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CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES APRIL 21, 2014

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A RESOLUTION of the City Council of the City of Lakewood, Washington, authorizing the submittal of an application for grant funding assistance for Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program project(s) to the Recreation and Conservation Office as provided in Chapter 79A.15 RCW, Acquisition of habitat conservation and outdoor recreation lands, WAC 286 and subsequent Legislative action for the Springbrook Park Acquisition Project.

WHEREAS, the City of Lakewood has approved a comprehensive parks and recreation or habitat conservation plan that includes this project; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program (WWRP), state grant assistance is requested to aid in financing the cost of land acquisition and facility development; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lakewood considers it in the best public interest to complete the project described in the application(s).

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD, WASHINGTON, BE IT RESOLVED that:

<u>Section 1.</u> The City Manager or designee is authorized to make formal application to the Recreation and Conservation Office for grant assistance;

<u>Section 2.</u> Any grant assistance received will be used for direct costs associated with implementation of the project referenced above;

<u>Section 3.</u> The City of Lakewood hereby certifies that our matching share of project funding will be derived from City Funds, Community Donations and in-kind services of applicant matching share and that we are responsible for supporting all non-cash commitments to this project should they not materialize.

<u>Section 4.</u> The City of Lakewood acknowledge that the grant assistance, if approved, will be paid on a reimbursement basis, meaning we will only request payment from the Recreation and Conservation Office after eligible and allowable costs have been incurred and payment remitted to our vendors, and that the Recreation and Conservation Office will hold retainage until the project is deemed complete.

<u>Section 5.</u> The City of Lakewood acknowledge that any property acquired and/or facility developed through grant assistance from the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board must be reasonably maintained and made available to the general public at reasonable hours and times of the year according to the type of area or facility unless other restrictions have been agreed to by the Recreation and Conservation Office Director or the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board.

<u>Section 6.</u> The City of Lakewood acknowledge that any property acquired and/or facility developed with grant assistance from the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board must be dedicated for public outdoor recreation purposes, and be retained and maintained for such use for perpetuity unless otherwise provided and agreed to by our organization and the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board.

<u>Section 7.</u> The City of Lakewood acknowledge that any property acquired using Recreation and Conservation Funding Board assistance must be developed within five years of the acquisition closing.

<u>Section 8.</u> This resolution becomes part of a formal application to the Recreation and Conservation Office for grant assistance; and

Section 9. The City of Lakewood provided appropriate opportunity for public comment on this application.

PASSED by the City Council this 21st day of April, 2014.

CITY OF LAKEWOOD	
Don Anderson, Mayor	-

Attest:
Alice M. Bush, MMC, City Clerk
Approved so to Form
Approved as to Form:
Heidi A. Wachter City Attorney