## Resolution No. 1999-30

(Council Minutes 99/08/16)

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A RESOLUTION of the City Council of the City of Lakewood, Washington, expressing its support for the City of Lakewood Parks Bond Measure

WHEREAS, pursuant to the City Council's adoption of Ordinance No. 206 and companion Resolution No. 1999-23, the City Council put into place a mechanism whereby the voters of the City of Lakewood would have before them the opportunity to vote on a ballot measure to approve a parks bond issue whereby the City would be able to provide for certain capital improvements in connection with the City's Parks and Recreation Master Plan; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to said Ordinance and Resolution, the intended bond indebtedness would be up to a total of \$9,890,000 for the general obligation parks bonds to finance the parks improvements. The \$9,890,000 general obligation bonds would be repaid through property tax assessments at the rate of .27 per \$1,000 assessed valuation; and,

WHEREAS, in connection with the City of Lakewood Parks and Recreation Master Plan, adopted in March of 1998, a total parks and recreation capital investment need of \$14,498,000 was identified; and,

WHEREAS, the parks bond issue which the voters will have before them for the special election on September 14, 1999, would go a long ways toward meeting the needs of the City for Parks and Recreation programs, and would, thus, contribute significantly to the quality of life in the City of Lakewood; and,

WHEREAS, in connection with this Resolution, the City Council has complied with the requirements for an expression of its council position on this matter in conformity with RCW 42.17.130.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD, WASHINGTON HEREBY RESOLVES, as Follows:

Section 1. That the City Council expresses its support for the 1999 City of Lakewood Parks Bond Measure coming before the voters of the City of Lakewood on September 14, 1999.

Section 2. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon passage and signatures hereon.

PASSED by the City Council this 16th day of August, 1999.

CITY OF LAKEWOOD

Bill Harrison, Mayor

Attest:

Alice M. Bush, CMC/AAE, City Clerk	
Approved as to Form:	
Daniel B. Heid, City Attorney	