Council Meeting Date: February 25, 2008 Agenda Item: 7(d)

## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE: Authorize the City Manager to Execute the 2008/2009 Washington

State Coordinated Prevention Grant Agreement #G0800308 for

\$59,689

**DEPARTMENT**: Pul

Public Works

PRESENTED BY:

Jesus Sanchez, Operations Manager, and Rika Cecil,

Environmental Programs Coordinator

## PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

To protect habitat and water quality in Shoreline, the City offers an annual Natural Yard Care Event, which has been funded by various grants since its inception in 2003. The City will use part of its 2008/09 Washington State Department of Ecology Coordinated Prevention Grant (CPG) funds to support one Natural Yard Care Event each year.

To implement Council Goal 6, the City will also use its CPG funds to develop a new green building program to assist residents with incorporating sustainable building techniques into their remodeling projects. Timing this project with the new City Hall will provide momentum, as well as a visible model of sustainable building practices.

## FINANCIAL IMPACT:

If the City executes the Grant Agreement, \$59,689 will be provided as revenue to support the City's Environmental Programs. The 2008 Public Works budget, which was approved by Council, included this revenue.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends that Council authorize the City Manager to execute the 2008/09 State of Washington Department of Ecology Coordinated Prevention Grant Agreement for \$59,689.

Approved By:

City Manager \_\_\_\_City At

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