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CITY COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

Meeting: June 21, 2016

Subject

Approve the First Amendment of the lease agreement with the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society for the period extending through June 30, 2017.

Recommended Action

Authorize the City Manager to amend the lease agreement with the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society at McClellan Ranch Preserve for the period extending through June 30, 2017.

Description

The City currently has an agreement with the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society to lease office space at the McClellan Ranch Preserve ranch house.

Discussion

The City of Cupertino has maintained a relationship with Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society for several years. The Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society works with the Recreation and Community Services Department as well as the other community partners located at McClellan Ranch Preserve to enhance the outdoor education for park users. The Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society provides the following community benefits: Wildlife Education Day (free community festival), nest box monitoring, maintains a nature store for park visitors, birding walks for scouts and youth/family groups; and works with school groups from CUSD, just to name a few. The Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society maintains an ongoing partnership with the City Naturalist and Acterra.

Fiscal Impact

There will be a 3% increase in revenue.

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Approved for Submission by: David Brandt, City Manager

Attachments:

A- Amended Draft First Amendment

B - Agreement