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City of Calistoga Staff Report

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: Richard Spitler, City Manager

DATE: April 21, 2015

SUBJECT: Consideration of a Resolution authorizing the City Manager enter into

a two year lease agreement with the Napa County Fair Association for Use of Professional Office Space located at 1435 North Oak

Street, Calistoga in an amount of \$800 per month.

APPROVAL FOR FORWARDING:

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Richard D. Spitler, City Manager

ISSUE: Consideration of a Resolution authorizing the City Manager enter into a two year lease agreement with the Napa County Fair Association for Use of Professional Office Space located at 1435 North Oak Street, Calistoga in an amount of \$800 per month.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution.

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BACKGROUND: The Recreation Services Division has been temporarily located in a modular building at Logvy Park since they were forced to vacate the Monhoff Center last year. This modular does not have restrooms and is of a temporary nature. Staff has looked at relocating staff to a professional office nearby Logvy Park for some time. The Fairgrounds Manager was approached about sharing their administrative office space at the Fairgrounds. The City would like to lease about 1,000 square feet for staff office use and a place for the public to drop by to sign up for recreation classes or to obtain information.

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DISCUSSION: The negotiations with the Fair Manager were successful and a monthly rent of \$800 was determined. This is the market rate for this kind of office. This covers use of a portion of the administrative offices and includes the cost of all utilities except telephone and internet services. The City Attorney prepared the attached lease agreement which has a one year time period, with the opportunity for two six month time extensions. This proposal was taken to the Fair Board on April 16, 2015 where it was approved.

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The site is proximate to Logvy Park which is of great benefit to staff and the general public. It also presents opportunities for the Fairground staff and city staff to interact and coordinate more closely.

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FISCAL IMPACT: The cost of the lease agreement is \$800 per month or \$9,600 per year. Staff would initially ask the insurance company to pay for this (or a portion of it) due to the condition of the Monhoff building. There may be need for tenant improvements at a future date.

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- **ATTACHMENTS:**
- 35 1- Draft Resolution
- 36 2- Proposed Lease agreement

RESOLUTION 2015-XXX

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALISTOGA, COUNTY OF NAPA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A LEASE AGREEMENT WITH NAPA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION FOR USE OF PROFESSIONAL OFFICE SPACE LOCATED AT 1435 NORTH OAK STREET, CALISTOGA

WHEREAS, the city of Calistoga Recreation Services Division is in need of professional office space to house staff and to allow public access to staff; and

WHEREAS, City staff has negotiated directly with staff of the Napa County Fair Association, and has prepared a lease agreement for use of professional office space, which has been approved by the City Attorney; and

WHEREAS, on April 16, 2015 the Napa County Fair Association Board of Directors approved the proposed lease with the City of Calistoga for partial use of their administration offices; and

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2015 the City Council of the City of Calistoga reviewed the proposed lease agreement, the terms set forth therein and determined that it was in the mutual benefit of the both parties to enter into a lease agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that a recreation office use at the Napa County Fair Grounds located at 1435 N. Oak Street is located within the Public Use land use designation of the Calistoga General and a potential lease agreement is consistent with the general plan.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Calistoga City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to enter into a two year lease agreement with the Napa County Fair Association for Use of professional office space located at 1435 North Oak Street, Calistoga at an amount of \$800 per month to include all utilities except telephone and internet services.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Calistoga at a regular meeting held this **21st day of April 2015** by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	CHRIS CANNING, Mayor
KATHY FLAMSON, City Clerk	