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

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

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

Solid Waste Division Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant

Interlocal Agreement D36988D for \$40,596 in 2008 and \$40,596 in

2009

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

PRESENTED BY: Jesus Sanchez, Operations Manager, and Rika Cecil,

Environmental Programs Coordinator

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

When the King County landfill closes in 2012 and solid waste export is initiated, Shoreline residents and businesses can expect their solid waste collection costs to rise. In order to support sustainable practices that will minimize the cost of waste disposal, the City will use its 2008/09 King County Waste Reduction & Recycling funds to support the following:

- two Recycling Events and one Natural Yard Care Event each year for residents;
- an Organics Recycling Program that offers practical, easy-to-use containers for storing food scraps and recycling them in curbside yard debris; and
- > the development of a new green building program, to assist residents with incorporating sustainable building techniques into their remodeling projects.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

If the City executes the Interlocal Agreement, \$40,596 in 2008 and \$40,596 in 2009 will be provided as revenue to support the City's Environmental Programs. The 2008 Public Works budget, which was approved by Council, included the 2008 revenue.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that Council authorize the City Manager to execute the 2008/09 King County Solid Waste Division Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant Interlocal Agreement for \$81,192.

Approved By:

City Manager City Attorney

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