MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 81-17

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A PARKS AND RECREATION SPORTS POLICY.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County that the Mariposa County Parks and Recreation Sports Policy attached hereto as attachment "A" and incorporated herein by reference is hereby adopted as the official policy of Mariposa County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of January, 1981 by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County by the following vote:

AYES: Taber, Moffitt, Clark, Dalton

NOES: None

ABSENT: Erickson

ABSTAINED: None

WILLIAM H. MOFFITT, Chairman
Board of Supervisors

ELLEN BROWSON, County Clerk and
Ex Officio Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

RICHARD K. DENHALTER, County Counsel
The Parks and Recreation Department of Mariposa County fully supports organized Youth Sports Programs throughout the County. With recent reductions in funding, and projections for a somewhat limited Parks and Recreation Department in the future, a plan to meet the recreational needs for the youth of the County must be established.

To encourage volunteerism further, Sports Associations consisting of advocates of the various sports will be a prerequisite for all programs. Each Sports Association will be operated by a Board of Directors, which would consist of volunteers from the community. The Board of Directors would be responsible for obtaining funds for uniforms, special gear, insurance, referees and officials, and coordinating fields and any details required to effectively administer a program. A representative from the Parks and Recreation Department would be called upon for consulting by each Board of Directors.

In a supportive role, the Parks and Recreation Department should be responsible for any support activities (i.e., making fields available; supplying equipment such as balls, nets, field marking equipment; supplying individual equipment such as protection devices, and other items which are within the budget limits of the Department.). The Parks and Recreation Department would act as an advocate of, and advisor to youth sports programs in the County.

The Parks and Recreation Department establishes Youth Sports as a priority. Adult programs will receive a lesser amount of financial and organizational support, but will be encouraged.

The Parks and Recreation Department fully supports any individuals interested in setting up a new program. This policy statement would cover all youth sports played outside of the schools (i.e., soccer, football, track, swimming, tennis, baseball, etc.).

The Parks and Recreation Department will continue to seek to develop and maintain facilities to serve the widest range of public use in Mariposa County.