegar, CPRP Director of Parks, Recreation & Forestry

RE: Boy Scout Troop 145 Camp Out on September 25th – 27th and October 11th-12th

BACKGROUND: See Attachment

OVERVIEW: Suspend ordinance 230-3 stating “Park closing hours. All Village parks shall be closed from 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m., except for public functions approved by the Village Board or its designee. The Village Board or its designee may approve events or activities within the parks beyond 10:00 p.m. by private organizations or individuals if satisfactory evidence is presented that the event or activities will be carried on so as not to disturb the public peace and good order of the Village. In granting such written approval, the Village Board or its designee shall designate the area in which the function shall be carried on and shall indicate the person responsible for the conduct of such function. No person shall be in any Village park between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. except in compliance with this subsection.” for September 25th - 26th and October 11th, 2020 at Lions Shelter in Fireman’s Park to allow for persons to occupy the park during closed hours for a boy scout camp out.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Suspend ordinance 230-3 on September 25th – 26th and October 11th, 2020 to allow for Boy Scout Troop 145 to occupy Lions Shelter at Fireman’s Park during park closed hours.