City of Calistoga Staff Report

TO: Community Pool Advisory Committee

FROM: Olivia Lemen, Recreation Manager

DATE: December 13, 2012

SUBJECT: Pool Usage Request – Summer 2013

ISSUE:

To consider a request for pool space during the 2013 season which would require exclusive use of part or all of the facility.

RECOMMENDATION:

Review request and make a recommendation to staff.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

The St. Helena pool is slated to close for remodel in the late spring of 2013. City Staff have been approached by Kevin Twohey, Head Coach for the St. Helena Waves for pool space in Calistoga during this pool closure. They have two separate requests:

- 1) Swim Team Practice Mr. Twohey has requested practice time 4 days a week and would like to maintain their current schedule if possible. They would require the entire lap pool no other programming would be available in the pool during practice times. The days and times requested are as follows:
 - a. Monday starting at either 5 or 6pm 2hrs 15min
 - b. Tuesday 6pm 1.5 hours
 - c. Wednesday starting at either 5 or 6pm 2hrs 15min
 - d. Friday starting at either 5 or 6pm 2hrs 15min
- 2) Fundraiser Swim Meet This meet is scheduled for the weekend of September 7th-8th, 2013. They would need to set up on Friday September 6th in the evening and then would need exclusive use of the pool on Saturday and Sunday from 7 am 4 pm. The swim meet is their main fundraiser and they expect more than 300 swimmers each day from around the Bay Area. This would require the entire facility to be shut down to the public for the entire weekend.