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Consider a resolution amending "Appendix A: Fees, Rates and Charges" to the Code of Ordinances (2010 Edition) related to Chapter 20, Library fees and Chapter 26 Parks and Recreation nonresident fees.

The resolution amends Appendix A to the City of Round Rock Code of Ordinances and removes all references of nonresident fees with regards to the Library and Parks and Recreation and is a companion item to the ordinance considered earlier on this agenda. The concept of eliminating nonresident fees for Parks and Recreation activities and Library cards was discussed and favorably received at the Council's most recent retreat in February.

In an effort to deliver a better experience to all of those that attend Parks and Recreation activities and obtain Library cards, staff feels eliminating the nonresident fees would be a good idea. Checking residency is time consuming for staff and often times confusing for patrons. Discussions of resident can back up lines when entering pools like the Rock'N River and hold up the line at the Library for residents and nonresidents alike.

The lost money, while not insignificant, represents only .17% of general fund revenues. Current preliminary budget preparations have taken this revenue estimate reduction into account.

Staff recommends approval.