



# INDIAN WELLS CITY COUNCIL

## July 18, 2024

**To:** City Council  
**From:** City Manager Department  
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**Subject:** **Community Activities Committee Update**

### RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:

Council **RECEIVES** and **FILES** the Community Activities Committee Update for the Fiscal Year 2024-25 Event Calendar; and

**FINDS** the action exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) review under Guidelines section 15061(b)(3).

### BACKGROUND:

The Community Activities Committee (“the Committee”) is continuing to develop and finalize the resident events calendar for Fiscal Year 2024-25. The Committee meets monthly to plan and implement various events and to increase resident benefits in the community. Over the next few months, the Committee will continue to discuss the current list of events and activities, but also to incorporate new events for residents. The Committee voted on the following events of the year as outlined below.

The Committee is recommending the following resident events:

- Resident Welcome Back Party on Wednesday, October 23, 2024
- Veteran’s Day on Monday, November 11, 2024
- The Living Desert Wildlights Event Tickets (TBD)
- Back 9 Walks (TBD)
- Indian Wells Residents Day at the Palm Springs Air Museum in February, date (TBD)
- Salton Sea Tour in February, date (TBD)
- Indian Wells Wellness Week in February, date (TBD)
- Author Series, March, date (TBD)
- End of Season Party on Thursday, April 10, 2025
- Memorial Day Ceremony Monday, May 26, 2025
- Second Tour, date (TBD)
- Summer Social, July, date (TBD)

## **FISCAL IMPACT:**

The Fiscal Year 2024-25 budget for the Community Activities Committee is \$145,000, and all events are within the current budget adopted by the City Council.

## **CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA):**

The action is not a project within the meaning of Section 15378 of the State of California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") Guidelines, because it has no potential for resulting in physical change in the environment, directly or indirectly; and that the action is nonetheless exempt from the requirements of CEQA in that the activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects that have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. (15061(b)(3).)