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Dear Mr. Alderman,

As a long-term Troy resident, I thank you and your staff for offering quality programs for adults and children. I personally, as well as my children and extended family, have enjoyed a number of worthy programs offered through the Troy Parks & Rec.

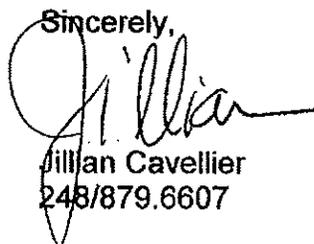
Roving Recreation is one of our all time favorite summer programs. My three children have participated in this program for a number of years. Given today's fast pace and constant reliance on electronic stimulation/entertainment and communications, the simplicity of Roving Recreation's back to basics outdoor play is truly unique.

As you know, Roving Rec. provides our kids with a day-long experience of playing traditional games with a variety of kids and eating a sack lunch it's simple yet very valuable. In addition to having some good old fashion fun, kids are reminded how to entertain themselves, take turns and get along with a group of diverse kids. Likewise, the RR staffs, year after year, have proven to be positive role models.

Please count me, among the many parents that are willing to pay an increased fee to keep Roving Recreation in place for next summer. Sometimes, it's the little things that can have a big impact on a child's outlook and their adult behavior and perspective.

Thank you for time and continued efforts to make Troy a great place to live.

Sincerely,



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