MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Trustees
FROM: Indra Winquest
       Interim District General Manager
SUBJECT: Review, discuss, and possibly provide direction for the next step in the process to revise Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District which includes but is not limited to setting a public hearing date for February 26, 2020.

STRATEGIC PLAN: Long Range Principle 4 – Service
                 Long Range Principal 6 – Communication

DATE: January 13, 2020

I. RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Board of Trustees review, discuss the presented redline version of Ordinance 7 based upon the outlined changes presented December 11, 2019; and provide direction to Staff to proceed with next steps in the process of making administrative revisions to Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District, which includes but is not limited to setting a public hearing date and agenda item at a future meeting. If acceptable, Staff recommends a hearing date for the second meeting in February (February 26, 2020).

II. DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN

Long Range Principle 4 – Service
   – Provide well defined customer centric service levels consistent with fiscal goals and community expectations.

Long Range Principal 6 – Communication
   – Promote transparency in all areas including finance, operations, and public meetings.
III. BACKGROUND

At the March 28, 2019, Board of Trustees workshop, the Board of Trustees undertook a conversation about Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District. There was additional Board discussion regarding Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District, at the April 10, 2018 and May 1, 2019 Board of Trustee meetings.

The Trustees prioritized the following issues as future discussion items for the possible modification of Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District:

- No longer combine beach policies and regulations with other recreational policies and regulations;
- Remove sections which are outdated or are purely administrative in nature;
- Review punch card policies; and
- Review guest access policies and procedures

As part of the public input process for these potential modifications, there was a public forum on Beach policies and procedures on July 24, 2019. This was the second public meeting regarding the beaches in twelve months. A very well attended “Beaches 101” public meeting was held on July 11, 2018. A recording of the meeting along with the supporting materials is available on the District’s website.

At the December 11, 2019 meeting a list of administrative changes by section or item were presented in detail for review by the Board and to expose the intent of those changes to the Ordinance.

IV. FINANCIAL IMPACT AND BUDGET

None at this time.
Review, discuss, and possibly provide direction on next steps to revise Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District which includes but is not limited to setting a public hearing date for February 26, 2020.

V. **ALTERNATIVES**

Board of Trustees can direct Staff to not make revisions to Ordinance 7, An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the Incline Village General Improvement District.

VI. **COMMENTS**

Time is of the essence to act for the changes to be implemented by summer 2020.
Ordinance 7
As it stands today
January 22, 2020
ORDINANCE NO. 7
(As amended June 13, 1991; November 17, 1993;
May 8, 1995; June 12, 1995; March 25, 1998)

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS
FOR RECREATION PASSES AND RECREATION PUNCH CARDS BY THE
INCLINE VILLAGE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

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An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations
for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the
Incline Village General Improvement District

RECREATION PASS ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of
the Incline Village General improvement
District, Washoe County, Nevada, as follows:

ARTICLE I. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Short Title. This ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the "Incline Village
   General Improvement District Recreation Pass Ordinance."

2. Words and Phrases. For the purpose of this ordinance, all words used herein in the
   present tense shall include the future; all words in the plural number shall include the singular
   number; and all words in the singular number shall include the plural number.

3. Separability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance or
   the application thereof to any person or circumstances is for any reason held to be
   unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of
   this ordinance or the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances. The Board
   hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance or any section, subsection, sentence,
   clause or phrase hereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections,
   sentences, clauses or phrases be declared to be unconstitutional.

4. Posting. The adoption of this ordinance shall be entered in the minutes of the Board and
   certified copies hereof shall be posted in three (3) public places in the District for ten (10) days
   following its passage.

ARTICLE II. DEFINITIONS

When used in this ordinance, the following terms shall have the meanings defined below:

5. Affinity signifies the connection existing in consequence of marriage between each of
   the married persons and the blood relatives of the other.

6. Agent means the person designated by an owner to represent the owner in matters
   pertaining to the assignment of recreation privileges.
7. **Assignment** means the naming of persons to receive recreation privileges.

8. **Beach Pass** means a daily pass, good for one day only, sold by the District allowing entry onto the District-owned beaches.

9. **Board** means the Board of Trustees of the Incline Village General improvement District.

10. **Card Holder** means the person who is in possession of a Recreation Punch Card.

11. **Commercial Tenant** means an individual or corporation who rents, or leases, a commercial property for the purposes of conducting business or commercial activity.

12. **Consanguinity** means a blood relationship.

13. **County** means the County of Washoe, Nevada.

14. **Director of Parks and Recreation** means the person appointed as the department head of the Parks and Recreation Department.

15. **District** means the Incline Village General Improvement District (acting through its duly authorized officers or employees within the scope of their respective duties).

16. **Family** means a social unit consisting of people related to the property owner by marriage and to the extent of the first and second degrees of consanguinity and affinity, including parents, children, grandparents, grandchildren, brothers and sisters, and their spouses. *(See attached Exhibit A.)*

17. **General Manager** means the person appointed by the Board of Trustees as the General Manager of the District.

18. **Owner** means any person owning fee title to the property, or portion thereof, or any person in whose name the legal title to the property appears, in whole or in part, by deed duly recorded in the County Recorder's office, or any person exercising acts of ownership over same for himself, or as executor, administrator, guardian or trustee of the Owner.

19. **Parcel** means a single plot of land with or without a dwelling on it, or a single unit within a multi-unit residence as defined by the District Recreation Roll.

20. **Pass Holder** means an individual who has been issued a Recreation Pass.

21. **Recreation** means any leisure or sports facility, program, or service owned, operated or provided by the District, including, but not limited to, beaches, parks, playgrounds, athletic fields, trails, Nordic and alpine ski areas, golf courses, recreation centers, tennis courts, swimming pools, sports leagues, contests, events, classes, and special events.
22. **Recreation Punch Card** means the transferable punch card issued by the District to eligible parcel owners and/or their assignees that can be used to pay the difference between the resident rate and the retail or nonresident rate for access to various District recreation facilities and bears a face value established by the Board. The District can sell additional Recreation Punch Cards to eligible parcel owners or assignees for their personal use as provided in Article VIII, Item 69 herein.

23. **Recreation Fee** means the annual Recreation Standby and Service Charge assessed by the District to finance recreation programs and facilities.

24. **Recreation Pass** means the non-transferable photo identification pass issued by the District for free access to District beaches and for hourly, daily, and seasonal discounts at District-owned recreation facilities. Subject to the familial limitations described herein, the District can sell additional Recreation Passes to eligible parcel owners, residents or assignees for their personal use as provided in Article VIII, Item 69 herein. Additional Recreation Passes sold cannot be used to obtain a resident discount at the District-owned golf facilities.

25. **Recreation Privilege** means any privileges of recreation access or special rates afforded to pass holders or card holders, including the privilege to provide admission for guests.

26. **Resident** means any individual maintaining residence within the boundaries of the District as constituted by law.

**ARTICLE III. RECREATION PRIVILEGE ELIGIBILITY**

27. **Eligible Parcels.** Each District parcel which is assessed a recreation fee, is eligible to receive recreation privileges so long as the assessment on that parcel is current.

28. **Fees Kept Current.** All property taxes, special assessments and recreation fees on a parcel must be paid for the current and prior years to maintain the parcel's eligibility for recreation privileges. The District Recreation Fee must be paid by October 1 of the year billed in order to continue receiving recreation privileges.

29. **Resident Eligibility.** All residents are eligible for an assignment of recreation privileges, provided that they have proof of residency.

30. **Available Privileges.** Every eligible parcel may receive any combination of up to five (5) Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards.

**ARTICLE IV. APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

31. **Application.** Application for recreation privileges must pertain to a specific, eligible parcel. An application will be accepted when filed on the Application Form provided by the District; when accompanied by proof of ownership as set forth in Section 32; and when signed by any owner of the parcel. The form must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office, in person, by fax, or by mail, prior to any issue of recreation privileges as provided by this ordinance.
32. **Proof of Ownership.** Proof of ownership shall be made in one of the following forms:

(a) Written copy of legal deed of title.

(b) Confirmation of ownership by the District from the County Assessor's office.

(c) Confirmation of ownership by the District from a local title company.

33. **Proof of Residence.** Proof of residence shall be made in one, or more, of the following forms:

(a) Written copy of legal lease signed by parcel owner, or authorized agent.

(b) Valid Nevada Driver's License indicating current street address.

(c) Verifiable copies of current utility (phone, electric, water and sewer, etc.) bills in assignee's name.

(d) Valid Washoe County, Nevada, voter's registration card.

34. **Proof of Commercial Tenancy.** Proof of commercial tenancy shall be made with the submittal of a written copy of legal lease signed by the parcel owner, or authorized agent.

Confirmation must be by written document. Written documents need not be certified; however, the District may require further confirmation of uncertified documents.

35. **Application Acceptance.** Application will not be accepted on any parcel if another valid parcel owner or resident application already exists on that parcel. Any application will expire with a change of ownership, residency or tenancy where no party listed on the application continues ownership, residency or tenancy.

36. **Application Approval.** Upon review and verification of the application by the District, the Director of Parks and Recreation, or the Director's designee, shall approve the application. It is the applicant's responsibility to provide the District with all information required for approval.

37. **Application Amendment.** To update information on the application, an approved application may be amended by any verified owner of the parcel, whether or not that owner signed or submitted the original application form.

**ARTICLE V. ASSIGNMENT OF PRIVILEGES**

38. **Assignment Procedures.** Assignment of recreation privileges will be accepted when filed on the Assignment Form and when accompanied by an approved application, or when an approved application is already on file, and when signed by any owner listed on the application.
or any listed owner's designated agent. The assignment form must be filed with the District's Recreation office, in person, by fax, or by mail.

When there is an assignment of recreation privileges, the property owner and assignor shall be jointly and severally liable with assignee(s) respecting any sums of money assignee(s) owes the District related to the use of recreation facilities, including the use of all District-owned meeting facilities.

39. **Agent Designation** Any Owner listed on an approved application may designate an agent by filing and executing an Agent Authorization Form. An owner may only designate one agent. The agent form must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office, in person, by fax, or by mail. Upon review and verification of the agent form by the District, the Director of Parks and Recreation, or the Director's designee, shall approve the form. It is the owner's responsibility to provide the District with all information required for approval.

40. **Multi-Parcel Agent Designation.** If one agent is to serve as a representative of all units in a multi-parcel complex, an Agent Authorization Form signed by the president of the appropriate homeowners' association and a petition signed by owners representing at least two-thirds (2/3) of the affected parcels must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office, in person, by fax, or by mail.

41. **Assignment Acceptance.** Assignment will not be accepted, on any parcel, if another valid assignment already exists on that parcel. Assignment will expire with a change of ownership, where no party listed on the application continues ownership.

42. **PrivilegesAssignable-Residential Parcels.** Every eligible residential parcel may receive any combination of up to five (5) Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards. A Recreation Pass may be assigned to any property owner's eligible family member, or resident, or resident's eligible family member.

43. **Privileges Assignable-Commercial Parcels.** Every eligible commercial parcel may receive any combination of up to five (5) Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards. A Recreation Pass may be assigned to any property owner's family member, commercial tenant principal, or commercial tenant corporate officer.

44. **Assignment Approval.** Upon review and verification of the assignment by the District, the Director of Parks and Recreation, or the Director's designee, shall approve the assignment. It is the owner's or agent's responsibility to provide the District with all information required for approval.

45. **Assignment Amendments.** To update information, the assignment may be amended, and may only be amended, by the person signing the original assignment form. Provided, however, that any owner listed on the approved application or a designated agent of any listed owner may add names of persons to be assigned recreation privileges, to the extent additional privileges are available.
ARTICLE VI. RECREATION PASS

46. A Recreation Pass, subject to the other conditions and restrictions of this recreation pass ordinance, provides the pass holder:

a. free admission to all District-owned beaches; and

b. reduced season pass rates, at District-owned ski and tennis facilities; and

c. reduced daily rates at District-owned golf, ski and tennis facilities; and

d. reduced yearly, quarterly, monthly, or weekly membership rates at District-owned Recreation Center; and

e. reduced daily rates at the District-owned Recreation Center; and

f. reduced rates for the rental of the Chateau, Aspen Grove Community Building, Diamond Peak Ski Lodge, Recreation Center, and District-owned athletic fields; and

g. watercraft launching access at the District-owned boat ramp, for a fee; and

h. guest access to District-owned beaches for a fee; and

i. any other recreation privileges determined by the Board.

47. Term of Pass Issuance. The Recreation Pass of any person will be limited to a term of not less than six (6) months or more than five (5) years. If no term is specified, the minimum term shall apply.

48. Pass Expiration. A Recreation Pass expires when:

a. the stated expiration date has been exceeded; or

b. the parcel changes ownership; or

c. the pass is withdrawn or reassigned to another individual by the owner or his agent; or

d. payment of the District Recreation Fee is delinquent, or

e. the pass is voided pursuant to this ordinance.

49. Ability to Transfer. All Recreation Passes shall be issued for the sole use of the pass holder and are non-transferable.
50. **Responsibilities of Pass Holder.** It is the responsibility of the pass holder to:

a. renew his pass on or before the expiration date shown on the pass;

b. report lost, stolen, or destroyed passes;

c. return all valid passes when eligibility to use passes has expired or when asked by the District to surrender the passes;

d. be responsible for the conduct of his/her guests and for any liability resulting from the guests' use of the District's facilities, or the guests' presence in, or at, the facilities.

51. **Lost/Stolen Recreation Pass.** A charge of $15.00 per pass will be assessed to replace any Recreation Pass that is lost or stolen prior to its date of expiration.

52. **Reassignment Fee.** Reassignment will not be allowed within the initial six months of pass issuance except for the following conditions: (a) the parcel on which the pass is issued changes title; (b) the passholder is deceased; and (c) other circumstances that the Director of Parks & Recreation deems appropriate. In the event of a reassignment where the issued passes are not returned, there will be a charge of $15.00 per pass assessed to the parcel owner. New passes will not be issued for any other individuals unless this fee is paid or the passes are returned.

53. **Ownership Transfer Fee.** A charge of $25.00 per parcel will be assessed to the new owner of a parcel if the Recreation Passes issued on the parcel are not returned to the District when a property changes ownership.

**ARTICLE VII. RECREATION PUNCH CARD**

54. A **Recreation Punch Card** provides the cardholder with a face value of recreation privileges, determined by the Board, which may be applied toward:

a. the difference between the resident rate and the guest rate for daily beach access, daily boat and jet ski launching; and

b. the difference between the resident rate and the retail or nonresident rate for daily access to the District-owned golf, ski, recreation center, and tennis facilities; and

c. the difference between the resident rate and the retail or nonresident rate for any other recreation use fee or rental fee as may be determined by the Board.

55. **Expiration Date.** Recreation Punch Cards shall have a term of one year beginning on May 1. All Recreation Punch Cards expire on the first April 30th following the date of issuance, regardless of when issued during the course of that year.

56. **Transferability.** Recreation Punch Cards are issued against the parcel and are transferable to anyone.
57. **Replacement.** Recreation Punch Cards will not be replaced if lost, stolen, destroyed or used up.

58. **Exchange for Recreation Pass.** Once the Recreation Punch Card is used, it can be exchanged for a Recreation Pass only if all amounts that appear to be punched are paid for by the card holder and a $15.00 invalidation fee is paid to the District.

59. **Refund.** The Recreation Punch Card has no monetary exchange value and therefore cannot be returned to the District for any form of refund or credit, except as provided in paragraph 58 hereof.

**ARTICLE VIII. GENERAL USE REQUIREMENTS**

60. **Use of Recreation Pass and/or Card at Golf.** A maximum of five (5) Recreation Passes per parcel can be used to obtain discounts for daily access for the District-owned golf courses. No other Recreation Passes can be used to obtain daily discounts at the District-owned golf courses, beyond the five.

61. **Recreation Pass or Card Ownership.** All Recreation Passes and Cards are the property of the District and must be returned upon request, and/or upon the loss of eligibility by the pass holder or card holder.

62. **Deed Restrictions.** Parcels annexed to the District after May 30, 1968, are not eligible for District beach access as per deed restrictions listed on the beach property.

63. **Assumption of Risk.** The pass holder or card holder assumes all risk of personal injury to himself and loss of, or damage to, his personal property resulting from use of the recreation facilities.

64. **Fraudulent Use.** False or misleading information to obtain a Recreation Punch Card or Recreation Pass, or any fraudulent use of such card or pass, will be grounds for voiding all recreation privileges issued against the parcel. The District reserves the right to pursue any other legal action.

65. **Selling of Recreation Privileges.** It is strictly forbidden for any individual to sell an assignment of Recreation Privileges, or to sell individual Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards. Any such sales of privileges, passes, or cards is considered to be fraudulent use and will be grounds for voiding all recreation privileges issued against the parcel. The District reserves the right to pursue any other legal action.

66. **Misconduct.** Use of the District's facilities by any pass holder or card holder is a privilege. For misconduct, a pass holder or card holder may be removed from the facilities and/or his/her privileges, including the immediate confiscation of the Recreation Pass or Recreation Punch Card, may be suspended for any period deemed appropriate by the District or those privileges may be revoked, at the District's sole discretion. Misconduct includes but is not limited to:
a. failure to abide by any rule, policy, procedure, or regulation established by the District and all such supplemental rules, policies, procedures, or regulations established for each recreational facility; or

b. violation of any law or ordinance; or

c. disorderly and/or abusive behavior; or

d. excessive or improper use of alcohol and/or drugs; or

e. vandalism or any other form of property damage.

The parent(s), conservator, or guardian of a child who engages in willful misconduct may be jointly and severally liable for the resulting damage. (NRS 41.470, as amended.)

67. **Disciplinary Procedures for Misconduct.**

a. **Incident Report.** An employee may, in a timely fashion, submit a written incident report of facts within that employee's own, personal knowledge concerning the alleged misconduct of a user, regardless of whether that user was removed from the premises for that same alleged misconduct.

b. **Removal.** Under exigent circumstances, a District employee may remove a user from District property, with or without the assistance of the Washoe County Sheriff's Office. Exigent circumstances include but are not limited to a threat of bodily harm, to him/herself or others, a risk of property damage, and/or a persistent refusal to obey the law and/or policies and procedures, or regulations of the District.

(1) Washoe County Sheriff Assistance. The District may request at any time the assistance of the Washoe County Sheriff's Office in maintaining order.

(2) Incident Report. The employee(s) involved in the removal shall file an incident report with the department head of that facility within 24 hours of the occurrence.

c. **Suspension, Revocation, or Other Disposition.**

(1) **Department Head.** Within a reasonable time following receipt of an incident report, the Department Head may determine that sufficient evidence of serious misconduct exists, indicating adequate grounds for suspension or revocation of privileges. Upon such an assessment, the Department Head shall provide the user with written notice of the accusation(s) and the possible sanction/penalty which may result. The notice shall also provide the user with the date, time and place at which the user may appear before the Department Head and the accusing employee(s), to respond to the claims and to explain the user's position concerning the incident.
(a) **Notice.** The written notice shall be signed by the Department Head and mailed, certified return receipt requested, to the District's record address of the user. Attached to the notice shall be a copy of the incident report(s). If the user is a minor, an additional copy of the notice shall be mailed to the parent(s) or person(s) in loco parentis of the user-child.

(b) **Hearing.** Within five (5) business days of mailing the written notice, unless otherwise agreed by the Department Head and the user, the Department Head shall hold a hearing to determine the accuracy of the representations contained in the Incident Report and to determine what, if any, further action shall be taken by the District. At this hearing, the employee(s) bringing the charges shall provide testimony and the user shall have opportunity to respond and explain. At the close of the hearing, the Department Head may render his/her opinion orally or take the matter under submission. The Department Head shall deliver a written decision concerning the allegations and any resulting suspension or revocation within two (2) business days following the hearing.

(c) **Decision.** The Department Head shall include findings of facts, conclusions of misconduct, and sanction/penalty, if any imposed, in the decision; additionally, the Department Head shall inform the user in the decision of the user's right to appeal the decision to the District's General Manager. Such disposition shall include, but not be limited to, the following: suspension, revocation, reprimand (oral or written), or a determination of no action of no misconduct.

(d) **Notice of Appeal.** In order to avail him/herself of the right to appeal to the General Manager, the user must so inform the General Manager by letter delivered to the District's Administrative Building (located at 893 Southwood Boulevard, Incline Village, NV 89451) within two (2) business days of issuance of the written opinion.

(2) **District General Manager.** Within five (5) business days of the user's notice of appeal letter, the General Manager shall hear the user's appeal. Also at this hearing shall be the charging employee(s) and the deciding Department Head, to respond to the user's assertions. The General Manager shall render his/her written decision within two (2) business days of the appellate hearing. In the decision, the General Manager shall uphold, modify, or reverse, in whole or in part, the Department Head's decision. The General Manager shall advise the user in this written decision of the user's right to appeal the General Manager's decision to the District's Board of Trustees. In order to avail him/herself of the right of final appeal to the Board of Trustees, the user must so inform the Board by letter delivered to the District's Administrative Building (located at 893 Southwood Boulevard, Incline Village, NV 89451) within five (5) business days of issuance of the written opinion from the General Manager.

(3) **Board of Trustees.** The Board of Trustees shall hear the user's duly agendized appeal at the Board's next regularly scheduled public meeting. (NRS 241.030 (3) (d): nothing contained in the Chapter 241 shall require that any meeting be closed to the public.) Also at this hearing shall be the charging employee(s), the deciding Department Head, and General Manager, to respond to the user's assertions. The Board shall render its decision at this
hearing. By its decision, the Board shall uphold, modify, or overturn, in whole or in part, the General Manager's decision. The Board's decision is final.

d. **Right of Representation.** The user may enlist the assistance of legal counsel, of the user's choice and at his/her expense, at any and all stages of these proceedings.

e. **Reservation.** Nothing herein shall preclude the District from utilizing any and all legal and/or equitable remedies, in the stead of or in addition to the present procedure.

68. **Other Issuance.** Nothing in this ordinance shall prevent the District from issuing recreation privileges to employees, former Board members, or anyone else, in the past, present or future, as approved by the Board of Trustees.

69. **Purchase of Additional Recreation Passes or Cards.** If any owner wishes to purchase additional Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards, the owner may do so by paying an additional fee equal to one-fifth of the current District Recreation Fee for each Pass or Card for the parcel in question. Additional Recreation Passes are valid for a period of one (1) year from the date of purchase, unless they expire on an earlier date as provided in paragraph 48 hereof. Additional Recreation Passes can only be purchased for eligible family members of parcel owners or residents. Additional Recreation Punch Cards are valid from the date of purchase until the first April 30th following the date of purchase and can be used by any individual. Additional Recreation Passes or Cards cannot be purchased for commercial parcels and their tenants. An application for additional recreation passes or cards must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office.

70. **Personal Identification.** Prior to issuance of any recreation privilege, identification of the person receiving the privilege may be required in the form of a valid photo identification card, such as an automobile driver's license.

71. **Administration.** The General Manager may from time to time adopt, amend, or rescind rules consistent with this ordinance. The General Manager shall hold the final authority to interpret this ordinance and rules adopted thereunder. Such authority shall include the application of this ordinance and rules to specific people, parcels, and circumstances. The day-to-day administration of this ordinance is hereby delegated to the Director of Parks and Recreation.

**ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENTS**

72. **Modification of Privileges.** The recreation privileges issued under this ordinance shall be modified by the terms of any amendments to this ordinance subsequently adopted by the Board. Nothing in this ordinance shall be deemed to limit the Board's discretion to modify the terms of this ordinance or the application of any such modification to Recreation Passes, Recreation Punch Cards and other recreation privileges outstanding, including alterations in the terms or expiration dates thereof.

73. **Effective Date.** The effective date of this ordinance was January 1, 1988. The terms of this ordinance applied to all recreation privileges that were outstanding on that date. The
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(As amended June 13, 1991; November 17, 1993;
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AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS
FOR RECREATION PASSES AND RECREATION PUNCH CARDS BY THE
INCLINE VILLAGE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

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An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations
for Recreation Passes and Recreation Punch Cards by the
Incline Village General Improvement District

RECREATION PASS ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of
the Incline Village General Improvement
District, Washoe County, Nevada, as follows:

ARTICLE I. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. **Short Title.** This ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the "Incline Village
General Improvement District Recreation Pass Ordinance."

2. **Words and Phrases.** For the purpose of this ordinance, all words used herein in the present
   tense shall include the future; all words in the plural number shall include the singular number;
   and all words in the singular number shall include the plural number.

3. **Separability.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance or the
   application thereof to any person or circumstances is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or
   invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or
   the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances. The Board hereby declares
   that it would have passed this ordinance or any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase
   hereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or
   phrases be declared to be unconstitutional.

4. **Posting.** The adoption of this ordinance shall be entered in the minutes of the Board and
   certified copies hereof shall be posted in three (3) public places in the District for ten (10) days
   following its passage.

ARTICLE II. DEFINITIONS

When used in this ordinance, the following terms shall have the meanings defined below:

5. **Affinity** signifies the connection existing in consequence of marriage between each of
   the married persons and the blood relatives of the other.

6. **Agent** means the person designated by an owner to represent the owner in matters
   pertaining to the assignment of recreation privileges.
7. **Assignment** means the naming of persons to receive recreation privileges.

8. **Beach Pass** means a daily pass, good for one day only, sold by the District allowing entry onto the District-owned beaches.

9. **Board** means the Board of Trustees of the Incline Village General Improvement District.

10. **Card Holder** means the person who is in possession of a Recreation Punch Card.

11. **Commercial Tenant** means an individual or corporation who rents, or leases, a commercial property for the purposes of conducting business or commercial activity.

12. **Consanguinity** means a blood relationship.

13. **County** means the County of Washoe, Nevada.

14. **Director of Parks and Recreation** means the person appointed as the department head of the Parks and Recreation Department.

15. **District** means the Incline Village General Improvement District (acting through its duly authorized officers or employees within the scope of their respective duties).

16. **Family** means a social unit consisting of people related to the property owner by marriage and to the extent of the first and second degrees of consanguinity and affinity, including parents, children, grandparents, grandchildren, brothers and sisters, and their spouses. *(See attached Exhibit A.)*

17. **General Manager** means the person appointed by the Board of Trustees as the General Manager of the District.

18. **Owner** means any person owning fee title to the property, or portion thereof, or any person in whose name the legal title to the property appears, in whole or in part, by deed duly recorded in the County Recorder's office, or any person exercising acts of ownership over same for himself, or as executor, administrator, guardian or trustee of the Owner.

19. **Parcel** means a single plot of land with or without a dwelling on it, or a single unit within a multi-unit residence as defined by the District Recreation Roll.

20. **Pass Holder** means an individual who has been issued a Recreation Pass.

21. **Recreation** means any leisure or sports facility, program, or service owned, operated or provided by the District, including, but not limited to, beaches, parks, playgrounds, athletic fields, trails, Nordic and alpine ski areas, golf courses, recreation centers, tennis courts, swimming pools, sports leagues, contests, events, classes, and special events.
22. **Recreation Punch Card** means the transferable punch card issued by the District to eligible parcel owners and/or their assignees that can be used to pay the difference between the resident rate and the retail or nonresident rate for access to various District recreation facilities and bears a face value established by the Board. The District can sell additional Recreation Punch Cards to eligible parcel owners or assignees for their personal use as provided in Article VIII, Item 69 herein.

23. **Recreation Fee** means the annual Recreation Standby and Service Charge assessed by the District to finance recreation programs and facilities.

24. **Recreation Pass** means the non-transferable photo identification pass issued by the District for free access to District beaches and for hourly, daily, and seasonal discounts at District-owned recreation facilities. Subject to the familial limitations described herein, the District can sell additional Recreation Passes to eligible parcel owners, residents or assignees for their personal use as provided in Article VIII, Item 69 herein. Additional Recreation Passes sold cannot be used to obtain a resident discount at the District-owned golf facilities.

25. **Recreation Privilege** means any privileges of recreation access or special rates afforded to pass holders or card holders, including the privilege to provide admission for guests.

26. **Resident** means any individual maintaining residence within the boundaries of the District as constituted by law.

**ARTICLE III. RECREATION PRIVILEGE ELIGIBILITY**

27. **Eligible Parcels.** Each District parcel which is assessed a recreation fee, is eligible to receive recreation privileges so long as the assessment on that parcel is current.

28. **Fees Kept Current.** All property taxes, special assessments and recreation fees on a parcel must be paid for the current and prior years to maintain the parcel’s eligibility for recreation privileges. The District Recreation Fee must be paid current as of October 1 (no delinquency shown through the most recent tax year ending June 30) of the year billed in order to continue receiving recreation privileges as determined by the Washoe County Treasurer.

29. **Resident Eligibility.** All residents are eligible for an assignment of recreation privileges, provided that they have proof of residency.

30. **Available Privileges.** Every eligible parcel may receive any combination of up to five (5) Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards.

**ARTICLE IV. APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

31. **Application.** Application for recreation privileges must pertain to a specific, eligible parcel. An application will be accepted when filed on the Application Form provided by the District; when accompanied by proof of ownership as set forth in Section 32; and when signed by any owner of the parcel. The form must be filed with the District’s Parks and Recreation office, in person, by electronic formats, or by mail, prior to any issue of recreation privileges as provided by this ordinance.
32. **Proof of Ownership.** Proof of ownership shall be made in one of the following forms:

(a) Written copy of legal deed of title.

(b) Confirmation of ownership by the District from the County Assessor’s office.

(c) Confirmation of ownership by the District from a local title company.

33. **Proof of Residence.** Proof of residence shall be made in one, or more, of the following forms:

(a) Written copy of legal lease signed by parcel owner, or authorized agent.

(b) Valid Nevada Driver’s License indicating current street address.

(c) Verifiable copies of current utility (phone, electric, water and sewer, etc.) bills in assignee’s name.

(d) Valid Washoe County, Nevada, voter’s registration card.

34. **Proof of Commercial Tenancy.** Proof of commercial tenancy shall be made with the submittal of a written copy of legal lease signed by the parcel owner, or authorized agent.

Confirmation must be by written document. Written documents need not be certified; however, the District may require further confirmation of uncertified documents.

35. **Application Acceptance.** Application will not be accepted on any parcel if another valid parcel owner or resident application already exists on that parcel. Any application will expire with a change of ownership, residency or tenancy where no party listed on the application continues ownership, residency or tenancy.

36. **Application Approval.** Upon review and verification of the application by the District, the Director of Parks and Recreation, or the Director’s designee, shall approve the application. It is the applicant’s responsibility to provide the District with all information required for approval.

37. **Application Amendment.** To update information on the application, an approved application may be amended by any verified owner of the parcel, whether or not that owner signed or submitted the original application form.

**ARTICLE V. ASSIGNMENT OF PRIVILEGES**

38. **Assignment Procedures.** Assignment of recreation privileges will be accepted when filed on the Assignment Form and when accompanied by an approved application, or when an approved application is already on file, and when signed by any owner listed on the application.
or any listed owner's designated agent. The assignment form must be filed with the District's
Recreation office, in person, by fax/electronic formats, or by mail.

When there is an assignment of recreation privileges, the property owner and assignor shall be
jointly and severally liable with assignee(s) respecting any sums of money assignee(s) owes the
District related to the use of recreation facilities, including the use of all District-owned meeting
facilities.

39. Agent Designation. Any Owner listed on an approved application may designate an agent
by filing and executing an Agent Authorization Form. An owner may only designate one
agent. The agent form must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office, in person, by
fax/electronic formats, or by mail. Upon review and verification of the agent form by the District,
the Director of Parks and Recreation, or the Director's designee, shall approve the form. It is the
owner's responsibility to provide the District with all information required for approval.

40. Multi-Parcel Agent Designation. If one agent is to serve as a representative of all units
in a multi-parcel complex, an Agent Authorization Form signed by the president of the
appropriate homeowners' association and a petition signed by owners representing at least two-
thirds (2/3) of the affected parcels must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office, in
person, by fax/electronic formats, or by mail.

41. Assignment Acceptance. Assignment will not be accepted, on any parcel, if another valid
assignment already exists on that parcel. Assignment will expire with a change of ownership,
where no party listed on the application continues ownership.

42. Privileges Assignable - Residential Parcels. Every eligible residential parcel may receive
any combination of up to five (5) Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards. A Recreation Pass
may be assigned to any property owner's eligible family member, or resident, or resident's eligible
family member.

43. Privileges Assignable - Commercial Parcels. Every eligible commercial parcel may
receive any combination of up to five (5) Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards. A Recreation Pass may be assigned to any property owner's family member, commercial tenant
principal, or commercial tenant corporate officer.

44. Assignment Approval. Upon review and verification of the assignment by the District,
the Director of Parks and Recreation, or the Director's designee, shall approve the assignment. It is
the owner's or agent's responsibility to provide the District with all information required for
approval.

45. Assignment Amendments. To update information, the assignment may be amended, and
may only be amended, by the person signing the original assignment form. Provided, however,
that any owner listed on the approved application or a designated agent of any listed owner may
add names of persons to be assigned recreation privileges, to the extent additional privileges are
available.
ARTICLE VI. RECREATION PASS

46. A **Recreation Pass**, subject to the other conditions and restrictions of this recreation pass ordinance, provides the pass holder:

   a. free admission to all District-owned beaches; and
   
b. reduced season pass rates, at District-owned [golf, ski and tennis facilities]; and
   
c. reduced daily rates at District-owned golf, ski and tennis facilities; and
   
d. reduced yearly, quarterly, monthly, or weekly membership rates at District-owned Recreation Center; and
   
e. reduced daily rates at the District-owned Recreation Center; and
   
f. reduced rates for the rental of the Chateau, Aspen Grove Community Building, Diamond Peak Ski Lodge, Recreation Center, and District-owned athletic fields; and
   
g. watercraft launching access at the District-owned boat ramp, for a fee; and
   
h. guest access to District-owned [golf, ski, tennis facilities, and] beaches for a fee; and
   
i. any other recreation privileges determined by the Board.

47. **Term of Pass Issuance.** The Recreation Pass of any person will be limited to a term of not less than six (6) months or more than five (5) years, **not beyond the person’s eighteenth (18) birthday. The Recreation Pass of any person older than eighteen (18) will have if no term is specified, the minimum term shall apply.**

48. **Pass Expiration.** A Recreation Pass expires when:

   a. the stated expiration date has been exceeded; or
   
b. the parcel changes ownership; or
   
c. the pass is withdrawn or reassigned to another individual by the owner or his agent; or
   
d. payment of the District Recreation Fee is delinquent, or
   
e. the pass is voided pursuant to this ordinance.

49. **Ability to Transfer.** All Recreation Passes shall be issued for the sole use of the pass holder and are non-transferable.
50. **Responsibilities of Pass Holder.** It is the responsibility of the pass holder to:

a. renew his pass on or before the expiration date shown on the pass;

b. report lost, stolen, or destroyed passes;

c. return all valid passes when eligibility to use passes has expired or when asked by the District to surrender the passes;

d. be responsible for the conduct of his/her guests and for any liability resulting from the guests’ use of the District’s facilities, or the guests’ presence in, or at, the facilities.

51. **Lost/Stolen Recreation Pass.** A charge of $15.00 per pass will be assessed to replace any Recreation Pass that is lost or stolen prior to its date of expiration.

52. **Reassignment Fee.** Reassignment will not be allowed within the initial six months of pass issuance except for the following conditions: (a) the parcel on which the pass is issued changes title; (b) the passholder is deceased; and (c) other circumstances that the Director of Parks & Recreation deems appropriate. In the event of a reassignment where the issued passes are not returned, there will be a charge of $15.00 per pass assessed to the parcel owner. New passes will not be issued for any other individuals unless this fee is paid or the passes are returned.

53. **Ownership Transfer Fee.** A charge of $25.00 per parcel will be assessed to the new owner of a parcel if the Recreation Passes issued on the parcel are not returned to the District when a property changes ownership.

**ARTICLE VII. RECREATION PUNCH CARD**

54. A **Recreation Punch Card** provides the cardholder with a face value of recreation privileges, determined by the Board, which may be applied toward:

a. the difference between the resident rate and the guest rate for daily beach access, daily boat and jet ski launching; and

b. the difference between the resident rate and the retail or nonresident rate for daily access to the District-owned golf, ski, recreation center, and tennis facilities; and

c. the difference between the resident rate and the retail or nonresident rate for any other recreation use fee or rental fee as may be determined by the Board.

55. **Expiration Date.** Recreation Punch Cards shall have a term of one year beginning on May 1. All Recreation Punch Cards expire on the first April 30th, May 31st following the date of issuance, regardless of when issued during the course of that year.

56. **Transferability.** Recreation Punch Cards are issued against the parcel and are transferable to anyone.
57. Replacement. Recreation Punch Cards will not be replaced if lost, stolen, destroyed or used up.

58. Exchange for Recreation Pass. Once the Recreation Punch Card is used, it can be exchanged for a Recreation Pass only if all amounts that appear to be punched are paid for by the card holder and an $15.00 invalidation fee is paid to the District.

59. Refund. The Recreation Punch Card has no monetary exchange value and therefore cannot be returned to the District for any form of refund or credit, except as provided in paragraph 58 hereof.

ARTICLE VIII. GENERAL USE REQUIREMENTS

60. Use of Recreation Pass and/or Card at Golf. A maximum of five (5) Recreation Passes per parcel can be used to obtain discounts for daily access for the District owned golf courses. No other All - Recreation Passes can be used to obtain seasonal and daily discounts at the District- owned golf courses beyond the five.

61. Recreation Pass or Card Ownership. All Recreation Passes and Cards are the property of the District and must be returned upon request, and/or upon the loss of eligibility by the pass holder or card holder.

62. Deed Restrictions. Parcels annexed to the District after May 30, 1968, are not eligible for District beach access as per deed restrictions listed on the beach property.

63. Assumption of Risk. The pass holder or card holder assumes all risk of personal injury to himself and loss of, or damage to, his personal property resulting from use of the recreation facilities.

64. Fraudulent Use. False or misleading information to obtain a Recreation Punch Card or Recreation Pass, or any fraudulent use of such card or pass, will be grounds for voiding all recreation privileges issued against the parcel. The District reserves the right to pursue any other legal action.

65. Selling of Recreation Privileges. It is strictly forbidden for any individual to sell an assignment of Recreation Privileges, or to sell individual Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards. Any such sales of privileges, passes, or cards is considered to be fraudulent use and will be grounds for voiding all recreation privileges issued against the parcel. The District reserves the right to pursue any other legal action.

66. Misconduct. Use of the District’s facilities by any pass holder or card holder is a privilege. For misconduct, a pass holder or card holder may be removed from the facilities and/or his/her privileges, including the immediate confiscation of the Recreation Pass or Recreation Punch Card, may be suspended for any period deemed appropriate by the District or those privileges may be revoked, at the District’s sole discretion. Misconduct includes but is not limited to:
a. failure to abide by any rule, policy, procedure, or regulation established by the District and all such supplemental rules, policies, procedures, or regulations established for each recreational facility; or

b. violation of any law or ordinance; or

c. disorderly and/or abusive behavior; or

d. excessive or improper use of alcohol and/or drugs; or

e. vandalism or any other form of property damage.

The parent(s), conservator, or guardian of a child who engages in willful misconduct may be jointly and severally liable for the resulting damage. (NRS 41.470, as amended.)

67. **Disciplinary Procedures for Misconduct.**

a. **Incident Report.** An employee may, in a timely fashion, submit a written incident report of facts within that employee's own, personal knowledge concerning the alleged misconduct of a user, regardless of whether that user was removed from the premises for that same alleged misconduct.

b. **Removal.** Under exigent circumstances, a District employee may remove a user from District property, with or without the assistance of the Washoe County Sheriff's Office. Exigent circumstances include but are not limited to a threat of bodily harm, to him/herself or others, a risk of property damage, and/or a persistent refusal to obey the law and/or policies and procedures, or regulations of the District.

(1) Washoe County Sheriff Assistance. The District may request at any time the assistance of the Washoe County Sheriff's Office in maintaining order.

(2) Incident Report. The employee(s) involved in the removal shall file an incident report with the department head of that facility within 24 hours of the occurrence.

c. **Suspension, Revocation, or Other Disposition.**

(1) **Department Head.** Within a reasonable time following receipt of an incident report, the Department Head may determine that sufficient evidence of serious misconduct exists, indicating adequate grounds for suspension or revocation of privileges. Upon such an assessment, the Department Head shall provide the user with written notice of the accusation(s) and the possible sanction/penalty which may result. The notice shall also provide the user with the date, time and place at which the user may appear before the Department Head and the accusing employee(s), to respond to the claims and to explain the user's position concerning the incident.
(a) **Notice.** The written notice shall be signed by the Department Head and mailed, certified return receipt requested, to the District’s record address of the user. Attached to the notice shall be a copy of the incident report(s). If the user is a minor, an additional copy of the notice shall be mailed to the parent(s) or person(s) in loco parentis of the user-child.

(b) **Hearing.** Within five (5) business days of mailing the written notice, unless otherwise agreed by the Department Head and the user, the Department Head shall hold a hearing to determine the accuracy of the representations contained in the Incident Report and to determine what, if any, further action shall be taken by the District. At this hearing, the employee(s) bringing the charges shall provide testimony and the user shall have opportunity to respond and explain. At the close of the hearing, the Department Head may render his/her opinion orally or take the matter under submission. The Department Head shall deliver a written decision concerning the allegations and any resulting suspension or revocation within two (2) business days following the hearing.

(c) **Decision.** The Department Head shall include findings of facts, conclusions of misconduct, and sanction/penalty, if any imposed, in the decision; additionally, the Department Head shall inform the user in the decision of the user’s right to appeal the decision to the District’s General Manager. Such disposition shall include, but not be limited to, the following: suspension, revocation, reprimand (oral or written), or a determination of no action of no misconduct.

(d) **Notice of Appeal.** In order to avail him/herself of the right to appeal to the General Manager, the user must so inform the General Manager by letter delivered to the District’s Administrative Building (located at 893 Southwood Boulevard, Incline Village, NV 89451) within two (2) business days of issuance of the written opinion.

(2) **District General Manager.** Within five (5) business days of the user’s notice of appeal letter, the General Manager shall hear the user’s appeal. Also at this hearing, shall be the charging employee(s) and the deciding Department Head, to respond to the user’s assertions. The General Manager shall render his/her written decision within two (2) business days of the appellate hearing. In the decision, the General Manager shall uphold, modify, or reverse, in whole or in part, the Department Head’s decision. The General Manager shall advise the user in this written decision of the user’s right to appeal the General Manager’s decision to the District’s Board of Trustees. In order to avail him/herself of the right of final appeal to the Board of Trustees, the user must so inform the Board by letter delivered to the District’s Administrative Building (located at 893 Southwood Boulevard, Incline Village, NV 89451) within five (5) business days of issuance of the written opinion from the General Manager.

(3) **Board of Trustees.** The Board of Trustees shall hear the user’s duly agendized appeal at the Board’s next regularly scheduled public meeting. (NRS 241.030 (43) (d): nothing contained in the Chapter 241 shall require that any meeting be closed to the public.) Also at this hearing shall be the charging employee(s), the deciding Department Head, and General Manager, to respond to the user’s assertions. The Board shall render its decision at this
hearing. By its decision, the Board shall uphold, modify, or overturn, in whole or in part, the General Manager's decision. The Board's decision is final.

d. **Right of Representation.** The user may enlist the assistance of legal counsel, of the user's choice and at his/her expense, at any and all stages of these proceedings.

e. **Reservation.** Nothing herein shall preclude the District from utilizing any and all legal and/or equitable remedies, in the stead of or in addition to the present procedure.

68. **Other Issuance.** Nothing in this ordinance shall prevent the District from issuing recreation privileges to employees, former Board members, or anyone else, in the past, present or future, as approved by the Board of Trustees.

69. **Purchase of Additional Recreation Passes or Cards.** If any owner wishes to purchase additional Recreation Passes or Recreation Punch Cards, the owner may do so by paying an additional fee equal to one-fifth of the current District Recreation Fee for each Pass or Card for the parcel in question. Additional Recreation Passes are valid for a period of one (1) year from the date of purchase, unless they expire on an earlier date as provided in paragraph 48 hereof. Additional Recreation Passes can only be purchased for eligible family members of parcel owners or residents. Additional Recreation Punch Cards are valid from the date of purchase until the first April 30th, May 31st following the date of purchase and can be used by any individual. Additional Recreation Passes or Cards cannot be purchased for commercial parcels and their tenants. An application for additional recreation passes or cards must be filed with the District's Parks and Recreation office.

70. **Personal Identification.** Prior to issuance of any recreation privilege, identification of the person receiving the privilege may be required in the form of a valid photo identification card, such as an automobile driver's license.

71. **Administration.** The General Manager may from time to time adopt, amend, or rescind rules consistent with this ordinance. The General Manager shall hold the final authority to interpret this ordinance and rules adopted thereunder. Such authority shall include the application of this ordinance and rules to specific people, parcels, and circumstances. The day-to-day administration of this ordinance is hereby delegated to the Director of Parks and Recreation.

**ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENTS**

7273. **Modification of Privileges.** The recreation privileges issued under this ordinance shall be modified by the terms of any amendments to this ordinance subsequently adopted by the Board. Nothing in this ordinance shall be deemed to limit the Board's discretion to modify the terms of this ordinance or the application of any such modification to Recreation Passes, Recreation Punch Cards and other recreation privileges outstanding, including alterations in the terms or expiration dates thereof.

74. **Effective Date.** The effective date of this ordinance was January 1, 1988. The terms of this ordinance applied to all recreation privileges that were outstanding on that date. The
Director of Parks and Recreation is empowered to determine how to administer the application of this ordinance to existing privileges. The effective date of this amendment shall be March 26, 1998TBD 2020.
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