TENNIS

1.0 Name of Sport

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2.0 Venues

2.1* Name of Venue

2.1a València Tennis Club

2.1b Tennis Sporting Club

2.1c Spanish Tennis Club

2.1d Malvarrosa València Tennis Center

2.1e Dr. Lluch Sports Complex

2.2 Location

2.1a Carrer de Cavanilles 7

2.1b Av de les Balears 29

2.1c Carretera de Burjassot a Torres-Torres, Rocafort

2.1d Carrer de Vicente la Roda, 22, 46011

2.1e C/ Doctor Lluch, n/n

2.3 Which other sports or other Gay Games events will be organized in the same area? How will you take advantage of this proximity?

2.1a Soccer, Softball

2.1b Esports, Powerlifting

2.1c None

2.1d Badminton, Beach Volleyball, Soccer

2.1e Hockey, Volleyball, Beach Volleyball, Rowing, Triathlon, Open Water Swimming, Sailing, Kayak Polo

Different unique medal tennis events will be held in different venues, all close to one another.

2.4 Accessibility/Transportation

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Subway: L3, L4, L6, L9.

Bus: 12, 31, 70, 71, 79, 80, 81, 89, 98. Valenbisi Stations: 77, 83, 85, 119, 120. 3.5 km walking distance from the Village.

2.1b

Subway: None

Bus: 18, 19, 40, 89, 90, 94. Valenbisi Stations: 57, 59, 60.

1 km walking distance from the Village.

2.1c

Subway: L1 + 1 km walking distance.

Bus: 26, 63.

13 km from the Village.

2.1d.

Subway: L4 and L6.

Bus: 19, 31, 92, 99.

Valenbisi Stations: 168, 169, 170, 171. 3.9 km walking distance from the Village.

2 1e

Subway: L4 and L6. Bus: 19, 32, 92.

Valenbisi Stations: 154, 158, 164. 2.6 km walking distance from the Village.

2.5 Description of the facilities (spectator seating, locker rooms, warm-up areas, etc.)

All venues have clay courts, several adapted locker rooms, warm-up courts and a restaurant. In all of them, the spectator seating areas are limited to a few specific courts.

2.6 Describe the venue with respect to the Red Book requirements. If the venue does not meet the Red Book requirements, what are your plans for dealing with this?

The venues will meet the Red Book requirements.

2.7 What events are usually held in this venue?

National and international tennis tournaments such as the Davis Cup, the BBVA Open Ciudad de València or the Mapfre Tennis League.

2.8 Why did you choose this venue?

All of them meet the Red Book requirements. They are the best tennis courts in València.

2.9 If more than one venue will be used, what are the issues and solutions for this (transportation, communication, etc.)?

They are all easily accessible. We will play one category in each venue to avoid transportation problems. We will play the qualifying matches in the tennis facilities that are closest to the Village. We have also planned one shuttle service for the Spanish Tennis Club venue (13 km)

3.0 Nature of the Event

3.1 Anticipated number of participants

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3.2 Expected breakdown (by gender, by region of origin). On what basis were these numbers derived?

75% men, 25% women, based on previous Games.

4.0 Organizational Resources

4.1* Is there a national and/or international LGBT sports organization for the sport?

The Gay and Lesbian Tennis Association (GLTA) is a member of the FGG.

4.2* Will a regional (national, international) sanctioning or governing body be involved?

Yes, The València Region Tennis Federation (FTCV): https://www.ftcv.es/

4.3 Will this event be sanctioned?

Yes, it will be sanctioned by the FTCV and the GLTA.

4.4* Who will organize/manage the event?

The FTCV and the GLTA.

4.5* Will a local club be involved in the organization of the event?

Yes, four local clubs and the Madpoint LGBTQ+ Club.

4.6 What local experience is available to the host in organizing competitions for this sport?

National and international ITF and ATP events (ATP Valencia Open 500, Davis Cup, BBVA Open Ciudad de València or the Mapfre Tennis League).

5.0 Organization of the Event

5.1 Description of tournament (seeding, rounds, etc.), relative to Red Book requirements.

Separate Singles and Doubles events will be offered in a general and women-only division, along with Mixed Doubles in all skill levels and age divisions. Elimination and round robin format depending on the number of players entering each division and level. Consolation matches will be offered.

5.2 Categories/Divisions

18+, level A, B, C, D, single general and women, double general, women and mixed.

40+, level A, B, C, D, single general and women, double general women and mixed.

50+, single general and women, double general, women and mixed.

60+, single general and women, double general, women and mixed.

Masters Divisions can be offered by ability levels.

5.3 Scheduling (number of days, etc.)

7 days

5.4 Number of competitive instances per athlete

1 single, 1 double, 1 mixed double per division and level.

5.5 Total number of competitive instances

10. It will depend on the final number of participants.

5.6 If the event is ticketed, how will tickets be sold, distributed, and collected?

Ticketed events will be organized centrally by the GGVLC team.

5.7 Is sport-specific sponsorship possible for this event?

It is possible. We will be exploring various options with the FGG as we move towards hosting the event.

6.0 Specific FGG Policies

6.1 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Age and Ability?

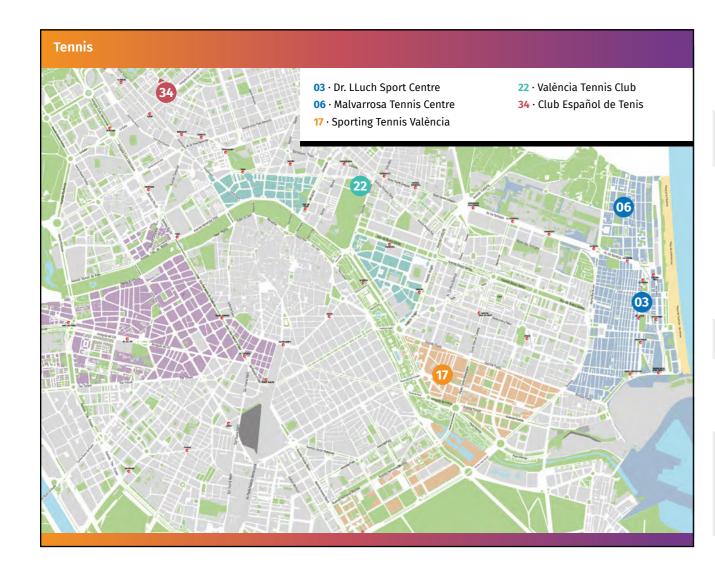
Categories by age and ability exist.

6.2 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Disability?

The venues are wheelchair accessible. This sport is accessible to players with hearing impairments. Wheelchair divisions and special needs divisions may be created in the event we have enough participants in the category.

6.3 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Gender in Sport?





Standard policy applies.

A women-specific category and a general category is proposed.

Women-only divisions are offered.

6.4 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Health and Well- being, and in particular, Performance-Enhancing Drugs?

Building security and emergency medical staff will be present at each venue. Tennis and/or culture participants are held to a strict ZERO TOLERANCE policy for using and being under the influence of drugs and alcohol. Multiple competitive divisions and no minimum skill requirements allow for competitors of any level to excel, decreasing the incentive for the use of performance-enhancing drugs, which will not be tolerated.

6.5 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Officials?

We will provide qualified officials to ensure a well-officiated tournament. All FGG guidelines regarding the training, accreditation and recruitment of officials will be observed.

6.6 Will you be able to meet sport- specific Red Book requirements? What are the difficulties you foresee for meeting these requirements, and how will you deal with them? What gives you confidence that you will be able to respect Red Book requirements?

We are confident that will be able to meet the requirements of the Red Book for Tennis.

7.0 Additional Comments

None

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