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Amendment to Conservation Futures
Interlocal Cooperation Agreement
Between King County and the City of Seattle for
Open Space Acquisition Projects

December 19, 2007

Department: **DNRP/WLRD Open Space Acquisitions Unit**

Parties **City of Seattle and**
King County

Project: **Conservation Futures**

Amendment V

**AMENDMENT TO THE CONSERVATION FUTURES
INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN KING COUNTY AND THE CITY OF SEATTLE
FOR OPEN SPACE ACQUISITION PROJECTS**

Preamble

The King County Council, through Ordinance 9128, has established a Conservation Futures Levy Fund and appropriated proceeds to King County, the City of Seattle and certain suburban cities. This Amendment is entered into to provide for the allocation of additional funds made available for open space acquisition.

THIS AMENDMENT is entered into between the CITY OF SEATTLE and KING COUNTY, and amends and attaches to and is part thereof the existing Interlocal Cooperation Agreement entered into between the parties on the 5th day of June, 1990, as previously amended.

The parties agree to the following amendments:

Amendment 1: Article 1. Recitals

A paragraph is hereby added to the Recitals Section to provide for the 2006 Conservation Futures Levy Fund Allocation, and hereafter reads:

"On November 20, 2006, the King County Council passed Ordinance 15652, which appropriated a total of Two Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$2,950,000) in Conservation Futures Levy proceeds to the City of Seattle. On April 9, 2007 the King County Council passed Ordinance 15711, authorizing the King County Executive to enter into interlocal agreements with the cities of Bellevue, Burien, Duvall, Federal Way, Issaquah, Kent, Lake Forest Park, Normandy Park, Seattle, Shoreline, Snoqualmie and Tukwila for the disbursement of conservation futures tax levy funds appropriated under Ordinance 14797, Ordinance 15295, Ordinance 15555 and Ordinance 15652."

Amendment 2: Article V. Conditions of Agreement

Section 5.1 is amended to include Attachment V, which lists the 2006 Conservation Futures Levy Allocation to the City of Seattle for the following land acquisition projects: Discovery Park - Capehart, Morgan Junction Urban Village Park, NE Queen Anne Greenspace Additions, St. Marks Greenspace Additions, Thornton Creek Park 2 Additions, Kubota Garden Natural Area, and Sylvan Way Open Space.

Amendment 3: Article VII. Responsibilities of County

The first two sentences of this article are amended to include Attachment V, which lists the 2006 Conservation Futures Levy Allocation to the City of Seattle for the Discovery Park - Capehart, Morgan Junction Urban Village Park, NE Queen Anne Greenspace Additions, St. Marks

ATTACHMENT "V"

2006
CONSERVATION FUTURES LEVY
CITY OF SEATTLE
ALLOCATION

Jurisdiction	Project	Allocation
Seattle	Discovery Park - Capehart	\$1,300,000
Seattle	Morgan Junction Urban Village Park	\$475,000
Seattle	NE Queen Anne Greenspace Additions	\$300,000
Seattle	St. Marks Greenspace Additions	\$250,000
Seattle	Thornton Creek Park 2 Additions	\$425,000
Seattle	Kubota Garden Natural Area	\$200,000
Seattle	Sylvan Way Open Space	\$0
TOTAL		\$2,950,000

Project Descriptions:

315426 Discovery Park - Capehart

This project consists of the acquisition of a significant 23.9-acre inholding in Seattle's Discovery Park, a park of regional significance. The project is located in the Magnolia neighborhood of Seattle, known as the Capehart housing tract site. It will be used as passive-use open space.

2007: \$1,300,000 in Conservation Futures Funds is allocated to this project.

315430 Morgan Junction Urban Village Park

This project consists of the acquisition of approximately .2 acres of land on California Avenue Southwest at Fauntleroy Avenue in the West Seattle neighborhood of Morgan Junction. The goal of the project is to establish a small community green space in the hub of this urban center.

315431 NE Queen Anne Greenspace Additions

This is a multiple-parcel open space acquisition project within the Northeast Queen Anne Green Space, located between Taylor Avenue North and Aurora Avenue North in Queen Anne. The first priority for acquisition is four parcels totaling .27 acres adjacent to Maclean Park.

315432 St. Marks Greenspace Additions

This is a multiple-parcel open space acquisition project that will help preserve a neighborhood greenbelt and will enhance the East Blaine public stairway, which is part of the Capitol Hill to Lake Union Trail and the I-5 Colonnade Park. The walkway has views of Lake Union, the Seattle Space Needle and the Olympic Mountains. The first priorities for acquisition are four parcels totaling .44-acres, on Harvard Avenue.