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Subject: River Place Nature Trail - user fees

Good afternoon, all. I trust this email finds everyone safe and well as we all continue maneuvering through these challenging times.

I'm reaching out as it's been a few months since our last correspondence regarding the \$10 user fee charged at the River Place Nature Trail. In reviewing the [District's website](#), it seems the per-person user fee is still in place for the grant-funded portion of the trail, although the exact hours the fee is enforced are unclear. We continue to maintain that the \$10 fee is unreasonable and discriminatory, and therefore non-compliant with the Local Park grant requirements stated in the executed grant agreement.

From previous communication, I recall that the rental fee structure for both the Tennis Court and Pavilion were revised to be compliant with the grant requirements, however, these modified fees are not reflected on the [Park Rules and Regulations](#) posted on the District's website. As a reminder, TPWD Local Park grant requirements state that non-resident fees cannot be more than double what is charged for residents, and the exact fee structure and hours of enforcement should be clearly and publicly posted.

We are interested in resolving these issues within the next 30-days. If the District wishes to keep the \$10 per user fee in place, a Conversion of the portion of the grant boundary containing the Nature Trail will be required. I'm attaching our Conversion guidelines; If you have questions or would like to move forward with a Conversion, please let me know asap and our team will be happy to assist. If you do not wish to proceed with a Conversion, please provide us with a revised fee schedule by Friday, August 7, 2020.

Thanks everyone, we look forward to hearing back soon.

Sincerely,
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