# Transition of Aquatics Operations and Programming

City Council Meeting February 6, 2024 Agenda Item 15.3

### Background

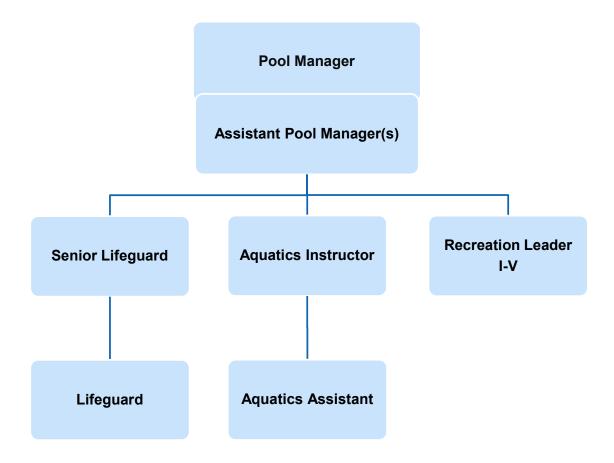
- City Swimming Pools
  - Brooking Park
  - Holiday Park
  - Oak Park
  - Souza Park
  - Victory Park (design phase)
  - McKinley Park (design phase)
- City has outsourced a percentage of aquatics operations & programming since 2003
- City responsible for maintenance

# Internal Operations & Programming

- Advantages
  - Increased program consistency
  - Increased community responsiveness
  - Collaboration with community partners
  - Foster positive relationships with community
  - Build career pathway for youth

## Staffing

• New classification specifications



### Fiscal Impact

- Operating expenditures were included in the Fiscal Year 2023-24 budget.
- In-house operations require an additional \$87,000 for Fiscal Year 2023-24
  - Staffing
  - Staff training and certifications
  - Safety and training equipment
  - ADA-compliant lift for each pool

#### Recommendation

- Adopt resolution to:
  - Transition aquatics operations and programming of City pools to Community Services Department
  - Approve part time aquatics staff positions
  - Amend FY 23-24 Annual Budget to appropriate \$87,000 from the Strong Communities Fund (5025-000-210)