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Staff Report

ITEM 2-10

To: Lemoore City Council
From: Eric Ferreira, Recreation Coordinator
Date: October 16, 2014 **Meeting Date:** October 21, 2014
Subject: Veterans Day 5K Run/Walk – November 8, 2014

Discussion:

The inaugural Veterans Day 5K will be held on Saturday, November 8, 2014 at Lions Park. Runners and walkers will begin checking in at 7:00 am and the 5K run/walk will start at 8:00 am. Participants will line on Fallenleaf, headed east towards Fox Street. A police squad car will temporarily stop westbound traffic from 7:55 am – 8:05 am on Fallenleaf, to ensure the 100+ participants safely line up and start the race. As the races approach Fox, they will be spaced out enough to run on the sidewalks for the remainder of the route. Police and VIPs will be directing traffic at major intersections and volunteers will be throughout the course cheering on the runners and further ensuring their safety.

Budget Impact:

None.

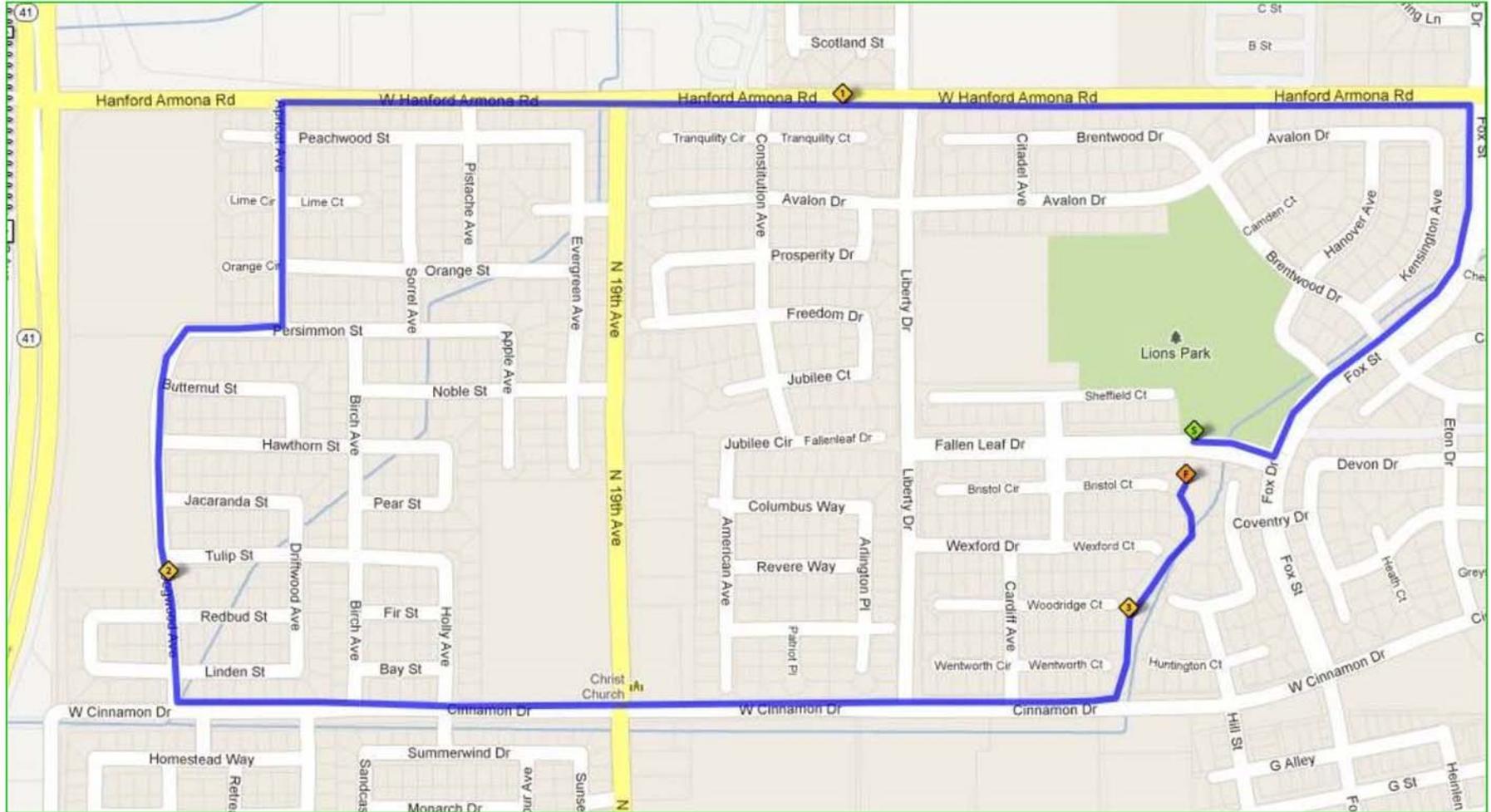
Recommendation:

That the City Council, by motion, approve a temporary street closure for the inaugural Veterans Day 5K Run/Walk.

Veterans Day 5k

7:00 a.m. Check-in

8:00 a.m. Start



Run Directions

- Starting line at Lions Park on Fallenleaf Dr.
- Turn left on Fox St.
- Right on Hanford Armona Rd.
- Left on Apricot St.
- Right on Persimmon St.
- Left on Dogwood Ave.
- Left on Cinnamon.
- Left on paved path in Lions Park
- Finish Line is just before Fallenleaf Dr.

Tips

- Stay cautious for traffic!
- Run on sidewalks or within bike lanes
- Slow runners/walkers stay on the right
- Have Fun!