



## CITY OF BANNING STAFF REPORT

**TO:** CITY COUNCIL  
**FROM:** Elizabeth Gibbs, City Manager  
**PREPARED BY:** Ralph Wright, Parks and Recreation Director  
**MEETING DATE:** June 23, 2026  
**SUBJECT:** Proclamation - July as Parks and Recreation Month

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### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Proclaim July 2026 as Parks and Recreation Month

### **BACKGROUND:**

For over 40 years, July has been recognized as Parks and Recreation Month. It is an opportunity to celebrate all things Parks and Recreation and the value it provides to a community, State and Country.

The Parks and Recreation Department offers programs and events throughout the month of July, such as our Annual July 4th Celebration, Summer Day Camp, Swimming Programs, Senior Activities and much more.

### **JUSTIFICATION:**

Parks and Recreation Services are an integral part of the community that provide lasting memories for everyone in the City of Banning.

### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

There is no Fiscal impact associated with this proclamation.

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

1. [Proclamation\\_Parks and Recreation Month 2026.docx](#)