FIELDS MAINTENANCE OVERVIEW

ATTACHMENT 2

Playable vs. Passive Turf Areas

Active Turf

Aerate

Add Top Soil

Hydroseed

Passive Turf

Aerate

Add top soil to level

Fertilize/Mulch

Overseed Bare Areas

Shut down fields: Typical timeframe: 8 weeks; Ideal timeframe:

Annual Rehabilitation Projects

Specific Parks: Botts, Syd Kronenthal, Vets

Aerate (plug) 4 x year/Fertilize Hydroseed 1 x year limited fields

Seed Mix:

Sports Turf – Combination of Rhyzome and Blade Grasses

Durable

Fertilize - Quarterly

Different seeds grow in at different times of the year providing year

Watering - Ongoing

AB-1881 Upgrades:

Master Valves/Flow Sensors-install where needed Adjust head lay out for 100% efficiency (EA)

<u>Improvements</u>

Type of Sports Impacts: Less Activity vs More Activity

Impacts: Less Activity vs More Activity Concentrated Play in Specific Areas

Cleats

Type of Sports

Ballfield Maintenance - As Needed (Ideal: 12 Weeks; Typical: 6-

8 Weeks)

Sod Cut Laser Level

Aerate

Add & Level Soil to base pegs, pitchers rubber, home plate, etc.

Hydroseed

Damage to Fields - As Needed

Soccer - Major Damage to areas of main play

Not enough down time to rehab 100% No dedicated fields/multi-purpose fields

Adult Sports

Softball – minimal Football - minimal Kickball - minimal