CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE:	Authorize the City Manager to Enter into a Grant Agreement with the King County Best Starts for Kids Youth Development for \$543,355 for Youth Outreach Leadership and Opportunities
DEPARTMENT: PRESENTED BY: ACTION:	Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Mary Reidy, Recreation Superintendent Ordinance Resolution <u>X</u> Motion Public Hearing Discussion

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

King County Best Starts for Kids (BSK) is a voter approved initiative designed to "help put every baby born and every child raised in King County on a path toward lifelong success". The City of Shoreline's Youth and Teen Development Program, in partnership with the Center for Human Services, submitted a grant proposal to develop and implement a Youth Outreach Leadership and Opportunities (YOLO) program. That grant proposal was successful and BSK will provide \$543,355 in grant funding to the City.

The YOLO program will provide much needed resources and opportunities at the City of Shoreline Teen Center and the Ballinger Homes King County Housing Authority complex with a focus on youth-led outreach efforts via employment opportunities for those youth.

RESOURCE/FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The \$543,355 of funding will be added to the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services -Teen & Youth Development Program budget in 2018 through the Budget Amendment process that will occur in April of 2018. This is a three year funded project. Unused 2018 funding will be carried over to 2019 and from 2019 to 2020, and work will be completed by December 31, 2020.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Council authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with King County Best Starts for Kids for \$543,355 to fund the Youth Outreach Leadership and Opportunities project.

Approved By: City Manager DT City Attorney: MK