## **7v7 Rules**

**What?** - Simple, fun, 7v7, no-contact soccer with some modified rules (see below). No practices, and teams will play 8 games. Depending on how many teams sign up, efforts will be made to place teams in separate divisions to balance the level of play.

**When?** - Fall months of Sept-Nov. Games played primarily on ?????? and ???????, evenings between 6:30-9pm.

## RULES

Standard FIFA rules used as much as possible, with the important exceptions called out below. Teams may agree on other variations, as needed, but the intent is to keep things as simple as possible.

Masks will be required when 6 feet of distance can not be maintained on and off the field Per OHA and State guidance

All free kicks are indirect no throw-ins. Ball will be kicked in

**Referees/Officiating:** To keep costs low and make things simple and fun, teams are expected to self-manage and referee their own games.

Field Size: half field Goal Size: 8 x 24

**Duration of each half:** 35 minutes, substitution on the fly; City Staff will keep time.

**Ball size:** 5, Home team provides the ball when in question.

No off-sides

No goalkeeper punts

6 field players plus a goalkeeper. 3 men and 3 women on field. Minimum of 5 players 2 of opposite gender