SUBJECT: TEMPORARY LIGHTING AT SKATE PARK

REQUESTED BY: Council Member Chappel

PREPARED BY: K. VanGorder/T. Leoni DATE: November 16, 1998

FOR AGENDA OF: November 23, 1998

SUMMARY:

As a result of the work session last week, this CM is being proposed to authorize temporary lighting at the Skate Park.

We have concluded that one pole with two 500-watt halogen lights (similar to Wonderland) and Corelock (above ground housing for cable) will need to be installed in order to run electricity from the Valley Performing Arts (VPA) building, which is the closest source of electricity.

We are estimating that the project will cost \$5,000, however, due to time constraints, we were unable to get a firm cost estimate at this time. Once a firm estimate is obtained, I will forward the information to the council and the dollar amount may have to be amended from the floor.

The council also needs to address the lighting options available, which are as follows:

Option No. 1: Have lighting at the Skate Park on a timer which will automatically

turn off at a time to be determined by the council.

Option No. 2: Install a photo cell, automatic light which will come on as darkness

approaches and turn off during the daylight hours.

Option No. 3. Due to weather conditions, the Skate Park is unusable; therefore

lighting may be postponed until the spring of 1999.

FISCAL IMPACT: ___No _X_Yes Amount: \$5,000 for installation plus electricity.

Fund: 411.2700, Council Contingency (Balance on 11/13/98 = \$13,354.90)

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Council to discuss options on the installation of lighting at the Skate Park during the winter months.

MAYOR REVIEW/COMMENT:

Reviewed by: SARAH PALIN, Mayor

Attachments: none

APPROVED Option #3