Council Meeting Date: February 11, 2008 Agenda Item: 7(c)

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE: Motion to authorize the City Manager to execute a contract with

King County Parks to obligate grant funding totaling \$50,000 for

Cromwell Park Improvement Project.

DEPARTMENT: Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services (PRCS)

PRESENTED BY: Dick Deal, Director PRCS

Maureen Colaizzi, Parks Project Coordinator Bethany Wolbrecht-Dunn, Grant Specialist

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

Staff is requesting Council to authorize the City Manager to execute a Contract between the City and King County to obligate grant funding totaling \$50,000 for the Cromwell Park Improvement Project.

On May 16, 2006, the citizens of the City of Shoreline supported the passing of an \$18.5 million dollar Park and Open Space Bond Levy to complete eleven projects. The Cromwell Park Improvement Project was approved as part of the Bond Levy. The City has been awarded this Youth Sports Facility Grant from King County Parks. This funding would help pay the planned field and play ground improvements at the Park. Entering into this contract will provide the project with additional funding specifically for the play equipment and field improvements of the proposed design.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Project Costs:

The Cromwell Park Improvement Project is identified in the 2008-2013 Capital Improvement Program. Completing the projects approved in the 2006 Parks Bond is identified as Goal Number 1 in the City Council's 2007-08 Work Plan Goals. The 2008-2013 Capital Improvement Program includes this \$50,000 grant as part of the construction budget for the project. The grant requires a minimum of \$25,000 match from the City. Of this match, 1/4 or \$6,250 of it must be in-kind service from a community partner. Richmond Little League is the City's community partner in this grant.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that Council authorize the City Manager to execute a contract with King County Parks to obligate grant funding totaling \$50,000 for the Cromwell Park Improvement Project.

Approved By:

City Manager City Attorney ____

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