



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

October 14, 2003

Ordinance 14774

Proposed No. 2003-0444.1

Sponsors Edmonds

1 AN ORDINANCE authorizing the executive to enter into
2 amendments to existing conservation futures interlocal
3 cooperation agreements with the cities of Bothell, Shoreline
4 and Tukwila for the disbursement of conservation futures
5 funds appropriated under the 2003 Budget Ordinance,
6 Ordinance 14517, and Ordinance 14409.

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9 **STATEMENT OF FACTS:**

- 10 1. Conservation futures tax levy funds are collected through King County
11 as a dedicated portion of the property tax and are, by statute, available
12 only for the acquisition of open space and resource lands.
- 13 2. Ordinance 13717 established a process for the annual distribution of
14 conservation futures tax levy funds, which includes an allocation of
15 conservation futures funds by the council through the annual budget
16 adoption process.

17 3. On November 25, 2002, the King County council adopted the 2003
18 Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 14517, and allocated conservation futures
19 funds to the following open space acquisition projects: \$125,000 to the
20 Haynes acquisition project in Bothell; and \$200,000 to the Grandmother's
21 Hill project in Tukwila.

22 4. On July 19, 2002, by Ordinance 14409, the King County council
23 allocated \$50,000 in conservation futures funds to the city of Shoreline
24 Paramount park acquisition project.

25 5. The county desires to disburse conservation futures funds to the
26 suburban cities and must do so by amending existing or executing new
27 interlocal agreements with these jurisdictions.

28 6. King County is authorized to enter into an interlocal agreement with
29 the cities pursuant to chapter 39.34 RCW, the Interlocal Cooperation Act.

30 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

31 SECTION 1. The King County executive is hereby authorized to enter into and
32 execute contracts and amendments to existing conservation futures interlocal cooperation
33 agreements, in substantially the form attached to this ordinance, with the cities of Bothell,
34 Shoreline and Tukwila, necessary for the disbursement of conservation futures tax levy

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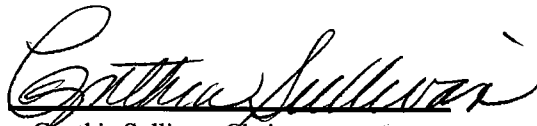
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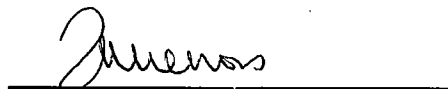
Ordinance 14774 was introduced on 9/29/2003 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 10/13/2003, by the following vote:

Yes: 13 - Ms. Sullivan, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Constantine, Mr. Hammond, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Irons and Ms. Patterson
No: 0
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Cynthia Sullivan, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 24 day of OCTOBER, 2003.


Ron Sims, County Executive

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Attachments 2003-0444 Attachment A. Amendment ____ to the Conservation Futures Interlocal Cooperation Agreement Between King County and the City of ____ for Open Space Acquisition Projects.doc

Attachment "A"

AMENDMENT ____ TO THE CONSERVATION FUTURES
INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN KING COUNTY AND THE CITY OF _____
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 _____ and certain suburban cities through the procedures set forth in Ordinance 8867, as amended by Ordinance 13717. 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 _____ and KING COUNTY, and amends and attaches to and is part thereof of the existing Interlocal Cooperation Agreement entered into between the parties on the ____ day of (Month), (Year) 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 a Conservation Futures Levy Fund allocation for the (Project name) Open Space acquisition, and hereafter reads:

On _____ (date), the King County Council passed Ordinance _____, which appropriated (\$ amount) in Conservation Futures Levy proceeds to the City of _____ for the (Project name) Open Space Acquisition Project. On (date) _____, the King County Council passed Ordinance _____, authorizing the King County Executive to enter into an amendment to the Conservation Futures Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the City of _____ for Open Space Acquisition Projects to the (Project name) Open Space acquisition project authorized under Ordinance _____.

Amendment 2: Article V. Conditions of Agreement

Section 5.1 is appended to include Attachment _____, which lists a (Year) Conservation Futures Levy Allocation for the _____ Open Space acquisition project.

Amendment 3: Article VII. Responsibilities of County

The first two sentences of this article are appended to include Attachment _____, which lists a (Year) Conservation Futures Levy proceeds allocation for the _____ Open Space acquisition project:

Subject to the terms of this agreement, the County will provide Conservation Futures Levy Funds in the amounts shown in Attachments A through ___ to be used for the Projects listed in Attachments A through ____. The City may request additional funds; however, the County has no obligation to provide funds to the City for the Projects in excess of the total amounts shown in Attachments A through ____. The County assumes no obligation for the future support of the Projects described herein except as expressly set forth in this agreement.

In all other respects, the terms, conditions, duties and obligations of both parties shall remain the same as agreed to in the Interlocal Cooperation Agreement as previously amended.

This document shall be attached to the existing Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, authorized representatives of the parties hereto have signed their names in the spaces set forth below:

KING COUNTY

CITY OF _____

Ron Sims
King County Executive

Mayor (or City Manager)

Date

Date

Acting under the authority of
Ordinance:
Dated:

Acting under the authority of
Ordinance:
Dated:

Approved as to form:

Approved as to form:

Norm Maleng
King County Prosecuting Attorney

City Attorney

ATTACHMENT ____

**(Year) CONSERVATION FUTURES LEVY
CITY OF _____ ALLOCATION**

Jurisdiction	Project	Allocation
(City Name)	(Project)	\$
	TOTAL	\$

Project Description:

City of _____ – (Project Name) \$

(Description text):

Attachment "A" (continued)

Project Descriptions

City of Bothell: Haynes Property

This is a 4.7-acre site located just south of the Snohomish County line on Bothell Way. The property contains a small creek called Horse Creek, which flows south from Lake Pleasant, located just north of the Snohomish County line.

City of Shoreline: Paramount Park addition project

This project consists of a wooded, 0.4-acre-parcel containing a wetland area that will provide a natural buffer to the eastern edge of Paramount Park, located on 10th Avenue NE in Shoreline. The parcel will buffer a pedestrian entrance into the park on a right of way at NE 148th Street. The area is a headwater for a small tributary of a branch of Thornton Creek, which flows southwards into nearby Seattle and added protection would help maintain water recharge in the stream.

City of Tukwila: Grandmother's Hill

This 10.45-acre property on South 115th Street, near Marginal Way South, is an important native heritage site with regional cultural significance. It contains a prominent hill that provides a lookout over the Green River, near another culturally important site, the North Wind Weir. The site provides geologic interpretive opportunities and view of the Green River, Mount Rainier, and the Seattle skyline and 600 feet of shoreline access to the Green River, between the river and South 115th Street. The Site offers the longer-term potential for moving South 115th Street back from the river and restoring salmonid habitat.