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For Immediate Release

The City of Waukesha Parks Recreation and Forestry Department routinely rents its buildings to outside individuals and organizations. Recently, an individual was arrested for suspicion of sexual assault which is reported to have occurred in the parking lot at the Schuetze Recreation Center on February 5, 2017.

The facility was rented to the Christian Soccer League, LLC for the use of the gym for an adult soccer league. The League completed the appropriate application on December 1, 2016 and was granted a permit for the use of the facility on Sundays from January 1, 2017 through April 23, 2017. During use by outside groups, all City of Waukesha buildings are monitored by an attendant, employed by the City. The attendant was not a witness to any inappropriate behavior.

The organizers and individuals involved with the Christian Soccer League, LLC., are not affiliated with the City of Waukesha, nor are they City employees or City volunteers. All City of Waukesha volunteer instructors and employees are subject to an extensive criminal background check prior to their work with the City.

The Christian Soccer League's permit has been temporarily suspended and is under review.

The City's Park, Recreation and Forestry Department has been fully cooperating with the Waukesha Police Department's investigation of the incident. We are saddened that such an incident has been reported on City property and we are hopeful that justice will be served.

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