

Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council Item ID 22272 Agenda Number 16.

Meeting Date: 2/28/2013 Department: Parks and Recreation

<u>Subject</u>

Approve a resolution authorizing the use of Lake Austin, Lake Long, and Town Lake (also known as Lady Bird Lake) for certain public events in accordance with City Code Chapter 8-5 for calendar year 2013.

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:

Prior Council Action:

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Boards and Commission Action:

MBE / WBE:

Related Items:

Additional Backup Information

City Code Section 8 requires authorization by City Council for use of City of Austin waterways for public events, and for those involving swimming, or where swimming activities may be occurring outside of regularly designated swimming zones. All events are required to satisfy departmental contractual requirements, as well as provide a water safety plan for City of Austin approval as part of the event permitting process.

Date	Event	Waterway
March 2, 3	Austin Rowing Club - Heart of Texas Regatta	Lady Bird Lake
March 22-24	University of Texas - Longhorn Invitational	Lake Austin
April 14	Colorado river Ramble	Lady Bird Lake
April 27	Asian American Cultural Center - Dragon Boat Races	Lady Bird Lake
April 27, 28	Austin Rowing Club - Texas Rowing Championships	Lady Bird Lake
May 4	Cap 2 K Swim	Lady Bird Lake

May 5	The Rookie Triathlon	Lake Walter E. Long
May 26, 27	Capital of Texas Triathlon	Lady Bird Lake
June 1, 2	Iron Girl Triathlon	Lake Walter E. Long
July 1	Colin's Hope Got 2 Swim - 4 mile swim	Lake Austin
July 14	Couples Challenge	Lake Walter E. Long
August 29	Colin's Hope Swim – 10K and 10 mile swim	Lake Austin
September 2	Austin Triathlon	Lady Bird Lake
October 26	Austin Rowing Club - Head of the Colorado	Lady Bird Lake
October 26, 27	Longhorn Ironman and Festival	Lake Walter E. Long