



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

April 29, 2014

Ordinance 17795

Proposed No. 2014-0143.1

Sponsors Dembowski and Phillips

1 AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive
2 to enter into amendments to interlocal cooperation
3 agreements with the cities of Auburn, Bellevue, Covington,
4 Issaquah, Kent, Kirkland, Normandy Park, Redmond,
5 Snoqualmie, Woodinville and Seattle for the disbursement
6 of conservation futures tax levy funds appropriated under
7 Ordinance 17707.

8 STATEMENT OF FACTS:

- 9 1. King County conservation futures tax levy funds are collected
10 throughout King County as a dedicated portion of the property tax for the
11 acquisition of open space and resource lands.
- 12 2. Ordinance 14714 established procedures for the annual allocation of
13 conservation futures tax levy funds, which directs the conservation futures
14 citizens committee to make funding recommendations to the King County
15 executive to consider for inclusion in the annual budget ordinance.
- 16 3. The executive has received and considered the conservation futures
17 citizens committee funding recommendations and has included them in
18 Ordinance 17707, in which the King County council has appropriated

19 2014 conservation futures funds to the city open space projects listed and
20 described in Attachment B to this ordinance.

21 4. For King County to disburse 2014 conservation futures collections to
22 the suburban cities and the City of Seattle, it must sign conservation
23 futures interlocal cooperation agreements or amend existing conservation
24 futures interlocal agreements with the applicable jurisdictions.

25 5. King County and the cities are authorized to enter into an interlocal
26 agreement pursuant to chapter 39.34 RCW, the Interlocal Cooperation Act.

27 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

28 SECTION 1. The King County executive is hereby authorized to enter into, and
29 execute amendments to, interlocal cooperation agreements containing language,
30 substantially similar to that in Attachment A to this ordinance, necessary for the

31 disbursement of conservation futures tax levy funds appropriated under Ordinance 17707,
32 for the city open space projects listed and described in Attachment B to this ordinance.
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Ordinance 17795 was introduced on 4/7/2014 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 4/28/2014, by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Mr. Phillips, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Ms. Lambert, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski and Mr. Upthegrove
No: 0
Excused: 2 - Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Dunn

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Larry Phillips, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 30 day of APRIL, 2014.



Dow Constantine, County Executive

Attachments: A. Amendment to the Conservation Futures Interlocal Cooperation Agreement, B. Conservation Futures Project Descriptions

**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 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 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 _____ Acquisition, and hereafter reads:

- On _____, 201__ the King County Council passed Ordinance _____, which appropriated a total of _____ (\$ _____) in Conservation Futures Levy proceeds to the City of _____ for the _____ Acquisition Project. On _____, 201__ The King County Council passed Ordinance _____, authorizing the King County Executive to enter into interlocal agreements with the City _____ for the disbursement of Conservation Futures Funds appropriated in Ordinance _____.

Amendment 2: Article V. Conditions of Agreement

Section 5.1 is amended to include Attachment __, which lists a 201__ Conservation Futures Levy Allocation for the _____ Acquisition project.

Amendment 3: Article VII. Responsibilities of County

The first two sentences of this article are amended to include references to Attachment __, which lists a 201__ Conservation Futures Levy proceeds allocation for the _____ 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.

AMENDMENT 4: Attachment

The Attachments to the interlocal agreement are hereby amended by adding Attachment __, which is hereby attached to the interlocal agreement, incorporated therein and made a part thereof.

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 _____

Dow Constantine
King County Executive

Mayor

Date: _____
Acting under the authority of
Ordinance _____

Date: _____
Acting under the authority of
Ordinance _____

Approved as to form:

Approved as to form:

Dan Satterberg
King County Prosecuting Attorney

City Attorney

EXHIBIT ____

201_ CONSERVATION FUTURES LEVY
CITY OF _____ ALLOCATION

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

Project Description:

City of _____ (Project Name) \$

Conservation Futures (CFT) Project Descriptions

1122033 Auburn - WLCF Les Gove Park Expansion

This is a new four-parcel acquisition project totaling 1.44 acres on Auburn Way at 12th Street SE in downtown Auburn. The primary purpose of the project is to create a visual presence for Les Gove Park from Auburn Way South, one of Auburn's most traveled thoroughfares.

1047227 Bellevue -WLCF BEL Bellevue Greenway and Open Space System

2014: \$650,000 is added to this multiple-parcel, multiple-year open space acquisition project. As a first priority, Bellevue will seek to acquire open space property in the Bridal Trails Community at a three-parcel, 15-acre wetland area located on 116th Avenue NE.

1122034 Covington -WLCF South Covington Park

This new project consists of three parcels totaling 5.65 acres on SE Wax Road, in the Jenkins Creek corridor. There is a dual goal for the project. The first is to create a trail connection between the planned Covington Town Center, which is located nearby to the northeast, and a city-wide trail system that connects with other Covington parks and open spaces. The second goal is habitat protection along Jenkins Creek, which runs parallel to the future trail. The project site is critically located at a planned trail crossing on SE Wax Road.

1047228 Issaquah - WLCF ISS Issaquah Creek Waterways

2014: \$250,000 is added to this project, which will acquire additional property within this multi-year, multi-parcel acquisition project, which has a goal of preserving critical streamside habitat. There are six target parcels along Issaquah Creek within the City of Issaquah. The first priority target acquisitions for this year are situated at or near the confluence of the main stem of Issaquah Creek and the North Fork of Issaquah Creek. The highest priority is a 1.61-acre property at the confluence of the two creek branches. The property contains important habitat for salmon and other aquatic and wildlife species.

1112181 Kent - WLCF KNT Green River Parcels

2014: \$350,000 is added to this project for acquisition of the Holiday Kennels site, located on Russell Road south of Van Doren's Landing Park, to provide for habitat restoration and possible setting back of Russell Road in the Lower Green River corridor.

1122035 Kirkland–WLCF Warsinske/Juanita Park

This new project consists of five undeveloped, wooded parcels totaling 1.89 acres, located at NE 124th Street 88th Place NE in Kirkland. The properties are an addition to Juanita Heights Park in the Juanita neighborhood of Kirkland.

1122036 Normandy Park – WLCF Normandy Park Nearshore

The Normandy Park Nearshore project is a new project consisting of the acquisition of up to 8.72 acres and 300 feet of marine shoreline habitat on Puget Sound, at SW 199th Place in Normandy Park.

Conservation Futures (CFT) Project Descriptions

1122037 Redmond – WLCF Bear Creek Trail Rehabilitation

This is a new 14.65-acre linear open space acquisition project in the corridor between State Route 520 and Bear Creek Parkway, which forms the southern boundary of the Redmond Town Center. This acquisition will allow for the restoration of approximately 3,500 feet of the stream channel of Bear Creek, immediately upstream from the creek's confluence with the Sammamish Slough. A trail in the corridor will also be moved to accommodate the stream restoration work.

1047226 Snoqualmie - WLCF Snoqualmie Riverfront Reach

2014: \$250,000 is added to this multiple-parcel, multi-year project to acquire riverfront open space properties along the Snoqualmie River in Snoqualmie.

1122038 Woodinville - WLCF Little Bear Creek

This new project has a goal of acquiring an approximately .25-acre parcel in the Little Bear Creek corridor, just south of State Route 509 at 134th Avenue NE in Woodinville. Woodinville has a goal of restoring the natural riparian habitat of the property to help resident threatened chinook, coho, sockeye and kokanee in the creek.

1122039 Seattle - WLCF West Seattle Junction

The West Seattle Junction Urban Village project is a new project that will acquire two parcels of approximately .26 acres to create a new community park in the mixed-use, high-density neighborhood near the intersection of SW Alaska Way and Fauntleroy Way.

1116261 Seattle - WLCF SEA Smith Cove Park Addition

2014: \$875,000 is added to this project to complete King County's Conservation Futures funding for this acquisition.

1122040 Seattle - WLCF SEA South Park Plaza

This new project will establish an approximately 1.3-acre passive use greenspace within a larger park that is being created on 14th Avenue South, in the South Park community. It is located just north of the soon-to-be-completed South Park replacement bridge on the western shore of the Duwamish Waterway.

1122041 Seattle - WLCF SEA Baker Park Addition

The Baker Park Addition Project is a new project that will acquire a .25-acre property on 14th Avenue NW, immediately south of Baker Park in Seattle's Crown Hill Neighborhood. The goal is to enlarge the existing park, allow more light into it, and improve the general usability of the park.

1122042 Seattle - WLCF 48th and Charlestown

The goal of this new project is to acquire an approximately .25-acre property for a new local park in West Seattle. It is located at the corner of 48th Street SW and SW Charlestown Street.