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From: Parks and Recreation Commission

Subject: FW: Multi use tennis/pickleball courts

From: Sharon L

Sent: Wednesday, June 29, 2022 11:08 AM

To: City Council < City.Council@mountainview.gov>

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Hello City Council,

First I want to thank the recreation staff, Stephanie, Colin and Kristine for the detailed study and analysis in order to maximize the usage of current resources.

Please support the recreation staff's recommendation of dual striping 6 pickleball courts on 2 tennis courts. Adding pickleball lines to existing tennis courts is relatively quick and inexpensive.

As you can see in the staff memo "Table 1: Court Monitoring Observations", there are more people playing in the 3 pickleball courts than any other park tennis courts except for Rengstorff (8 tennis courts) and Cuesta (12 tennis courts). Mountain View has 35 tennis courts. Sharing 2 out of the 35 tennis courts seems to be the best use of city public resources to serve the most residents. Currently many Mountain View residents have to play in neighboring cities due to the lack of pickleball courts in Mountain View.

Recreation staff originally recommended sharing 2 tennis courts nearest to the 3 existing pickleball courts at Rengstorff Park which makes the most sense. That was voted down by the Tennis Advisory Board. Please support sharing 2 tennis courts either at Rengstorff Park or at Cooper Park. Pickleball is very popular so there will be more traffic, parking and noise which Rengstorff Park can already handle.

Thank you.

Sharon Lam, Mountain View resident

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From: Ruth Norris

Sent: Wednesday, June 29, 2022 1:43 PM **To:** Parks and Recreation Commission

Subject: Mountain View Pickleball meeting tonight

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Hello

I am not able to make the meeting tonight but wanted to voice my support for dedicated pBall counts at Cuesta and Rengstoff parks. I currently play pBall at Mitchell Park in Palo Alto and Nealon park in Menlo Park. It is ridiculous that I have to drive to these sites as I could walk or ride my bike to closer sites in MV. Tennis is not growing as much as pBall and those players need to accept the reality and let others utilize city maintained courts.

Thank you Ruth Norris

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