Adult Volleyball League Rule Highlights

Boundaries:	Out of Bounds: All walls, All basketball hoops and frames, All ceiling, Black piping against back walls, All speakers, White heating duct, and Lights. <i>Any</i> <i>player that steps into the opposing court during play is considered out of bounds</i> <i>and the play is blown dead. If play is made prior to stepping onto the opposing</i> <i>the court the play is considered legal</i>
Forfeits:	There will be a ten (10) minute grace period for the first game of each match from the scheduled start time. After the ten (10) minute grace period, the team will forfeit their first game of the match. After twenty (20) minutes from the scheduled start time of the match, a team will automatically forfeit any additional games in the match.
Game Play:	A team shall consist of a maximum of six (6) players on the court at one time. To start a match and at all times during play, a minimum of two (2) women and two (2) men must be on the court in the Co-Ed league. To start a match and at all times during play in the Women's league, four (4) women must be on the court.
Player Eligibility:	To be eligible to participate, all players must have signed and completed a City of Renton team roster. A pick-up player may be used if the opposing team representative agrees.
Game Format:	Each match will consist of a three (3) guaranteed games; each game will count towards overall league standings. Each game will be rally scoring to 25 points (cap at 27 points). Depending on time the third game may be rally scoring to 15 points (cap at 17 points), determined by the official, team captains or staff onsite.
10 Feet Rule:	A backrow player can attack the ball (above the top of the net) as long as they jump from behind the ten foot line. The attacking player may land in front of the 10 foot line. A back row player may play the ball in front of the 10 foot line above the net, as long as the ball does not travel over the net. A back row player may also play the ball in front of the 10 foot line as long as the ball is contacted is below the net.
Roofing:	A player can penetrate the plane of the net to block a ball that the opposing team has made a legal attacking play to hit it over the net. A defensive player may not penetrate the net to prevent a player from making a play on the ball to keep it from going over the net.

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