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STATE OF WASHINGTON

RECREATION AND CONSERVATION OFFICE

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Item #9a: **Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program,
Outdoor Recreation Account**

Local Parks Ranked List for Fiscal Year 2010

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**Approved by the
Director:**

Proposed Action: Decision

Description of Category

“Local Parks provide property or facilities for active or passive outdoor recreation. They may contain both upland and water oriented elements, although their primary focus is on uplands.”¹

Summary

Seventy-six Local Parks category projects requesting \$30.8 million were evaluated August 4–8 in open public meetings. The Recreation and Conservation Funding Board (Board) is being asked to approve Table 1, which shows the ranked list of projects and staff’s recommendation for projects to be forwarded to the Governor.

¹ RCFB Manual 10a, Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program – Outdoor Recreation Account: Policies and Project Selection



Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of Table 1, which shows the ranked list of projects. If approved by the Board, staff will forward the list to the Governor. In keeping with Board guidelines, Table 1 includes enough projects to use the statutory amount set aside for this category and alternates.

Resolution #2008-039 is provided for Board consideration.

Program Policies

The Local Parks category provides funds for both active and passive outdoor recreation facilities. Acquisition, development, and renovation of existing facilities are eligible. Facilities may include athletic fields, hard courts, picnic sites, playgrounds, outdoor swimming pools, and support amenities.

Other factors related to this category are:

Eligible Applicants	Local agencies (cities/towns, counties, park, port, and school districts, Native American Tribes, and other special districts)
Eligible Project Types	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Acquisition, development, and renovation of existing facilities• Combination projects involve both acquisition and development/renovation
Funding Limits	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• \$500,000 for development or renovation projects• \$1 million for acquisition and combination projects (with a maximum of \$500,000 for development)
Match Requirements	50 percent matching share
Public Access	Required

The Local Parks category is eligible to receive 30 percent of the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program funds in the Outdoor Recreation account.² Fifty percent of the funds allocated in this category must be used for acquisition costs. Meeting this statutory requirement may require skipping higher-ranked development projects in favor of acquisition projects.

Evaluation Summary

Seventy-six Local Parks category projects requesting \$30.8 million were evaluated August 4-8, 2008 in open public meetings. Using criteria adopted by the Board, a team of eight evaluators reviewed and ranked the projects. The team was composed of state and local agency representatives and citizens-at-large who have expertise and

² Chapter 79A.15.050(1)(b) RCW

experience in local land use issues, park and recreation resource management, engineering and design.

Evaluator	Representing
Peg Panisko, West Richland	Citizen
Cleve Pinnix, Olympia	Citizen
John Bottelli, Spokane County Parks and Recreation	Local Agency
Brian Meyer, Woodinville Parks and Recreation	Local Agency
Dick Weber, Puyallup Parks and Recreation	Local Agency
Chuck Gibilisco, Department of Fish and Wildlife	State Agency
Colleen Maguire, State Parks and Recreation	State Agency
Christine Redmond, Department of Natural Resources	State Agency

The results of the evaluations, provided for Board consideration, are in *Table 1 – WWRP, Local Parks Ranked List of Projects, Fiscal Year 2010*.

Attachments

Resolution #2008-039

Table 1 – WWRP, Local Parks Ranked List of Projects, FY 2010

- A. State Map for Local Parks Category projects
- B. Local Parks Evaluation Criteria Summary
- C. Local Parks Project Evaluation Scoring Summary
- D. Local Parks Project Summaries (a synopsis of each proposal)

RESOLUTION #2008-039

**Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program
Local Parks Category - Fiscal Year 2010
Ranked List of Projects**

WHEREAS, for fiscal year 2010 of the 2009-2011 biennium, seventy-six Local Parks category projects are eligible for funding from the Outdoor Recreation Account of the Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program; and

WHEREAS, these Local Parks category projects were evaluated using criteria approved by Recreation and Conservation Funding Board (Board) members; and

WHEREAS, these evaluations occurred in open public meetings, thereby supporting the Board's strategy to ensure that its work is conducted with integrity and in a fair and open manner; and

WHEREAS, all seventy-six Local Parks category projects meet program requirements as stipulated in Manual 10a: *Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program – Outdoor Recreation Account: Policies and Project Selection*, thus supporting the Board's strategy to fund the best projects as determined by the evaluation process; and

WHEREAS, the projects involve acquisition, development, and/or renovation of properties for recreation, thereby supporting the Board's strategy to provide partners with funding to enhance recreation opportunities statewide;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board hereby approves the ranked list of projects depicted in Table 1 – *WWRP, Local Parks Ranked List of Projects, FY 2010*; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby recommends to the Governor the ranked list of Local Parks category projects for further consideration.

Resolution moved by: _____

Resolution seconded by: _____

Adopted/Defeated/Deferred (underline one)

Date: _____

Table 1
Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program - Local Parks Projects
State Fiscal Year 2010

Rank	Score	Number	Project Name	Project Sponsor	RCO Amount	Sponsor Amount	Total Amount	Cumulative Amount
1 of 76	55.250	08-1669D	Evergreen Park Expansion/Shoreline Rest. 08	Bremerton City of	\$500,000	\$1,681,217	\$2,181,217	\$500,000
2 of 76	54.250	08-1603D	Outdoor Swimming Pool Renovation	Prosser City of	\$500,000	\$541,380	\$1,041,380	\$1,000,000
3 of 76	53.875	08-1648D	Pioneer Park Field Lighting	Aberdeen Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$630,675	\$1,130,675	\$1,500,000
4 of 76	53.375	08-1337D	South Kitsap Regional Park-Phase 1	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	\$500,000	\$1,091,000	\$1,591,000	\$2,000,000
5 of 76	53.125	08-1580D	Doc Hageman Park	Lynnwood City of	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000	\$2,500,000
6 of 76	52.750	08-1609D	Palouse City Park Renovation	Palouse City of	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$24,000	\$2,512,000
7 of 76	52.375	08-1602D	McDonald Park Lighting Project Phase II	Colfax City of	\$39,639	\$39,639	\$79,278	\$2,551,639
8 of 76	51.750	08-1831D	Multi-Purpose Sports Turf Field - Central Park	Issaquah City of	\$500,000	\$2,045,000	\$2,545,000	\$3,051,639
9 of 76	51.438	08-1630C	Rocky Hill Park	Liberty Lake City of	\$503,500	\$1,710,000	\$2,213,500	\$3,555,139
10 of 76	51.125	08-1091D	Wright Park Spray and Playground	Tacoma MPD	\$500,000	\$1,075,149	\$1,575,149	\$4,055,139
11 of 76	51.000	08-1205A	Fallen Leaf Lake Park	Camas City of	\$1,000,000	\$1,067,800	\$2,067,800	\$5,055,139
12 of 76	50.875	08-1303D	Kiwanis Park Splash Park and Boardwalk	Mount Vernon Parks & Rec Dept	\$322,000	\$322,000	\$644,000	\$5,377,139
13 of 76	50.625	08-1538D	Trustland Trails Parking and Connection	South Whidbey Parks & Rec Dist	\$56,198	\$104,360	\$160,558	\$5,433,337
14 of 76	50.500	08-1596A	Ward Lake Acquisition	Olympia Parks, Arts & Rec	\$750,000	\$1,500,000	\$2,250,000	\$6,183,337
15 of 76	50.000	08-1290A	Tenino City Park Expansion - WWRP Local Parks	Tenino City of	\$57,500	\$57,500	\$115,000	\$6,240,837
15 of 76	50.000	08-1292A	Ballard Park Acquisition	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	\$350,000	\$2,826,193	\$3,176,193	\$6,590,837
15 of 76	50.000	08-1212A	Agnew Soccer Fields	Clallam Co Parks Dept	\$205,500	\$205,500	\$411,000	\$6,796,337
18 of 76	49.875	08-1299D	Memorial Field Renovation-2008	Skagit County Parks & Rec	\$115,000	\$128,500	\$243,500	\$6,911,337
18 of 76	49.875	08-1094D	Children's Nature Exploration Area	Tacoma MPD	\$350,000	\$456,476	\$806,476	\$7,261,337
20 of 76	49.750	08-1390A	Tolle Anderson Park Acquisition	Issaquah City of	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$8,261,337
21 of 76	48.500	08-1133D	Stadler Ridge Park	Lynnwood City of	\$350,000	\$350,000	\$700,000	\$8,611,337
22 of 76	48.375	08-1340D	Vashon Athletic Fields Improvements Ph 2 & 3	Vashon Park District	\$500,000	\$628,876	\$1,128,876	\$9,111,337
23 of 76	48.250	08-1209D	Lighthouse Park Phase 2	Mukilteo City of	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000	\$9,611,337
24 of 76	48.000	08-1251D	D. Douglas Community Park Renovation	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$1,120,822	\$1,620,822	\$10,111,337
24 of 76	48.000	08-1305D	Camas Field of Dreams Sports Complex: Phase 1	Camas City of	\$500,000	\$1,466,724	\$1,966,724	\$10,611,337
24 of 76	48.000	08-1149D	Ron Regis Park Phase II	Renton City of	\$500,000	\$1,970,700	\$2,470,700	\$11,111,337
27 of 76	47.875	08-1374D	Steve Cox Memorial Park, Phase II	King County DNR & Parks	\$500,000	\$505,000	\$1,005,000	\$11,611,337
27 of 76	47.875	08-1455D	Cirque Park Phase 2	University Place City of	\$417,907	\$417,908	\$835,815	\$12,029,244
29 of 76	47.375	08-1425D	Badger Mountain Park Water Spray Improvements	Richland Parks & Rec	\$177,893	\$177,893	\$355,786	\$12,207,137
29 of 76	47.375	08-1082D	Finch Spray Park	Aberdeen Parks & Rec Dept	\$120,000	\$122,218	\$242,218	\$12,327,137
31 of 76	47.250	08-1310D	Perrigo Park Development Phase 2	Redmond City of	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000	\$12,827,137
31 of 76	47.250	08-1284D	Jefferson Park Development	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$722,142	\$1,222,142	\$13,327,137
33 of 76	47.000	08-1801D	Paul Powers Park	Port Orchard City of	\$300,000	\$349,907	\$649,907	\$13,627,137
34 of 76	46.625	08-1748A	Meydenbauer Bay Waterfront Acquisition	Bellevue City of	\$1,000,000	\$2,630,000	\$3,630,000	\$14,627,137
35 of 76	46.500	08-1430D	Claybell Park Improvements	Richland Parks & Rec	\$497,600	\$497,600	\$995,200	\$15,124,737
36 of 76	46.375	08-1370D	Yakima Youth Soccer Complex	Yakima Parks & Recreation	\$500,000	\$1,580,011	\$2,080,011	\$15,624,737

36 of 76	46.375	08-1115A	Garrett Property Acquisition	Washougal City of	\$355,460	\$355,460	\$710,920	\$15,980,197
38 of 76	46.250	08-1382D	Memorial Park Improvements - Phase 1	Carnation City of	\$32,800	\$32,900	\$65,700	\$16,012,997
39 of 76	46.125	08-1404D	Hales Pass Renovation	Peninsula Metropolitan Park	\$500,000	\$516,476	\$1,016,476	\$16,512,997
39 of 76	46.125	08-1469A	Cordata Park Acquisition	Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$533,333	\$1,033,333	\$17,012,997
39 of 76	46.125	08-1309D	Phase II - Greenacres Park Development	Spokane Valley City of	\$500,000	\$700,000	\$1,200,000	\$17,512,997
42 of 76	46.000	08-1293A	Knight Forest	Peninsula Metropolitan Park	\$693,800	\$693,800	\$1,387,600	\$18,206,797
42 of 76	46.000	08-1714D	Columbia Park Off Leash Dog Park	Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000	\$18,706,797
44 of 76	45.750	08-1089D	SERA Skate Park, Spray and Playground	Tacoma MPD	\$500,000	\$750,000	\$1,250,000	\$19,206,797
45 of 76	45.500	08-1588D	Hamlin Park Renovation	Shoreline City of	\$500,000	\$1,024,999	\$1,524,999	\$19,706,797
46 of 76	45.375	08-1154A	Sunset Park Acquisition	Clark County Parks Dept	\$540,850	\$540,853	\$1,081,703	\$20,247,647
46 of 76	45.375	08-1880D	West Hill Park Development 3	Kent Parks, Rec & Comm Serv	\$300,000	\$516,282	\$816,282	\$20,547,647
48 of 76	45.250	08-1145D	Ashford Community Park, Phase 1	Pierce County Parks & Rec	\$500,000	\$2,949,365	\$3,449,365	\$21,047,647
49 of 76	45.000	08-1539D	Sunset Crossing Park Development	Airway Heights City of	\$150,000	\$159,795	\$309,795	\$21,197,647
50 of 76	44.375	08-1163D	Curtin Creek Community Park	Clark County Parks Dept	\$500,000	\$2,381,597	\$2,881,597	\$21,697,647
50 of 76	44.375	08-1196D	Northgate Urban Center Park Development Ph 1	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$1,619,777	\$2,119,777	\$22,197,647
52 of 76	44.250	08-1473D	Beacon Park Phase 1	Montesano City of	\$217,500	\$217,500	\$435,000	\$22,415,147
53 of 76	44.125	08-1137A	WRAC Acquisition	Wenatchee City of	\$410,150	\$410,150	\$820,300	\$22,825,297
54 of 76	43.125	08-1706D	Naches Trail Preserve	Pierce Co Water Programs Div	\$282,383	\$282,383	\$564,766	\$23,107,680
55 of 76	42.875	08-1263D	Volunteer Park Renovation Phase 1	Key Peninsula Metro Park Dist	\$486,750	\$486,750	\$973,500	\$23,594,430
56 of 76	42.750	08-1150A	Mackie Park	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	\$501,358	\$501,358	\$1,002,716	\$24,095,788
56 of 76	42.750	08-1636C	Paradise Valley Mt. Bike Skill Center	Snohomish County Parks Dept	\$499,500	\$1,944,838	\$2,444,338	\$24,595,288
58 of 76	42.000	08-1758D	DuPont Skate Park	DuPont City of	\$252,568	\$252,568	\$505,136	\$24,847,856
59 of 76	41.875	08-1685D	Hansen Park - Phase III Amenities	Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000	\$25,347,856
59 of 76	41.875	08-1647D	Cromwell Park Renovation	Shoreline City of	\$500,000	\$1,050,000	\$1,550,000	\$25,847,856
61 of 76	41.625	08-1658D	Torguson Park Playground Equipment	North Bend City of	\$32,500	\$32,500	\$65,000	\$25,880,356
62 of 76	41.375	08-1159D	Lauren Neighborhood Park	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	\$294,904	\$294,904	\$589,808	\$26,175,260
63 of 76	41.125	08-1441A	Victor Falls Viewpoint	Pierce County Parks & Rec	\$246,200	\$246,200	\$492,400	\$26,421,460
64 of 76	41.000	08-1418D	Shelterbelt Linear Park Trail Improvements	Richland Parks & Rec	\$446,445	\$446,445	\$892,890	\$26,867,905
65 of 76	40.750	08-1066D	Mason County Recreation Area Renovation	Mason County	\$400,000	\$409,500	\$809,500	\$27,267,905
66 of 76	40.375	08-1162D	Bosco Place Neighborhood Park	Clark County Parks Dept	\$491,587	\$491,587	\$983,174	\$27,759,492
67 of 76	40.000	08-1652D	Ponderosa Park Renovation	Cle Elum City of	\$100,000	\$119,879	\$219,879	\$27,859,492
68 of 76	39.625	08-1237A	Community Park Acquisition	College Place City of	\$392,868	\$392,868	\$785,736	\$28,252,360
69 of 76	39.375	08-1161D	Lakeshore Neighborhood Park	Clark County Parks Dept	\$352,273	\$352,273	\$704,546	\$28,604,633
69 of 76	39.375	08-1600D	College Marketplace Ballfields	Poulsbo City of	\$240,114	\$240,115	\$480,229	\$28,844,747
71 of 76	39.000	08-1095A	Oak Tree Park Expansion	Tacoma MPD	\$323,500	\$323,500	\$647,000	\$29,168,247
72 of 76	38.000	08-1302D	Dayton Skate Park Development	Dayton City of	\$36,728	\$36,728	\$73,456	\$29,204,975
73 of 76	37.000	08-1759D	Southridge Sports Fields Park	Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000	\$29,704,975
74 of 76	36.375	08-1254A	Southwest County UGA Community Park	Snohomish County Parks Dept	\$1,000,000	\$1,859,470	\$2,859,470	\$30,704,975
75 of 76	34.750	08-1608D	Torguson Park Climbing Rock	North Bend City of	\$72,000	\$72,845	\$144,845	\$30,776,975
76 of 76	29.875	08-1087A	Happy Dell Park Acquisition	Kettle Falls City of	\$92,500	\$95,000	\$187,500	\$30,869,475
					\$30,869,475	\$55,368,188	\$86,237,663	

NOTE: Funds available, to be determined. No less than 50% of the funds allocated in this category must be used for acquisition.

ared: 08/27/2008

Attachment B: Local Parks Category (Local Agencies), Evaluation Criteria Summary

Local parks provide property or facilities for active or passive outdoor recreation. They may contain both upland and water-oriented elements, although their primary focus is on uplands and swimming pools.

RCFB Manual 10a.

WWRP - Local Parks Criteria Analysis							
Score	#	Title	A/D	Mult/Mx	C	Mult/Mx	Focus
Team	1	Public Need	A/D	3/15.0	C	3/15.0	Local
Team	2	Project Scope	A/D	3/15.0	C	3/15.0	Local
Team	3	Project Design	D	3/15.0	C	1.5/7.5	Technical
Team	4	Immediacy of Threat	A	2/10.0	C	1/5	Local
Team	5	Site Suitability	A	1/5.0	C	0.5/2.5	Technical
Team	6	Expansion/Renovation	A/D	1/5.0	C	1/5.0	Local
Team	7	Project Support	A/D	2/10.0	C	2/10.0	State/Local
Team	8	Cost Efficiencies	A/D	1/5.0	C	1/5.0	State/Local
RCO Staff	9	GMA Preference	A/D	1/0	C	1/0	State
RCO Staff	10	Population Proximity	A/D	1/3.0	C	1/3.0	State
TOTAL POINTS POSSIBLE				A = 68 / D = 68 / C = 68			

KEY:

RCO Staff	=	Criteria scored by RCO staff
Team	=	Criteria scored by interdisciplinary evaluation team
A/D/C	=	<u>A</u> cquisition, <u>D</u> evelopment or <u>C</u> ombination specific question
Mult/Mx	=	Multiplier and maximum points possible for this criterion
St/Loc/Tech	=	State priority, local priority, or technical consideration
SCORP	=	Statewide comprehensive outdoor recreation plan
GMA	=	Growth Management Act
Focus	=	St/Loc/Tech; Criteria orientation in accordance with SCORP policy of developing evaluation systems based on three need factors: Those that meet general <i>statewide</i> needs (often called for in RCW or SCORP), those that meet <i>local</i> needs (usually an item of narrower purview, often called for in local plans), and those that meet <i>technical</i> considerations (usually more objective decisions than those of policy).

Scoring Criteria, Local Parks Category

Team Scored Criteria

1. **Public need.** Considering the availability of existing outdoor recreation facilities within the service area, what is the need for new or improved facilities?
2. **Project Scope.** Does the project scope meet deficient recreational opportunities within the service area as identified in question one, Public Need?
3. **Project Design.** Does the project demonstrate good design criteria? Does it make the best use of the site?
4. **Immediacy of Threat.** Is there a threat to the public availability of the resources the site possesses?
5. **Site Suitability.** Is the site to be acquired well suited for the intended recreational uses?
6. **Expansion or Renovation.** Will the acquisition or development project expand or renovate an existing recreation area or facility?
7. **Project Support.** The extent that the public (statewide, community, and/or user groups) has been provided with an adequate opportunity to become informed, and/or support for the project seems apparent.
8. **Cost Efficiencies.** The extent that this project demonstrates efficiencies and/or reduces government costs through documented use of volunteers, donations, signed cooperative agreements, or signed memoranda of understanding (such as no cost easements/leases, maintenance/operation arrangements, or similar cost savings).

Scored by RCO Staff

9. **GMA Preference.** Has the applicant made progress toward meeting the requirements of the Growth Management Act (GMA)? RCW 43.17.250
10. **Population Proximity.** Is the project in a populated area?
 - a. The project is located within the urban growth area boundary of a city or town with a population of 5,000 or more. **AND**
 - b. The project is located within a county with a population density of 250 or more people per square mile. RCW 79A.25.250

Evaluation Summary

Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program - Local Parks

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Question #	1	2	3	3b	4	4b	5	5b	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Name/Sponsor	Public Need	Project Scope	Project Design Devel.	Project Design Comb.	Threat Acquis.	Threat Comb.	Site Suitability Acquis.	Site Suitability Comb.	Expansion Renovation	Project Support	Cost Efficiency	GMA Preference	Pop. Proximity	
1 /Bremerton	11.250	12.375	12.750						3.625	8.500	3.750	0.000	3.000	55.250
2 Outdoor Swimmin/Prosser	14.250	13.125	12.375						4.375	6.500	3.125	-1.000	1.500	54.250
3 Pioneer Park Fi/Aberdeen	13.875	11.250	12.000						3.750	7.750	3.750	0.000	1.500	53.875
4 South Kitsap Re/Kitsap Co	12.000	12.000	12.375						4.125	7.500	2.375	0.000	3.000	53.375
5 Par/Lynnwood	11.625	11.625	15.000						1.875	8.000	2.000	0.000	3.000	53.125
6 Palouse City Pa/Palouse	12.000	12.000	11.250						4.000	9.250	4.250	0.000	0.000	52.750
7 McDonald Park L/Colfax	12.000	11.625	12.375						3.875	8.250	4.250	0.000	0.000	52.375
8 Multi-Purpose S/Issaquah	12.000	11.250	10.875						3.375	8.000	3.250	0.000	3.000	51.750
9 Rocky Hill Park/Liberty	12.000	11.625	0.000	5.625	0.000	3.750	0.000	1.938	2.750	6.500	4.250	0.000	3.000	51.438
10 Wright Park Spr/Tacoma	11.250	10.875	12.000						3.750	6.750	3.500	0.000	3.000	51.125
11 Fallen Leaf Lak/Comas	10.500	12.000			7.750		4.500		3.750	7.750	1.750	0.000	3.000	51.000
12 Vernon	12.375	10.500	12.750						3.875	6.500	3.375	0.000	1.500	50.875
13 Trustland Trail/S Whidbey	12.375	11.625	12.000		0.000				3.125	7.250	2.750	0.000	1.500	50.625
14 Ward Lake Acqui/Olympia	13.125	11.625			9.000		4.250		0.000	8.000	1.500	0.000	3.000	50.500
15 Tenino City Par/Tenino	10.500	10.125			9.250		4.125		3.500	6.750	4.250	0.000	1.500	50.000
15 Ballard Park Ac/Seattle	12.375	11.250			9.500		3.875		1.125	7.250	1.625	0.000	3.000	50.000
15 Agnew Soccer Fi/Clallam	13.125	12.000			8.750		5.000		1.375	8.000	2.750	-1.000	0.000	50.000
18 Memorial Field /Skagit Co	12.375	10.875	12.375						3.875	7.000	2.875	-1.000	1.500	49.875
18 Children's Natu/Tacoma	10.125	11.625	12.000						3.500	7.250	2.375	0.000	3.000	49.875
20 Tolle Anderson /Issaquah	9.375	10.875			8.250		4.125		3.625	8.000	2.500	0.000	3.000	49.750
21 Stadler Ridge P/Lynnwood	10.500	10.875	14.250						2.125	6.000	1.750	0.000	3.000	48.500
22 PD	10.875	10.875	10.500						3.500	7.250	3.875	0.000	1.500	48.375
23 Lighthouse Park/Mukilteo	9.750	10.500	11.625		0.000				3.750	6.500	3.125	0.000	3.000	48.250
24 D. Douglas/Vancouver	12.000	10.875	10.875						3.625	6.000	1.625	0.000	3.000	48.000
24 Camas Field of /Comas	10.875	9.750	10.125						3.375	7.000	3.875	0.000	3.000	48.000
24 Ron Regis Park /Renton	11.625	11.250	9.750						3.500	6.250	2.625	0.000	3.000	48.000
27 Steve Cox Memor/King Co	12.750	11.250	9.750						3.375	5.750	3.500	0.000	1.500	47.875
27 Cirque Park Pha/University	11.625	11.250	10.875						3.125	5.750	2.250	0.000	3.000	47.875
29 Badger Mountain/Richland	12.000	11.250	11.250						3.750	7.000	0.625	0.000	1.500	47.375
29 Finch Spray Par/Aberdeen	10.125	9.750	10.500						3.375	8.250	3.875	0.000	1.500	47.375
31 Jefferson Park /Seattle	9.375	10.500	11.625		0.000				3.875	7.000	1.875	0.000	3.000	47.250
31 Perrigo Park De/Redmond	9.750	10.500	12.375						3.375	6.500	1.750	0.000	3.000	47.250
33 Paul Powers Par/Port Orch	11.625	10.500	9.000						3.750	6.750	3.375	-1.000	3.000	47.000
34 Bay/Bellevue	9.750	9.750			8.750		4.000		3.500	6.500	1.375	0.000	3.000	46.625
35 Claybell Park I/Richland	10.125	11.250	11.250						3.500	7.500	1.375	0.000	1.500	46.500
36 Yakima Youth So/Yakima	12.375	11.625	9.750						1.500	6.250	3.375	0.000	1.500	46.375

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Name/Sponsor	Public Need	Project Scope	Project Design Devel.	Project Design Comb.	Threat Acquis.	Threat Comb.	Site Suitability Acquis.	Site Suitability Comb.	Expansion Renovation	Project Support	Cost Efficiency.	GMA Preference	Pop. Proximity	Total
36 Garrett Propert/Washougal	10.500	10.875			7.250		3.500		3.125	5.250	2.875	0.000	3.000	46.375
38 Memorial Park I/Carnation	11.625	10.500	10.125						3.500	6.500	2.500	0.000	1.500	46.250
39 Reno/Peninsula	9.375	11.250	11.625						3.875	6.750	1.750	0.000	1.500	46.125
39 Ac/Bellingham	11.625	9.375			8.000		3.500		1.875	7.750	2.500	0.000	1.500	46.125
39 Phase II - Gree/Spokane	12.375	9.750	9.000						1.875	7.750	2.375	0.000	3.000	46.125
42 Knight Forest/Peninsula	9.750	9.375			7.750		4.125		3.375	7.000	3.125	0.000	1.500	46.000
42 O/Kennewick	10.125	10.125	9.750						3.125	7.750	3.625	0.000	1.500	46.000
44 SERA Skate Park/Tacoma	8.625	9.375	10.875						3.375	7.500	3.000	0.000	3.000	45.750
45 Hamlin Park Ren/Shoreline	10.125	9.375	9.750						3.750	7.250	2.250	0.000	3.000	45.500
46 Sunset Park Acq/Clark Co	11.250	10.125			8.750		4.125		1.000	5.750	2.375	-1.000	3.000	45.375
46 West Hill Park /Kent Parks	9.750	10.125	10.500						2.500	6.750	2.750	0.000	3.000	45.375
48 Co	11.250	11.250	11.625						1.875	6.500	1.250	0.000	1.500	45.250
49 Sunset Cross/Airway Hgh	11.625	10.500	10.125						1.125	6.750	1.875	0.000	3.000	45.000
50 Curtin Creek Co/Clark Co	11.250	10.875	11.250						0.625	6.750	1.625	-1.000	3.000	44.375
50 Northgate Urban/Seattle	11.250	10.875	10.500						0.250	7.000	1.500	0.000	3.000	44.375
52 Beacon Park/Montesana	11.625	10.125	12.000						0.375	6.750	3.375	0.000	0.000	44.250
53 WRAC Acq/Wenatchee	9.750	12.000			8.250		4.625		1.375	6.000	1.625	-1.000	1.500	44.125
54 Naches Trail Pr/Pierce Co	9.375	9.375	10.875						3.375	6.750	1.875	0.000	1.500	43.125
55 Volunteer Park /Key Pen	10.875	9.750	9.750		0.000				3.250	7.000	0.750	0.000	1.500	42.875
56 Mackie Park /Vancouver	10.125	10.125			8.500		4.000		0.625	5.500	0.875	0.000	3.000	42.750
56 Valley/Snohomish	10.500	10.125	0.000	5.063	0.000	3.625	0.000	1.938	2.625	5.250	2.125	0.000	1.500	42.750
58 DuPont Skate Pa/DuPont	9.750	10.125	10.500		0.000				1.875	5.250	1.500	0.000	3.000	42.000
59 P/Kennewick	10.500	11.250	9.375		0.000				3.000	4.250	2.000	0.000	1.500	41.875
59 Cromwell Park R/Shoreline	8.250	8.625	9.000						3.375	7.250	2.375	0.000	3.000	41.875
61 Torguson Park/North Bend	10.125	9.750	9.000		0.000				3.375	6.000	1.875	0.000	1.500	41.625
62 Lauren Neigh/Vancouver	10.875	9.750	9.375						1.500	5.250	1.625	0.000	3.000	41.375
63 Victor Falls Vi/Pierce Co	10.125	9.000			6.750		4.125		2.000	5.750	1.875	0.000	1.500	41.125
64 Shelterbelt Lin/Richland	9.375	9.375	9.750						3.375	6.250	1.375	0.000	1.500	41.000
65 Co	9.375	10.125	9.375						3.250	6.000	2.125	-1.000	1.500	40.750
66 Bosco Place Nei/Clark Co	11.625	9.375	9.750		0.000				0.250	5.750	1.625	-1.000	3.000	40.375
67 Ponderosa Park /Cle Elum	10.500	10.125	9.000						2.875	5.500	2.000	0.000	0.000	40.000
68 PI	10.875	11.250			5.750		4.000		0.000	5.000	1.250	0.000	1.500	39.625
69 Lakeshore Neigh/Clark Co	11.625	9.750	8.625						0.250	5.750	1.375	-1.000	3.000	39.375
69 College Marketp/Poulsbo	9.375	9.750	7.875						0.750	5.750	2.875	0.000	3.000	39.375
71 Oak Tree Park E/Tacoma	7.875	7.125			5.500		3.875		2.875	7.000	1.750	0.000	3.000	39.000
72 Dayton Skate Pa/Dayton	9.375	8.625	8.625		0.000				3.250	5.500	2.625	0.000	0.000	38.000
73 Spor/Kennewick	8.625	9.375	7.875						3.250	4.500	1.875	0.000	1.500	37.000
74 SW Co/Snohomish Co	8.625	7.875			7.500		3.500		0.500	5.500	1.375	0.000	1.500	36.375
75 Torguson Park/North Bend	7.125	7.875	7.875						2.375	4.750	3.250	0.000	1.500	34.750
76 Happy Dell Pk/Kettle Falls	10.125	7.500			1.000		4.250		1.125	4.750	1.125	0.000	0.000	29.875

**Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program
Outdoor Recreation Account
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Project Synopses

Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program
LOCAL PARKS
State Fiscal Year 2010 Projects, In Ranked Order

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Bremerton	\$500,000	\$1,681,217	\$2,181,217
08-1669D Evergreen Park Expansion/Shoreline Rest. 08			

The Evergreen Park Expansion and Shoreline Restoration Project is the final project required to redevelop blight properties surrounding the Evergreen Park/Evergreen-Rotary Park complex into an expansion of the park and complete the park, restore the shoreline and create a public access beach. This park complex is the City of Bremerton's premier park with the highest use rates, notwithstanding athletic fields. The park is used year round for all manner of events, festivals and recreation; including picnicking, walks along the trails, boating, and beautiful water views.

Evergreen Park is bordered to the north and west by residential neighborhoods and small businesses that have seen significant revitalization in the recent past. The City recently acquired the Chevron property and the Plumber's and Steamfitters Union Property that both border the southern limit of the park. Integration of both sites into the park will remove the final blighted property in this area. This project will expand the park by 1.56 acres, complete the park development, provide opportunities for recreation in a beautiful waterfront setting, and serve as a primary connection for the planned boardwalk trail. In addition it will restore 700 feet of shoreline, create a beach area to provide much-needed beach and water access, and develop additional parking to relieve the pressure on existing parking lots and adjacent streets.

Rank (1 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Prosser	\$500,000	\$541,380	\$1,041,380
08-1603D Outdoor Swimming Pool Renovation			

This grant will fund the renovation of the 50-year old bathhouse and outdoor swimming pool in the 6-acre E.J. Miller Park. The renovation will provide ADA accessibility, increase pool usage, and correct Code violations. To increase usage, a new pool furnace will be installed; a shallow water pool for teaching aqua aerobics (etc) will be created by installing a permanent bulkhead at one end of the pool. A properly placed bulkhead will also allow the larger area of the pool to be used for sanctioned competitive swim meets. A zero depth play pool with toys will be added to the site to increase participation by children. To increase pool use by teens and other bathers, a water slide will be added. The current sand filters and piping, the chemical treatment of the water, and gas chlorine system are all not Code compliant. All will be replaced along with a new pool furnace, new concrete pool decks and ADA upgrades to the bathhouse.

When the pool furnace failed several years ago, it was removed and bathers have had to endure cold water for most of the swim season which reduced pool usage. The State Health Department has a 2008 deadline requiring swimming pools to meet minimum requirements for their chemical and circulation systems. The pool is currently non-compliance with these requirements of the Health Code and puts the pool subject to closure unless an upgrade plan is in place. After several public meetings, the City developed the proposed upgrade plan for the facility that serves over 10,000 people.

Rank (2 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Aberdeen Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$630,675	\$1,130,675
08-1648D Pioneer Park Field Lighting			

The scope of this project includes installing field lights and new electrical service to 4 baseball and softball fields.

During the first week of December, 2007, the City of Aberdeen experienced a major windstorm event that wiped out all of our Pioneer Park field lighting system. During the storm, we had 2 poles break off about 15ft above ground. Other poles shifted in the ground and are in need of re-setting and an additional 10 poles require total replacement. 184 out of 186 light fixtures are no longer operable and all of the transformers and underground wiring have been "red-tagged" by the electrical inspector.

Due to the total magnitude of the damage, we have abandoned the current system.

This project will replace the field lights at the Little League field, the Babe Ruth Field and two softball fields with modern steel poled lighting systems. We will also install the underground infrastructure to add capacity to light the remaining 3 fields.

Funding partners include FEMA, the Grays Harbor PUD and the local the Little League and Babe Ruth leagues. The PUD will remove and dispose of the poles and equipment.

Rank (3 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Kitsap County Parks and Rec	\$500,000	\$1,091,000	\$1,591,000
08-1337D South Kitsap Regional Park-Phase 1			

The 200-acre South Kitsap Community Park was transferred from the dissolved SK Park District to Kitsap County in 2007. Located within the urbanized Port Orchard UGA, this regional site is encircled by one of the fastest growing areas within the county for young families. The park is surrounded by housing, businesses, churches and shopping centers. To quickly gauge public sentiment about the kind, type and immediate needs, the County conducted a variety of community gatherings to determine "first priority" level of public preference. The scope of this project is development that provides a new/expanded children's playground, an in-ground and street-level skate park, one new ballfield and the relocation/re-orientation/expansion of three existing 300' baseball fields, incorporation of an all-weather turf regulation-sized soccer field, realigned interior park access roads, parking and natural walking and jogging paths accessing trails to the natural wooded areas. Partnerships between the County and citizen, business and civic non-profits have resulted in a surge of positive community support to see the project come to fruition.

Rank (4 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Lynnwood	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000

08-1580D Doc Hageman Park

The scope of this project is to develop a neighborhood park on an old farm site in the Tutmark Hill neighborhood in Lynnwood's MUGA. Rapid residential development has occurred here without provision for recreational open space. Over 200 new homes have been built within ½-mile of the park. Martha Lake Park, a county regional park, is 1 mile north.

Because the county doesn't provide parks at the neighborhood level, Lynnwood acquired the 7.69-acre site to provide a recreation facility for the rapidly growing unincorporated area. This park will meet the neighborhood's recreation needs and provide residents with an understanding of their agricultural heritage. The park, named for Doc Hageman who farmed the property for over 50 years, has a rich agricultural history which is incorporated into the design of the park.

The park site was purchased in 2002 with a county neighborhood improvement grant. At public meetings held in 2007, the neighborhood enthusiastically supported development of the park and participated in the design of the preliminary master plan. This project includes community gardens, interpretive signs, loop trail, sport court, play equipment, picnic areas, large informal play field, restrooms and parking. The scope of work includes Architecture & Engineering, Fences & Gates, Landscaping, Outdoor Courts, Park Amenities, Park Furniture, Parking, Playground, Restrooms, Signage, Site Preparation, Trails and Utilities.

Rank (5 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Palouse	\$12,000	\$12,000	\$24,000

08-1609D Palouse City Park Renovation

The goal of this project is to remove old, unsafe play equipment and replace it with modern commercial play equipment, for the target ages of 2-5 in Palouse's City Park. The equipment in the city park currently does not serve park visitors age 2-5 and has been deemed unsafe by the city staff and city's insurance company.

The project, phase 2 of a 5 phase plan, will include the removal of outdated play equipment, site preparation for improved fall surfaces, play structure installation by city staff and volunteers, and the construction of a new sidewalk to connect the play structure to parking, picnic shelter, and the park's public restrooms. The benefits of the project will be to fill the gap of age-appropriate play equipment for park visitors, provide a safer play environment, and support the city parks, trails, and open space plan to provide a quality recreational experience for the citizens of Palouse and other park visitors. Funding from the RCO will also help support future fundraising efforts by Palouse's citizen committee, the Little Peoples' Park Project.

Rank (6 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Colfax	\$39,639	\$39,639	\$79,278

08-1602D McDonald Park Lighting Project Phase II

The legal description of the property purchased with funding assistance provided through this Project Agreement (and protected by a recorded Deed-of-Right) shall be amended into the Project Agreement prior to reimbursement of the final payment.

Rank (7 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Issaquah	\$500,000	\$2,045,000	\$2,545,000
08-1831D Multi-Purpose Sports Turf Field - Central Park			

The Scope of work is install 2 lighted artificial turf fields with lights in Central Park. This will complete our Phase Two - Multi-purpose Sports Turf Field at Central Park Pad 3. 2- Artificial Turf Fields with Lights in Issaquah has been a goal by Council, a constant request by Sports Team, and monumental need to City Parks Recreation programming. The City's grass fields are over-used and being ruined by evergrowing Soccer, Lacrosse, and Youth Football programs. Currently this area has one field in poor condition due to the poor draining rotting natural grass site. This 2008 year the field has been unusable due to swamped conditions. Patrons are now refusing to use this area for sports and then wet conditions have ruined the grade and turf conditions.

Rank (8 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Liberty Lake	\$503,500	\$1,710,000	\$2,213,500
08-1630C Rocky Hill Park			

The scope of the Rocky Hill Park project is the acquisition and development of 13.2 acres of land which has been divided into two phases for the development of a community park. The City is currently developing 7.7 acres as part of Rocky Hill Park Phase 1, which includes a parking lot, basketball court, viewing area, play structures, and picnic areas. The City seeks funding for the development of 5.5 acres of Phase 2, which includes landscaping, restrooms, paved pathways, 2 tennis courts, community garden, playground, picnic areas, and informal amphitheater.

The City of Liberty Lake is one of the fastest growing cities in Eastern Washington, with a population that has more than doubled to 7,500 since incorporation in 2001. Pavillion Park is the only city-owned park in Liberty Lake and receives thousands of visitors each year. The purpose of the Rocky Hill Park project is to create additional park space to relieve the congestion and overuse at Pavillion Park.

Rocky Hill Park will provide a diverse array of active and passive recreational activities for all ages and abilities. The community park site is surrounded by residential neighborhoods and contains large expanses of open land, offering natural and scenic beauty. Rocky Hill is unique in that it has some of the oldest existing structures in Liberty Lake, including a historic 1940's barn and an early 1900's well house. The park was designed through an extensive community process.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Tacoma MPD	\$500,000	\$1,075,149	\$1,575,149

08-1091D Wright Park Spray and Playground

Wright Park is Tacoma's "Central Park" providing outdoor recreational opportunities for urban residents for 100 years. The park hosts many community events and is the location for the summer playground and free lunch program, serving about 4,000 children each summer. This project, the second phase of the park's renovation, will replace a 50 year old wading pool with a sprayground and install a new playground.

The park district has installed spraygrounds near playgrounds in other parks and found the improvements attracted twice as many children. The sprayground will provide a safe and unique water play area for the surrounding urban neighborhood, which is expanding with 1,800 new residential units being built nearby.

In 2008, Metro Parks Tacoma completed the Phase 1 renovation by restoring pathways, restrooms, upgrading the infrastructure, and making accessibility and safety improvements. This renovation is consistent with the 2005 Wright Park Master Plan. The master planning process included a steering committee of residents and business owners, public presentations, newspaper articles, review by the Tacoma Landmark Commission and approval by the Park Board.

Funding for Phase 2 of work is being undertaken in cooperation with the Metro Parks Foundation and a grant from Starbucks Corporation.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Camas	\$1,000,000	\$1,067,800	\$2,067,800

08-1205A Fallen Leaf Lake Park

This project will acquire 55 acres of shoreline, forested uplands, and wetlands on a 20-acre lake at the north edge of the Camas city limits. The project will acquire the entire shoreline around Fallen Leaf Lake. The project site also borders 45 acres of forested hillside that are preserved by the Columbia Land Trust. Historically, this site served as a private park and includes a large picnic shelter and tables. Fallen Leaf Lake is part of an interconnected system of three lakes, known as the Lacamas Corridor, that also includes Round and Lacamas Lakes.

Camas and other partners have already helped preserve over 800 acres within the Lacamas Corridor, and Fallen Leaf Lake is the last major acquisition to complete the community's vision for a linked system of waterfront parks and habitat. Over 77,000 people live in the primary service area, which includes the cities of Camas, Washougal, and eastern parts of the city of Vancouver. The project site provides opportunities for hiking, picnicking, wildlife viewing, fishing, swimming, and other light-impact activities, which include the highest rated recreation activities in the city of Camas. While located in a heavily developed urban area, the lake and surrounding forestlands provide a distinct feeling of a remote or sanctuary-like setting.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Mount Vernon Parks & Rec Dept	\$322,000	\$322,000	\$644,000
08-1303D Kiwanis Park Splash Park and Boardwalk			

The scope of this project is the construction of a children's spray park and approximately 1,000 lineal feet of boardwalk through a wetland. These are the last two elements to be built in the extremely popular Kiwanis Park, located in the densest neighborhoods of Mount Vernon. The approximate 1,200 SF proposed spray park will be located in the center of the park and promises to be an extremely popular attraction, complementing the existing uses of open grassy areas, little league field, picnic shelter and restrooms. The Boardwalk Trail will serve as the main pedestrian connection between the park and several multi-family housing complexes as well as an interpretive feature for all park users. Interpretive elements will be located along and throughout the boardwalk addressing the wetland habitat. The boardwalk itself will serve as interpretive element being constructed with an extremely light footprint and of certified sustainable materials. The boardwalk is planned to be 6' wide and be ADA accessible. It has all federal and state permits. The public is extremely supportive of this project as was documented during the 2005 Kiwanis Park masterplan process.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
South Whidbey Parks & Rec Dist	\$56,198	\$104,360	\$160,558
08-1538D Trustland Trails Parking and Connection Project			

South Whidbey Parks & Recreation District obtained a 200-acre parcel of land from the DNR Trust land program in 2007. We intend to meet the needs of the community by providing a safe and accessible entrance, parking area, and ADA Loop trail for Trustland Trails Park. One goal is to provide a parking lot accessible by ADA users and equestrians in addition to all other hikers, bikers, fitness or trail enthusiasts. A second goal is to provide an outdoor learning shelter and park amenities for environmental education. The scope of Phase I of the project includes the clearing and grading of a parking lot, building a learning shelter and storage facility, hitching posts, mounting stations, loading ramps, restrooms, tables, benches, bike rack, and a half mile ADA loop trail. Upon completion of Phase I, we anticipate increased participation in our adaptive recreation programs and in our environmental education classes.

From the time the district learned of receiving the DNR property, a volunteer working group was assembled and tasked with developing a plan for use of the property. Volunteers spent hundreds of hours developing a Trail Development Plan, conducting outreach to bordering communities, developing conceptual trails for future development and hosting events for Earth Day and National Trails Day. The South Whidbey Backcountry Horsemen are active stewards on this land and have pledged a continuing commitment to trail development and maintenance.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Olympia Parks, Arts & Rec	\$750,000	\$1,500,000	\$2,250,000
08-1596A Ward Lake Acquisition			

The identification and purchase of a public swimming beach has been a priority for the City of Olympia since 1985, when the Capitol Lake Park swimming beach was permanently closed. Since that time, there have been repeated public requests for a swimming beach in Olympia, and the acquisition of such a site has been a top priority for both the City Council and the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee. Policy 3.2, with Goal Three of the City of Olympia's Parks, Arts, and Recreation Plan of 2002 states that the City seeks to "acquire additional shore lands for beach access or public recreation upland uses where feasible." Until recently, no viable public swimming beach site had been acquired. On May 24th, 2007, the City of Olympia purchased a parcel on Ward Lake that is located in Olympia's Southeast Urban Growth Area. Given that this property may well have been the last site large enough for a community freshwater swim area available to the City of Olympia, immediate action was necessary to secure the site before a pending offer from a developer was accepted. A waiver of retroactivity was issued as it was an odd-numbered year in the RCFB funding cycle. The lake is an aquifer-fed kettle; it is 66.8 acres in size, and has 7,031 feet of shoreline. The 9-acre property is scheduled for master planning in 2009. Design and development of the public swim beach, upland soccer field and support facilities is targeted for 2009-2019.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Clallam Co Parks Dept	\$205,500	\$205,500	\$411,000
08-1212A Agnew Soccer Fields			

Clallam County seeks funding to purchase a 7.4-acre parcel of land, east of Port Angeles. The land has been leased to a local soccer club for many years and is heavily used by players throughout the community. Improvements to the site, e.g. two soccer fields and a restroom, were constructed by the volunteer soccer club. The soccer club has been notified that the landowner intends to sell the property. Although the club has a first right of refusal, they have no funding to purchase the land. Once on the market, it is highly likely the land will be purchased for housing development and the soccer fields will be lost.

If funded, the County will acquire this property and partner with the soccer club to continue providing high quality fields for community use. The soccer club will continue maintenance of the site, reducing government cost. The soccer fields are the only facility of this type located between Port Angeles and Sequim and provide recreational opportunities for many in the area. County ownership of the site will ensure the fields remain available for soccer use as well as open play fields for casual public recreation like kite flying, etc. The community is very supportive of maintaining these existing fields for continued use.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Tenino	\$57,500	\$57,500	\$115,000
08-1290A Tenino City Park Expansion - WWRP Local Parks			

Tenino City Park is a regional attraction, offering a huge spring-fed Quarry Pool that is a popular regional attraction and also on the national historic register. The park offers day use, overnight camping, ball fields, an historic train depot, and serves as a trailhead for the Yelm-Tenino Trail, which also intersects the Chehalis Western Trail. Community surveys have shown tremendous support for expansion of the park.

This project will acquire 6.27 acres of land upslope of the Quarry Pool and existing athletic fields. The land is forested and vital to the integrity of the existing park property. Acquisition will not only protect existing park resources and the viewshed, but also provide public ownership of property that provides a vital trail link between properties owned by the Heernett Foundation. This project represents the first phase in a partnership between the City and Foundation to provide a trail corridor, wildlife habitat, birdwatching and environmental education. Phase 1 will secure the land most important for inclusion in the City Park.

The current property owner has given Tenino until summer 2009 to obtain the necessary funds to purchase the property before it is logged. Weyerhaeuser has stated that they do not plan to keep the property post harvest.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	\$350,000	\$2,826,193	\$3,176,193
08-1292A Ballard Park Acquisition			

We are seeking funding to acquire almost an acre of property in the densely populated Ballard area in northwest Seattle. This .90-acre site has been sought by the community for a park since the early 1990's. The owner had been unwilling to sell until now. The property was being marketed privately by the owners, a religious non-profit organization, and was nearly sold to a private developer. The City was in a bidding war with two developers who were offering more than the asking price. This prime property could have been sold for a larger sum to private developers, but the owners strongly supported a public park being developed on their already park-like property. The Ballard area is densely populated and developed, with little green space for the community. Per the 1991 Parks Comp Plan, Ballard has less greenspace per capita than other areas of Seattle. The 2001/2006 Parks Gap Report identifies the Ballard area as being deficient for parks within walking distances of ¼ and ½ mile from existing parks 10,000 square feet or larger. This is the last opportunity for the City to purchase property of this size from one owner. Park's acquisition of this property will help meet the needs of a community that is currently underserved by parks. The development plan will be created through a public process. We anticipate that the developed park will include a variety of opportunities for passive and active recreation, such as a children's play area, picnic shelters, free-form meadows and a community garden/P-Patch.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Tacoma MPD	\$350,000	\$456,476	\$806,476
08-1094D Children's Nature Exploration Area			

The project is for the creation of a unique nature-themed playground at the Tacoma Nature Center. The Tacoma Nature Center serves a regional audience with over 65,000 visitors each year primarily from Pierce, South King, and North Thurston counties.

This project was the highest priority of the 2008 master plan update for the 70-acre Tacoma Nature Center property. A steering committee of local residents, city staff and local environmental organizations have met for the past year to plan for the expansion of recreation, nature programming, wetland development work, expanded nature trails and lake management. This process included public and neighborhood council meetings, a citizen steering committee, recreation staff and Park Board review.

The playground, being called the Children's Nature Exploration Area, will serve children ages 2 - 12. It will provide a wide variety of play elements, all designed to mimic the natural environment. Elements will include a water feature/stream, Tree House, Boulder Scramble, Drumlin Slide, Snag Climb, Bridges and Log Crossing. The playground will not only serve the children from the surrounding neighborhood where we have a deficiency of playgrounds but will also give Nature Center visitors an opportunity to burn off some extra energy playing, before settling down to participate in the Centers many environmental education programs. The playground will also be a unique play resource that should become a popular destination for Tacoma area families.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Skagit County Parks & Rec	\$115,000	\$128,500	\$243,500
08-1299D Memorial Field Renovation-2008			

The scope of this project is to renovate an existing softball field at Skagit Playfields that has insufficient drainage and poor turf quality. This field has deteriorated to such a condition that it is playable several weeks less a year when compared to other fields in the immediate area.

The renovation work will include a new drainage system, fencing, backstops, custom dugouts, and aggressive turf rehabilitation. We expect these changes to result in less missed games during the play season and improve the quality of the play environment. In addition we expect this renovated field to save the Parks and Recreation Department maintenance funds as the field often must be mowed in a time-consuming manner with hand mowers to prevent damage from tractor use. Finally, the improvement of this field will contribute economically to the community in tourism dollars generated on tournament weekends. Each year, Skagit Valley Playfields host a number of invitational and championship play softball tournaments that annually draw over 200 teams to Skagit County.

Skagit Playfields Complex is part of an inter-local agreement signed in 1978 between Skagit County and Skagit Valley College. Skagit County Parks and Recreation uses this field for many of its youth camps, tournaments, and league games. Skagit Valley College schedules some practices there and has issued statements of support. The Skagit Valley Softball Association, a non-profit organization, has contributed financially to the project.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Issaquah	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000	\$2,000,000
08-1390A Tolle Anderson Park Acquisition			

The grant will purchase 3.5 acres of a 3.9 acre property located at the confluence of the main stem and east fork of Issaquah Creek in old town Issaquah. The excluded .4 acre portion of the property contains structures that will be used for interpretive uses on the property. Although these uses will complement the recreational uses of the entire site, the .4 acres will not be included in this grant due to their ineligibility in this grant category. The project site is surrounded by other city-owned park properties including: Issaquah Creek Park; Cybil-Madeline Park and the City Parks Maintenance Facility (also known as the Creek Confluence Park area). With inclusion of this property, approximately 15 acres of land will be set aside as a downtown community park. The property owner has requested that this portion of the creek confluence park area be named Tolle Anderson Park, after his grandfather. The City of Issaquah passed an Open Space and Parks Bond in November 2006 and the bond set aside funds for acquisition of the property. In addition, the City has been successful in obtaining grants through the King County Conservation Futures Tax Levy Program. The City anticipates designing a community park that highlights the natural resources of Issaquah Creek plus providing passive recreational opportunities for the public. This park will be a community gathering place for the residents and will be the "crown jewel" of old town Issaquah.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Lynnwood	\$350,000	\$350,000	\$700,000
08-1133D Stadler Ridge Park			

The scope of this project is to develop a 2-acre neighborhood park in an underserved neighborhood in NE Lynnwood. There are no parks within walking distance of this neighborhood, and major streets serve as access barriers to other city parks. In the past 7 years, approximately 175 new homes with small yards have developed in this neighborhood with no provision for recreational facilities.

Master planning began in 2003 and included 3 public meetings that gave the neighborhood an opportunity to participate in the design of their park. The Master Plan was adopted by City Council and the Parks Board in 2004. Acting as stewards of the future park, the neighbors formed work groups to remove invasive plants, and local Boy Scouts built a nature trail that provides access to an adjacent neighborhood.

The project's scope of work includes Fencing, Landscaping, Outdoor Courts, Plaza, Park Furniture, Parking, Playground, Restrooms, Signage, Site Preparation, Trails and Utilities. The Master Plan builds on the site's logging history, forested areas, rolling topography, and includes natural elements - a dry stream bed with a switchback trail and log weirs, tree stumps and original logging artifacts. The Plan features include an informal play lawn, picnic areas, a loop trail, nature trails and play equipment located on hillside terraces that are connected with at-grade slides.

This project will provide an innovative park of adventure and discovery, and needed recreational opportunity for the rapidly growing Stadler Ridge neighborhood.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Vashon Park District	\$500,000	\$628,876	\$1,128,876
08-1340D Vashon Athletic Fields Improvements Phase 2 and 3			

Vashon Park District is partnering with local youth sport providers to implement Phase 2 and 3 improvements at the north Vashon Elementary site. These two phases will develop approximately 200,000 SF of field area providing one adult and youth baseball/softball field and multipurpose athletic fields for use by youth baseball, soccer, lacrosse and football leagues. These phases will expand the use of this site significantly by extending the use into the spring and fall, as well as into the dark hours, as a result of the improved drainage, irrigation, turf improvements and field lighting. Work will include rough grading, installation of drainage and irrigation systems, new top soil and hydro seeding. Also included will be field lighting, a restroom, concession area, storage, backstops and fencing, dug outs and spectator benches. In recent years, youth sport activities on Vashon have become limited by the lack of fields. Serious impediments to growth have affected all sport groups as they struggle to find field space during the wet and dark months. These improved fields will allow for many more teams to practice at once and into the dark hours and provide field space of a quality to provide for games and tournaments. Phase 1 of this project is already funded and will be completed in 2009.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Mukilteo	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
08-1209D Lighthouse Park Phase 2			

The scope of this project is for Phase 2 funding of Mukilteo Lighthouse Park, which is part of a four-phased plan to redevelop this existing 15-acre public park. The second phase of development will be located on the north end of the park site and will expand the recreational and civic function of the park, integrate the historic lighthouse complex with the rest of the park, make the park entrance more visible and inviting, and improve pedestrian access to and within the park. The improvements will include: entry arbors and picket fencing that defines the bounds of lighthouse station; a curbless plaza/cul-de-sac in front of the lighthouse; shade trees and shoreline and drought tolerant plantings; a picnic shelter/bandshell and restrooms; safe, accessible walkways within the lighthouse complex, along the waterfront and Front Street, and a section of an axial path to SR 525; and interpretive signs that speaks to the site's rich natural and human history. The plaza will be closed off to vehicle traffic for festivals and ceremonial events but otherwise provide a needed turnaround for trucks and buses. The picnic shelter will serve daily visitors and function as a bandshell for events. Approximately 1 million residents and visitors use the park each year. Construction of Phase 2 will further enhance their experience. The design work will include a public process with a stakeholders group, recommendations by the Parks and Arts Commission and approval by City Council. Phase 1 will open in July 2008.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Renton	\$500,000	\$1,970,700	\$2,470,700

08-1149D Ron Regis Park Phase II

An existing 45 acre community park along the Cedar River with a lighted all weather soccer/multi-use field, lighted softball field, basketball court, open grassed areas, and lighted parking. Proposed improvements include converting the existing all weather field to synthetic turf, and adding a second field with lighting and synthetic turf adjacent to the existing field.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$1,120,822	\$1,620,822

08-1251D D. Douglas Community Park Renovation

This project will renovate 10 acres of the existing 68-acre David Douglas Park in central Vancouver. Developed in the 1940s, David Douglas Park has seen extensive use by youth and adult sports leagues, trail advocates and general community park users putting significant pressure on the park's infrastructure, restrooms, parking and other amenities. The scope of this project is to expand the range of park amenities, such as picnicking facilities, playgrounds and pathways, and to improve site stewardship and improve access to a broader group of park users. Proposed improvements will include the installation of an expanded pathway system, a new accessible playground and picnic shelter, a basketball court, accessible benches and picnic tables, and the re-alignment of the entry drive and north parking lot, along with the renovation of parking and pathways for ADA compliance.

David Douglas Park is a critical community facility that serves central Vancouver in a service area with 28 neighborhoods and a total population of over 35,000.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Camas	\$500,000	\$1,466,724	\$1,966,724

08-1305D Camas Field of Dreams Sports Complex: Phase 1

This project involves the first phase development of a 10.9-acre sports field complex in the City of Camas to expand field capacity, is in partnership with the Camas School District and local youth sport associations, and will be open and available to the public. This site is currently used as a sport field site serving youth leagues, the school district and the broader community; however, a 3-foot grade change, site layout and field orientation limit the potential of the site to serve as a sports complex, despite its relation to associated support facilities nearby.

The scope of the project is to re-grade the site, re-orient fields and add lighting to improve playability and increase field capacity. Upon completion, the facility will maximize the use of outfield space and accommodate a wide variety of field layouts for up to 2 full size soccer fields, 5 youth soccer fields, 4 little league and softball fields, 2 regulation softball fields or 2 regulation baseball fields. Specific improvements include a regulation baseball field with a soccer overlay, relocated softball field with soccer overlay, two informal fields with backstops and overlaid soccer, landscaping and walking paths. Lighting will also be provided to extend use. The fields will be open to the public during all non-school hours, and the improvements are in excess of school district's outdoor facility requirements. Community sport leagues have pledged \$100,000 in donated labor, plus \$366,000 in cash donations. Camas School District is contributing \$500,000.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
King County DNR & Parks	\$500,000	\$505,000	\$1,005,000
08-1374D Steve Cox Memorial Park, Phase II			

Steve Cox Memorial Park, Phase II will convert an existing, under-utilized grass field into a multi-use, synthetic turf field with lights, lined for baseball and soccer. The field currently has two overlaid, little league baseball fields in poor condition. Phase II will dramatically improve capacity in an underserved low-income area, reduce maintenance costs, and eliminate mowing, irrigation, and fertilizer needs.

Named to honor a Sherriff's Deputy killed in the line of duty in 2006, the park is located in the heart of White Center, a largely working class neighborhood inside the urban growth area of King County. With a population of 20,000 residents and more than 60 languages spoken, it is one of the most ethnically diverse areas in the county. Local public and private schools have athletic fields, but the area's only community fields are those located in this park. Users of the improved facility will include the community/general public and local and regional baseball and soccer leagues, among others.

In early 2008, major community-led Phase I renovations were completed on the park's baseball stadium and 1,200-seat grandstand. The park is the centerpiece of a multi-agency community enhancement effort to revive this struggling neighborhood. Phase II will involve similar community partners, who will contribute in-kind goods and services, volunteer labor, and cash donations. This project is part of King County Parks' Community Partnerships and Grants (CPG) Program.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of University Place	\$417,907	\$417,908	\$835,815
08-1455D Cirque Park Phase 2			

This grant will assist in the further development of the city's 22-acre community-oriented recreation complex. Cirque Park is the only city park recreation complex within University Place, it serves about 31,000 residents. Within the city park system, Cirque Park includes the only public skate board park, softball and soccer field, one of two baseball fields and one of four play structures for the entire community.

The proposed project includes a playground for children 5 - 12 years old, paved walking trail with fitness stations, lights for soccer and baseball field, and a restroom. The project has multiple purposes that include providing outdoor recreation opportunities that benefits citizens of various ages, income and physical abilities; meeting the needs of the community for additional trails and play structures; increasing athletic field usage for the community; improving the largest city park in University Place according to it's master plan; and implementation of community needs and desired according to Parks, Recreation and Open Space plan (PROS). Community input was a critical step in defining the community priorities for the Cirque Park Master Plan and the current (PROS). Based on public input, the community profile, and local state and national trends, the City established a set of goals and polices to guide its planning for parks and recreation facilities and services for the PROS plan implementation.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Aberdeen Parks & Rec Dept	\$120,000	\$122,218	\$242,218
08-1082D Finch Spray Park			

The Scope of this project is to build a Spray Park feature at Finch Playfield.

This 3,000 sq ft concrete pad will have 12 interactive water sprays that will be designed for toddlers to adults. This Spray Park will be designed to comply with ADA standards.

The City recently completed a renovation of this community/neighborhood park with the installation of new play equipment, baseball/softball backstop, picnic shelter, restroom, pathways, landscaping and parking. We did not have enough funds in the original renovation budget to include a spray park. However, we did design a spray park into the master plan of the renovation. So, with the urging of our local Aberdeen Young Mothers Club, the Park Board and the City Council authorized the design and fund raising campaign to build this feature.

We anticipate raising over \$75,000 from the community and local community foundations in addition to the \$30,000 left over from our recently completed playground renovation project. The Aberdeen Young Mothers Club has taken the lead in the fundraising campaign.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Richland Parks & Rec	\$177,893	\$177,893	\$355,786
08-1425D Badger Mountain Park Water Spray Improvements			

This project will construct a 6,000 sf water spray park in Badger Mountain Park to provide the only public access to water for the 15,000+ residence in this service area. A concrete walkway will be constructed to provide ADA accessibility. The water spray park included in the park master plan that was developed in 1995 is the only remaining element of the master plan that has not been completed in the lower 20 acres of the park. All the infrastructure to support this water spray element; such as a restroom and parking lot have already been constructed. The location of the water spray park is directly adjacent to the existing playground structure and paved parking lot. Badger Mountain Park is an 80 acre park that has been Master Planned for the development of a 40 acre Community Park. Currently 20 acres have been developed as a youth sports complex. Existing improvements included 4 little league fields, 1 football field, 6-1/2 acres of soccer fields, playground equipment, restroom facility, concession stand, picnic shelters, paved parking and trailways surrounding the park. This park is located in the most central portion of South Richland, has a population base of over 15,000 people and covers approximately 11 square miles. This area has no access to any public water within the service water. The closest water access is a wading pool in Howard Amon Park and a 25 yard swimming pool in Columbia Playfield, which are both approximately 5 miles away.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$722,142	\$1,222,142
08-1284D Jefferson Park Development			

This project makes improvements to Jefferson Park, and is part of a Long Range Plan to convert a retired reservoir and a lidded reservoir, both on site, into an extension of the existing Jefferson Park. The long-range site plan for the 43-acre portion of Jefferson Park anticipates installation of a large play meadow in the footprint of the retired north reservoir, ballfields on the lid over the reconstructed south reservoir, a system of pathways, basketball and tennis courts, a new children's play area, water features, landscaping, and other site amenities. RCO funding would support the development of the great meadow. Thanks to RCO support in the past, Cal Anderson Park is one of our success stories in creating beautiful park space over a lidded reservoir. In a dense community where green space is limited, such as Beacon Hill, Park's is going to use the space created by the reservoir lid to develop an attractive amenity for the community. RCO funding will be critical in helping the City complete the elements included in the long-range plan for this park.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Redmond	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
08-1310D Perrigo Park Development Phase 2			

This grant will fund the development of Perrigo Park Phase II. The grant will develop 3 additional acres of park property with the addition of 2 new picnic shelters, trail connections, expanded play area, water feature, children's sand lot, new parking, riparian area restoration and protection, an open turf meadow, and interpretive signage. The parking and trails will provide better access to great valley views of Mt Rainier and connect with the interior trail system, including the Bear and Evans Creek Trail. Great care was taken to insure preservation of landmark trees and wetlands. The habitat area will also be used as an interpretative area along the trail. The new parking will blend in with the existing parking tucked against the road to provide a buffer as well as increase the use of space in the park. The new play area will connect with the existing play area and give life to the central park of the park with restrooms, picnic shelter and quiet viewing areas. The large meadow will compliment the park giving it more open space for free play and exploration. Since demand is high, additional picnic areas will provide increased opportunities for family gatherings and social functions. The addition to the park will blend seamlessly with the old park, making the appearance and feel seem like it was there from the beginning.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Port Orchard	\$300,000	\$349,907	\$649,907
08-1801D Paul Powers Park			

This 4-acre mostly undeveloped park is located at the center of a rapidly growing residential neighborhood with dense lots too small for backyard play. No other facilities exist within the +1/2 mile service area. This site has no restroom and the well-used childrens playground consists of aging, obsolete, and unsafe swings, slide, and old-time teeter totters. A recent analysis using the National Program for Playground Safety gave it a grade D indicating that children using this playground are at risk.

This project will remove ADA barriers & substandard play structures, renovate playground with new equipment, create exercise opportunity with 1700-ft (1/3 mile) ADA-compliant low-impact pervious-paved trails, add interpretive signage in woods where old-growth trees and wildlife exist, flat open meadow for pick-up games or playfield for soccer and T-ball teams to use for practice (field won't be regulation size), construct restroom and picnic facilities, install fencing, erect sign and expand entrance, and increase parking including additional ADA spaces.

Several groups including the MOMS, SK Rotary, First Baptist Church, Homebuilders Association, Boys & Girls Club support planned improvements and commit to match or volunteer assistance. City will permanently donate former public works properties to expand entry, playground, and parking. Adjacent to the site the freshly-painted green City Water Tower will bear the name Paul Powers Park as a landmark near the new entrance though it remains physically separate from the park.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Bellevue	\$1,000,000	\$2,630,000	\$3,630,000
08-1748A Meydenbauer Bay Waterfront Acquisition			

The scope of this project is to acquire the last remaining privately owned parcel between the Meydenbauer Beach Park and the City-owned marina. Bellevue is bounded on the west by Lake Washington and on the east by Lake Sammamish. However, because of urban development, topography, and the almost continuous private-ownership of the shoreline, the public has very limited visual and physical access to these lakes. Of the over 11 miles of shoreline along the 2 lakes, less than ten percent is in public ownership. Bellevue has made a substantial commitment over the past decade to increase its public presence along the waterfront, especially on Lake Washington. Ten parcels have been acquired between Meydenbauer Beach Park and the marina since 1993.

Acquiring this parcel adds 0.48 acres to the City's holdings, and completes the Lake Washington acquisition plan envisioned in the mid-1970s and implemented beginning in 1993. This property is critical to the City's long-range vision for the area - a regionally significant waterfront park that extends from Meydenbauer Beach Park to the marina, and a connection from that Park to downtown Bellevue's commercial and residential areas, including the Downtown Park.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Richland Parks & Rec	\$497,600	\$497,600	\$995,200
08-1430D Claybell Park Improvements			

This proposed project will develop an additional 9 acres of the park land adjacent to the existing 11 acre developed park. The City has held several public master planning workshops discussing what improvements are needed and where the expanded development should occur within the 50 acre site. New improvements will consist of 8 acres of new turf to accommodate two large multi-purpose sports fields, which will generally be used for soccer and lacrosse, renovation of an existing practice ballfield to provide a combined softball/baseball field for games and practice, 2,800 LF of 12' wide ACP trailways, new restroom, 436' access road extension, 87 space parking lot, and a kiosk for educational purposes informing users about the natural environmental areas surrounding the park. Claybell Park is an 11 acre Neighborhood Park located in South Richland that with the with the assistance of an RCO grant, an additional 39 acres was purchased, last year, enabling the city to turn this park into a 50 acre Community Park to accommodate the increased demands of the ever growing population that is occurring in this area of Richland. This area has experienced over a 20% increase in population during the last ten years, which has resulted in an increase demand for park facilities in South Richland. By Richland definition a Community Park is 20-50 acres and serves multiple neighborhoods offering a diverse environment suitable for a wide range of active and passive recreational activities with natural and developed areas provided.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Washougal	\$355,460	\$355,460	\$710,920
08-1115A Garrett Property Acquisition			

The Garrett Property Acquisition project will use funds to purchase a 9 acre parcel adjacent to existing City of Washougal natural open space parkland. Acquisition of the Garrett Property serves multiple functions that preserves this land from development into a residential subdivision, satisfies the deficiency of neighborhood parks in this area of Washougal according to the 2006 Washougal Parks Comprehensive Plan, brings Washougal up to the Parks Comprehensive Plan standard for the number of "neighborhood" parks throughout the city , and provides an important link that will connect neighborhoods through the future development of a trail loop - currently in the planning stage.

The Garrett property fills an important role in conservation, sustainability, and parkland enhancement. While preserving habitat and open space, future development may include structures and playgrounds.

Desiring her land to be a city neighborhood park, the owner offers a portion of the land value as donation and is willing to hold the land until the City confirms funding. Should the City be unable to raise the necessary funds, the land will be sold to a residential developer.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Yakima Parks & Recreation	\$500,000	\$1,580,011	\$2,080,011
08-1370D Yakima Youth Soccer Complex			

This grant will fund the development of 11 irrigated soccer fields, parking, playground, and access road for a soccer complex approximately 35 acres in size. The Yakima Youth Soccer Association, in cooperation with the City of Yakima, envisions creating a destination park where families with children of all ages can come picnic, play soccer, enjoy the playground, and visit the adjacent Yakima Greenway. The facility will also host regional tournaments.

The complex will address the need for a single location of high-quality, YYSAs-maintained fields. Current league play for the YYSAs's 2,000 players is spread among three facilities in the Yakima urban area, each of varying quality and each with access and/or parking deficiencies. The most recent significant field construction occurred in 1992. At a ratio of one field per 5,000 service area residents, there currently exists a deficit of at least 8 fields.

The soccer complex will be located on the east side of Yakima, an area currently underserved for active recreational opportunities. Convenient freeway access expands our service area to include communities within 30 minutes of Yakima (e.g., Toppenish, Naches, Selah, Moxee). The complex will help beautify the Interstate 82 corridor, and revenue from out-of-town tournament visitors will enhance our economy.

Future phases, unlikely to be RCFB-funded, will include 3 additional fields, an administration and maintenance building, and additional parking.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Carnation	\$32,800	\$32,900	\$65,700
08-1382D Memorial Park Improvements - Phase 1			

This grant will add a new play structure, a new trail/path system through the park connecting the various activity centers, improve the existing BMX track, build a new parking area, add new signage and picnic benches, and improve the health of the significant trees through selective clearing.

This is phase one of a major overhaul for the aging Memorial Park. Memorial Park is Carnation's largest developed park, but it is underused because it lacks amenities that appeal to the larger community and has poor accessibility. The main goal of this grant is to add a new play structure and develop a trail system through the park. The park only has two pieces of old play equipment that do not meet current safety standards. The trail system will connect all of the features of the park while providing a recreation opportunity for the entire community. Additionally, the site is heavily vegetated which creates an unwelcoming feel and hinders the health of the significant trees on the site. Finally, improving the parking area will provide better accessibility. In a future phase we anticipate further enhancing the park by adding a picnic shelter, street style skate park, more play equipment and a zip line, and improving the tennis courts.

With the planned improvements in phase one, we expect that the community will rally around Memorial Park and again use this great community asset. We want Memorial Park to be a park that is welcoming for all members of the community.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Spokane Valley	\$500,000	\$700,000	\$1,200,000
08-1309D Phase II - Greenacres Park Development			

This neighborhood park project develops 8.3 acres of property in the rapidly developing Greenacres neighborhood funded in part by an RCO grant awarded to the City of Spokane Valley in 2007 for acquisition. Development of this fully ADA accessible park will include: playground structure, picnic shelter and area, restrooms, parking lot, open play field, perimeter pathway and fencing, landscaping, and various site furniture. The need for this park is a high community need.

This will be the first park development project since City incorporation in March 2003. The City is comprised of 38 square miles and 88,000 residents but is served by a comparatively small urban park system of eight City parks totaling 171 acres. The nearest existing park facilities are 3-6 miles away. The Plan has identified an immediate need to develop neighborhood parks approximately 1/2 mile from residents. The property is adjacent to 16 acres owned by Central Valley School District (CVSD). The City and CVSD would jointly plan the park design; commitment letters have been exchanged.

Dozens of local volunteers have held neighborhood meetings attended by City representatives, and are ready to provide the needed community support.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Peninsula Metropolitan Park	\$500,000	\$516,476	\$1,016,476
08-1404D Hales Pass Renovation			

This project provides for a renovation of the 4-acre Hales Pass Park with improvements to the ball field, the addition of play equipment, a basketball half-court, ropes course, related amenities, and improved ADA access. This park serves both as a neighborhood park and a community park.

The improvements will expand playability periods for both t-ball and soccer (practice), while improving safety around and on the field. The new equipment will include both pre-school and grade school play structures and surfacing. This renovation will enable the facility to serve a greater spectrum of users with greater safety, better public and ADA access, and improved parking.

Community planning identified the need for additional baseball/softball fields, and more playgrounds in this service area. There is a significant deficiency in both neighborhood and community parks in this service area. This project went through an extensive master planning process, and is supported by the community. This renovation project assists in meeting these planning needs.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$533,333	\$1,033,333
08-1469A Cordata Park Acquisition			

The scope of this project is to purchase land for a community park in the Guide Meridian neighborhood of Cordata. The City of Bellingham will apply this grant towards the acquisition of a 19.18 acre parcel of property. Cordata is a newly urbanized and high density area with a large concentration of multi-family dwellings that serve a low to moderate income population. This acquisition would help correct the imbalance caused by the latest housing boom and allocate more public space to an underserved population. The Cordata neighborhood is very supportive of this park acquisition and its potential value to their community. This support can be measured by the amount of community involvement in this public project from start to finish. The community has actively provided a wide variety of ideas for this new acquisition. The need for open space park property to serve this relatively new neighborhood created the demand that prompted the City to pursue this property.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Peninsula Metropolitan Park	\$693,800	\$693,800	\$1,387,600
08-1293A Knight Forest			

Knight Forest is an 18-acre acquisition located just north and adjacent to Harbor Family Park on the Gig Harbor Peninsula. The property is located on the primary arterial to Fox Island. By acquiring this property we will assist in meeting the needs for park facilities and open space within the service area.

The combined, Harbor Family Park-Knight Forest site was identified for acquisition in the 2000 Gig Harbor Community Plan. The 2006 PenMet Parks Comprehensive Plan identifies a goal of acquiring property adjacent to existing parks to meet gaps in service. The area is identified in current plans as significantly underserved by park facilities and preserved open space. The surrounding area is the most densely populated area of the Gig Harbor Peninsula outside of the City of Gig Harbor, with public and private elementary schools nearby. PenMet Parks has conducted three public workshops to assess community interest for parks in the area. The PenMet Foundation raised over \$500,000 to help acquire Harbor Family Park and is currently working to raise funds toward the acquisition of Knight Forest.

The current owner-heirs have placed the property on the market. If funding fails to materialize, the property will be sold for residential development.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
08-1714D Columbia Park Off Leash Dog Park			

The project will develop 6.5 acres of a 10+ acre off leash dog park within Columbia Park. There aren't any off leash dog areas in the Tri-Cities. Dog enthusiasts have been working to establish a park and this project has become regionally adopted. The project will establish 4 paddocks for off leash use; two ¾-acre areas for small dogs; one 2-acre area for training/classes; and a 3.28-acre area for all dog use, leaving 3.48-acres for future development. Improvements will include gated entry enclosures at each paddock, waste receptacles, dog waste bag dispensers, benches, drinking fountains, picnic tables, dog play items, water extensions, power service, irrigation, trees, grass, parking, and surfaced paths throughout the paddocks and along one side (outside) for general park pedestrian use and to watch the dogs play. Landscape islands will be constructed along the park road, narrowing the road on this side to one-vehicle lane and a bike lane, providing a safety/visual buffer for the pedestrian path and parking areas along the dog park. Future improvements will complete the last paddock for all dogs and the training area will include an open pole built building for obedience classes and related dog activities. The building will have storage space and restrooms accessible to general park public and dog park users.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Tacoma MPD	\$500,000	\$750,000	\$1,250,000
08-1089D SERA Skate Park, Spray and Playground			

This project will expand the recreational facilities at the South Tacoma Community Center Complex (STCCC) by constructing a playground, sprayground and skate park. The STCCC is made up of three indoor facilities - a Metro Parks Tacoma Community Center, a Boys & Girls Club, Gray Middle School, and a variety of outdoor recreation facilities including a lighted six ball field sports complex. Other outdoor features planned are multi-purpose trails, a ropes course, mountain bike trails, climbing wall, picnic areas and an outdoor amphitheater.

The sprayground, playground and skate park are sited and designed to serve local children from the surrounding neighborhoods and complements activities at the community center and Boys & Girls Club. The location of the STCCC and this project was selected to address a deficiency of community parks to serve this area and because the site is large enough to accommodate a wide variety of indoor and outdoor recreation features. There is also a need to provide free recreational opportunities for local families since the average household income in this project area is a full \$20,000/year below the County average.

The proposed improvements to the STCCC were developed with the assistance of a citizen and agency steering committee, focus groups and public outreach meetings. This project is in partnership with the South Puget Sound Boys & Girls Club and Tacoma Public School District.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Shoreline	\$500,000	\$1,024,999	\$1,524,999

08-1588D Hamlin Park Renovation

This grant will help renovate and repair 13 acres of a 50+ year old, 80-acre Hamlin Park in Shoreline. This project will renovate the existing ballfield area to create two new 200' little league baseball fields and a T-ball field and multi-use area with new field turf, irrigation, drainage, lighting, backstops, dugouts, bleachers and fencing. This project will add a 54-car parking lot; an ADA pedestrian promenade; ¼ mile walking trail; two new play areas; a new picnic shelter; new benches and picnic tables; and renovate the current restroom and remove asphalt under mature trees and restore vegetation. A park that has not received capital improvements in over thirty years, this project will improve the park's main recreational area, 13-acres of old and dilapidated facilities surrounded by the park's 60+ acre woods. Aging conditions include: no ADA accessible walkways; forced development: over-crowded fields; aging play structure; poorly designed parking areas; dilapidated picnic shelter; erosion; damaged asphalt from poor infrastructure; poorly drained, impacted soils, suffering understory vegetation; insufficient lighting, spectator seating and concessions area. The goal of this major renovation is to update the main recreational facilities and provide better pedestrian connection between them. Citizen input is important to the success of this project, and has been solicited through public meetings and interviews with users. This project will be completed in 2009 as one phase with RCO's assistance.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Clark County Parks Dept	\$540,850	\$540,853	\$1,081,703

08-1154A Sunset Park Acquisition

This project will acquire a 3.96-acre neighborhood park site from the Evergreen School District to serve an area with approximately 4,300 residents. Significant residential redevelopment and infill housing has occurred in the area surrounding this site in the past six years. This property is the last large, wooded parcel in the entire service area, and the acquisition only fills half of the current parkland deficit in the service area. The project ranks as a high priority neighborhood park acquisition in the adopted Parks, Recreation & Open Space Plan and Capital Facilities Plan and has been an identified need since 2002. Additionally, the school district recognized the benefit of this property as a neighborhood park and agreed to a bargain sale at a 10% discount off appraised value.

The project site is adjacent to an existing elementary school, which offers only limited access to open play fields and play equipment. This project will complement the school's facilities by focusing on a more passive park experience and retain most of the trees. Future development will include walking paths, an educational shade garden, and a small play area.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Kent Parks, Rec & Comm Serv	\$300,000	\$516,282	\$816,282
08-1880D West Hill Park Development 3			

This grant will develop 3 acres of a previously undeveloped 6 acre parcel of land in Kent. Planned development will include play equipment, park furniture, a restroom, parking, area lighting, landscaping, walking trails, a natural turf multipurpose play field, and fencing. Kent is experiencing a shortage of non-scheduled open play space. The Parks Department has had numerous requests for open play space for non organized individual and team activities, such as tethered plane flying, ultimate frisbee, kite flying, and neighborhood games of soccer and baseball/softball. This project will help address this need.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Pierce County Parks & Rec	\$500,000	\$2,949,365	\$3,449,365
08-1145D Ashford Community Park, Phase 1			

This project is for development of a 30-acre community park in Ashford. Development includes a natural amphitheater with great lawn, children's play area, and a 1.25 mile pervious asphalt trail system with picnic tables and a public restroom. Additionally, future development options for this project site include a trailhead for the proposed Ashford to Elbe off-road trail.

This community park is extremely important to the communities of Upper Nisqually Valley who wish to create a gathering center and recreation area in rural southeast Pierce County. The service area covers 540 square miles and serves 2,058 students, approximately 30% of whom receive free or reduced meal support. This park is located where no other facilities exist and is critical to area youth and disadvantaged families.

The "Friends of the Upper Nisqually" was formed in response to the need for a community park and supports the Upper Nisqually Community Plan which places high priority on the development of this project. Additional supporters include the Nisqually River Council, the ForeverGreen Council, the Mt. Tahoma Trails Association and the Foothills Trail Coalition.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Airway Heights	\$150,000	\$159,795	\$309,795

08-1539D Sunset Crossing Park Development

The City will use this grant to help develop a 2.04 acre neighborhood park located in the Sunset Crossing subdivision in Airway Heights. The goal of this project is to give the children living in this area of the City a park that is in within easy walking distance from their homes that provides the spae to learn and play, to be safe and secure and to create and imagine.

Through the master planning process undertaken throughout 2007, a series of design alternatives were explored, with a final master plan prepared in early 2008. The plan elements include, age-appropriate playgrounds; benches; a paved pathway; additions of low berms for play; large open play areas for soccer, football, frisbee etc.; and the addition of shade, flowering and evergreen trees to break up the park space into more pedestrian-scale environments.

This project will provide children the space and experiences that build high self-esteem and the feeling of living a full life; it will provide the opportunity for people of all ages to stay healthy and happy.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Clark County Parks Dept	\$500,000	\$2,381,597	\$2,881,597

08-1163D Curtin Creek Community Park

In 2005, area voters elected to create a metropolitan parks district to maintain 35 new parks throughout the Vancouver unincorporated urban area - an area of over 115,000 residents with no significant developed parkland. Construction financing for this aggressive program relies heavily on local real estate excise taxes and impact fee collections, along with grants and donations. The scope of this project is to initiate construction on the fourth of four community parks serving the unincorporated area and develop a park with a broad range of park amenities consistent with documented community needs and the will of local voters.

The service area serves approximately 50,000 residents of greater Brush Prairie in the unincorporated urban area of Clark County and has a significant deficit of developed parkland. This project will establish the area's only community park that has the land base and topography to accommodate a full range of park facilities, along with active and passive recreation opportunities. The project will provide two picnic shelters (one large and one small), a large children's play area accessible from a paved pathway and surfaced with accessible wood fiber, a paved perimeter pathway approximately ¾ miles in length, and accessible picnic table and benches installed around the park.

Rank (50 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$1,619,777	\$2,119,777
08-1196D Northgate Urban Center Park Development Ph 1			

This project will convert an existing 3.73 acre park and ride facility north of Seattle's Northgate Mall into a new urban park. The park will provide open space to serve existing and future residential development in one of Seattle's most developed and dense urban areas. It will provide amenities for low, medium and high intensity uses, creating spaces and amenities for contemplation and recreation. A comfort station, areas for active recreation, children's play, and public gatherings will be part of the park design. The new park will be connected to and integrated into the overall fabric of the community.

Rank (50 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Montesano	\$217,500	\$217,500	\$435,000
08-1473D Beacon Park Phase 1			

This project represents initial development of the first community park in Montesano. This first phase will focus on the City's most immediate and critical need, which is for practice and secondary game quality athletic fields. Development includes 1 adult and 2 youth baseball/softball fields, with 1 adult and 2 youth soccer fields overlaid. Gravel parking and some utilities are also included.

Future development phases will include the upgrading of fields to tournament quality game fields, field lighting, concession/restroom/storage facility, pathways, picnic shelter, playground, basketball court, and landscaping. Ultimately the City expects this facility to serve as a regional destination park with amenities for all ages and interests.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Wenatchee	\$410,150	\$410,150	\$820,300
08-1137A WRAC Acquisition			

This application is to acquire the Wenatchee Racquet and Tennis Club outdoor facility in southwest Wenatchee. The site is 4.62 acres and has nine private outdoor tennis courts, gravel parking areas, locker rooms, open space and three-lane outdoor swimming pool. There are concrete walkways that provide access to the major elements of the site, however they will need to be upgraded to meet current accessibility standards.

Through the comprehensive planning process, residents indicated the need for eight additional publicly operated tennis courts. They also identified the need for a neighborhood park in this section of town to address the rapid population growth. This acquisition would address these two needs.

The Club is actively pursuing the sale of the site to provide funding so they can expand their indoor private athletic club. The Club approached private developers about constructing condominiums on the site, however neighbors of the site and Club Board members approached the City to acquire the site to preserve it as a park.

This grant would allow the city the opportunity to acquire the property, protect the open space and expand the recreation opportunities to residents and visitors to the City.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Pierce Co Water Programs Div	\$282,383	\$282,383	\$564,766
08-1706D Naches Trail Preserve			

Pierce County Water Programs will use this grant to develop 1.3 miles of trails within a 50-acre natural area known as the Naches Trail Preserve, located in the Frederickson community area. 3525 feet of accessible trail will wind through 8.1 acres of rare prairie-grassland including about 1 acre of wet prairie; and 3 acres of mature Oregon white oak/snowberry/long-stolon sedge-camas habitat. Included are a 645 linear-foot boardwalk looping through a 7-acre palustrine wetland and a footbridge that spans Clover Creek. Continuing from the footbridge about .63 miles of primitive trail loops through about 17 acres of upland mixed forest. The trail ascends a steep slope through a grove of red cedar to a plateau where it passes through a relic apple orchard and areas of regenerating Oregon white oak. Another 10.6 acres of the Preserve is a trailless reserve. At the primitive trailhead a sign will display a map and images of the inaccessible portions of the trail. The grant will also fund construction of boundary fences and signage explaining the unique native ecosystems and historical significance of the area.

The Preserve lands are owned by Pierce County, with a conservation easement to Cascade Land Conservancy. A Stewardship Plan was published in 2006. Existing site improvements include a new fence on the Military Road frontage and a woodchip trail on the prairie and oak woodland. An accessible parking lot will be constructed in 2008, including entry signage, portable toilet facilities, and parking lot fencing.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Key Peninsula Metro Park Dist	\$486,750	\$486,750	\$973,500
08-1263D Volunteer Park Renovation Phase 1			

This grant will fund the development of a lit, multi-purpose turf field at Volunteer Park on the Key Peninsula. Volunteer Park contains one regulation baseball field and two non-regulation adult softball fields, and is the only sports complex serving the 18,000 residents on the peninsula. The nearest available turf fields are located 12 and 16 miles away. Construction of a new field will occur on approximately 2 acres of this 20 acre park and will maximize the undeveloped portion of the park, adding much needed field capacity and flexibility to an underserved community. The project site has been cleared and leveled by dedicated community volunteers in anticipation of the development of a new field.

Volunteer Park, built in the 1970's by a majority of volunteers, is an integral part of the community on the Key Peninsula. Additionally, the Peninsula has been experiencing rapid growth due to two main factors: relatively inexpensive land and the completion of the second Tacoma Narrows Bridge. With just 3 fields, it is impossible to serve the needs of the community. As the Key Peninsula continues to grow, the additional field space will begin to fill the shortfall of quality fields for youth and adults.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	\$501,358	\$501,358	\$1,002,716
08-1150A Mackie Park			

This project will acquire a 6.44-acre neighborhood park located in a heavily developed residential area in northeast Vancouver and will serve approximately 4,000 people residing in the service area. This is the only large, flat and available site within the service area, and it only partially fills a current deficit for parkland. No other vacant or suitable land is available. Extensive residential development has occurred in the last 10 years - consuming all readily developable land. Also, the area has seen the conversion of surface mining and low-density housing to high-density residential. The project ranks as a high priority neighborhood park acquisition in the adopted Comprehensive Parks Plan and Capital Facilities Plan and has been an area with an identified need since 1995.

The project site consists of a flat open meadow, with no wetlands or other limiting conditions. Future improvements may include informal open play fields, walking trails, children's play equipment, a beginner's skate spot (e.g., small concrete pad with rails and small ramp), picnic tables and sports court.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Snohomish County Parks Dept	\$499,500	\$1,944,838	\$2,444,338
08-1636C Paradise Valley Mt. Bike Skill Center			

The scope of this project is to acquire land and develop a mountain bike skill center. Our goal is to serve the needs of a growing mountain bike community with the most advanced skill center in the State of Washington. Proposed support facilities will benefit all park users.

The 126 acre site for the proposed skills center is located in southwest Snohomish County. The parcel is adjacent to the 667 acre Paradise Valley Conservation Area (PVCA). A Waiver of Retroactivity was granted April, 2008 and Snohomish County closed on the property June, 2008. Approximately 65 acres of the site will be used for development of the mountain bike skill center. The remainder of the site will be set aside for conservation purposes.

The mountain bike skill center will provide users with beginner, intermediate, and advanced mountain bike skill courses. The courses will feature technical elements including a pump track, cross-country race track, table-top jumps, rock drops, log jumps, wood berms, and narrow elevated boardwalks. Skill courses will be complimented by traditional single track cross-country trails.

Parking for the skill center will be located at the existing PVCA gravel parking area. Approximately 15-20 spaces will be added and the lot will be reconfigured to provide stormwater management and allow for future expansions.

Portable restroom shelters will be provided at the parking lot and at the skills course site (located approximately 1.25 miles from the parking lot).

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of DuPont	\$252,568	\$252,568	\$505,136

08-1758D DuPont Skate Park

The City of DuPont will utilize this grant to construct an 11,000 square-foot skate park that will accommodate a variety of skating types and skill levels. The skate park will include simulated street features such as hand rails, ramps, steps, and grinding rails, all of which are surrounding a central flat-topped pyramid skate structure. The skate park is well situated adjacent to other active recreational activities in PowderWorks Park and to an extensive trail system. In addition, it is located directly across the street from Pioneer Middle School and parking.

Discussions to construct a skate park in DuPont date back to December 2000 and it has been identified in the City's Master Plan. In June 2006, a skate park design workshop was convened by the City as part of the outreach for the development of the Park Recreation and Open Space Plan. The local skateboarding community was contacted through flyers and announcements in the local paper and extensive word-of-mouth efforts. Over a dozen local skateboarders participated in the workshop, along with interested parents. The participants were very knowledgeable about other skate parks in the area, the strengths and weaknesses of those designs, and what type of features they would like to see in DuPont. Their comments were incorporated into the final design for this project.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Shoreline	\$500,000	\$1,050,000	\$1,550,000

08-1647D Cromwell Park Renovation

This grant will help renovate six acres of recreation facilities at Cromwell Park, Shoreline's 9-acre neighborhood park. Renovations include: grading and drainage, development of a baseball field and multi-use open lawn area with turf, irrigation, backstops, dugouts, bleachers, and fencing; new play structure and surfacing; full sized basketball court; amphitheater including reinforced lawn and power for portable stage; new unisex modular restroom; 18-space parallel parking; two picnicking areas with picnic tables and benches; seven pedestrian entrances; 2,600 LF of ADA pedestrian pathways and trails; restored and realigned wetland and natural areas. Designed as a school playground, this site has not received renovation for use as a public park- there are no pedestrian walkways, restroom, irrigation, bleachers or dugouts, picnic tables or gathering spaces. Aging conditions include: a drainage ditch separating the park creating poor visibility and access; poorly graded and drained ball fields; invasive species within wetland areas; no major entry areas; and aging play area and basketball court. The goal of the project is to design a new park connecting users to centralizing recreation facilities that will serve as a destination for neighborhood gatherings and community events. Citizen input is important to the success of this project, and has been solicited through public meetings and interviews with users. This project will be completed in 2009 as one phase with RCO's assistance.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
08-1685D Hansen Park - Phase III Amenities			

The project will construct additional improvements in an existing 25-acre community neighborhood park. The park is graded, grassed, irrigated and has a parking lot. A restroom and playground will soon be under construction under a previously funded project in the park. This project will provide 2 picnic shelters, other general picnic tables and accessible pads, a youth softball/baseball field, a soccer field, 3-adult basketball courts, a youth basket ball court, concrete walkways and a 2-mi. asphalt walking path, park benches, garbage receptacles, signs and additional trees adjacent to the new improvements. The existing park provides great open space for general play and enjoyment for this neighborhood of 10,500 plus. The existing park does not provide all the recreational opportunities that the neighborhood desires in their park. The neighborhood has several small tot lots, but has no court space, athletic fields, group picnic opportunities and trails. Without the planned improvements recreational activities within the approximately 2-sq. mile neighborhood are limited. Future improvements include another parking area, restroom, more trails and picnic shelters. The Hansen Park Subdivision Master Plan has the developer constructing a water feature "pond" within the adjacent subdivision and public trails that will connect to the park. The adjacent commercial site is required to provide park views and amenities that relate to park use and enjoyment, such as refreshments and outdoor seating.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of North Bend	\$32,500	\$32,500	\$65,000
08-1658D Torguson Park Playground Equipment			

Torguson Park consists of 17 acres of which 0.1 of an acre is designated for this project. The project consists of design, fabrication (or purchase) and installation of an outdoor play structure. North Bend is a small community with limited outdoor activity. Currently at Torguson Park the City offers a BMX track, skateboard park, 6 ball fields and a soccer field. There are no playground facilities for small children to use who come to the park with their parents during game events. The playground equipment will also enhance the day to day use of the park by the community for day picnics and community interaction.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	\$294,904	\$294,904	\$589,808
08-1159D Lauren Neighborhood Park			

The scope of the project is to develop a 2.15-acre neighborhood park in a low-to-moderate income neighborhood in east Vancouver. Approximately 6,000 residents live in the park's service area, which is also impacted by new high-density infill development. The development of Lauren Park meets only a portion, less than half, of the current parkland acreage deficit, and it will provide the only developed park in the area. Improvements will include an internal looping walking trail, accessible play equipment, accessible benches and picnic tables, a half-court basketball area and trees and shrubs.

The project is identified in the city's capital facilities plan and has received vocal support from neighbors and the neighborhood association through correspondence with the Parks Department and with Vancouver City Council.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Pierce County Parks & Rec	\$246,200	\$246,200	\$492,400
08-1441A Victor Falls Viewpoint			

Pierce County Parks and Recreation is seeking funding to acquire 3.25 acres adjacent to Victor Falls and immediately outside the City of Bonney Lake boundary in East Pierce County. The Victor Falls Viewpoint will serve as a critical local park for viewing the unique falls which drop 100 feet into a fern-filled ravine in the Puyallup Valley. Several dangerous social trails have been created off of Rhodes Lake Road to view the impressive falls. Acquisition of this property will provide a safe, passive recreation and day-use area for a community park with this signature attraction.

The site will also provide critical open space in a rapidly developing urban area. The City of Bonney Lake is actively working on the creation of the Fennel Creek Trail, which will link to the regionally important Foothills Trail from Tacoma to Mt. Rainier. Victor Falls Viewpoint will serve as a terminus for the trail, and a day-use park will be a significant contribution to the success of this project.

Acquisition of the Victor Falls Viewpoint site will be an important addition to the community, preserve environmental values, and provide passive outdoor recreation opportunities to safely appreciate the falls.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Richland Parks & Rec	\$446,445	\$446,445	\$892,890
08-1418D Shelterbelt Linear Park Trail Improvements			

This project will reconstruct 6,000 linear feet of trail from Swift to Van Giesen and construct 7,300 linear feet of a new 10 or 12-foot wide asphalt trail from Van Giesen to Stevens Dr. A 6-foot high fence will also be installed along the new trail section along the adjacent property line. Several trees will be removed and new trees planted to accommodate the reconstruction of the trail from Swift to Van Giesen. Landscaping improvements at the Swift intersection will also be made to force park users to cross the street at the signalized intersection. Instead of mid-block where most users currently cross.

The Shelterbelt Linear Park is a 2-1/2 mile linear park bordering the westerly portion of Richland serving as a park and trail system for nearby neighborhoods. The park's trail has also become a popular bike route leading to the Richland Science and Technology Park in North Richland. The existing 2-1/2 mile trail stops at Van Giesen St. where bicyclist are forced to either continue their journey to work along the shoulder of SR240 which is a 6 lane state highway with speeds exceeding the 55 MPH limit or along city streets where they would have to negotiate 18 different street intersections, most of which are not signalized. The section of the existing asphalt trail from Swift to Van Giesen was constructed in the mid 1990's and over the years the roots from many of the adjacent trees have been pushing up through the asphalt causing hazardous conditions, especially for bikes.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Mason County	\$400,000	\$409,500	\$809,500

08-1066D Mason County Recreation Area Renovation

This project will provide funding to improvement to Mason County Recreation Area Park (MCRA) near the City of Shelton. MCRA is a 30 acre sports complex with seven baseball - softball fields. The complex is used by the City of Shelton, youth leagues, Shelton School District, and various tournaments throughout the summer. The facility is also used by the Mason County Youth Soccer Association in the fall at times.

MCRA was developed in the late 70's and has not had any significant improvements since that time. As a result, much of the park infrastructure is in need of development and renovation. This project will address important needs for the park including replacing gravel areas with asphalt for improved ADA access and improving existing entry paths, renovation of park restrooms, installation of field lighting on fields #2 and #3, upgrade of field irrigation with computerized controls and new sprinkler heads to improve water coverage and also to improve water conservation, and replacement of bleachers with new bleachers that are ADA compliant and meet newer safety standards.

MCRA receives both local play from the various youth leagues in the Shelton area and also draws many Regional and State level tournaments.

MCRA is one of the County's highest used facilities, the other is Sandhill Park in Belfair, the County's other seven field athletic complex.

Rank (65 of 76)

	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Clark County Parks Dept	\$491,587	\$491,587	\$983,174

08-1162D Bosco Place Neighborhood Park

In 2005, area voters elected to create a metropolitan parks district to maintain 35 new parks throughout the Vancouver unincorporated urban area - an area of over 115,000 residents with no significant developed parkland. Construction financing for this aggressive program relies heavily on local real estate excise taxes and impact fee collections, along with grants and donations. The scope of this project is to construct a neighborhood park with a range of park elements identified by residents through past planning efforts and consistent with the will of local voters.

Bosco Place Neighborhood Park is an 11-acre park site with a wooded ravine and open, grassy area. This park will be the only developed park in the defined service area, which is home to 1,800 residents. The proposed project will entail the development of approximately 5 acres of parkland to include paved paths, basketball court, benches, picnic tables and playground equipment. The development of paved paths within Bosco Place Park will improve neighborhood connectivity and walkability. The pathways also will provide opportunities for walking, running, and roller-blading within the immediate neighborhood, while also enhancing access to the Burnt Bridge Creek Greenway from the surrounding neighborhood. Bosco Place Park is located less than 200 yards from the Burnt Bridge Creek Greenway, which boasts an 8-mile, multi-use trail linking key community assets such as schools, parks and a community center.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Cle Elum	\$100,000	\$119,879	\$219,879

08-1652D Ponderosa Park Renovation

The Scope of this project is to construct ADA accessible restrooms and a large playground structure at Ponderosa Park. The ADA compliant restrooms will be permanent facilities and connect to the City sanitary sewer and water system. The playground structure will be built to accommodate a wide age range and be ADA compliant with appropriate surfacing materials. The proposed playground structure will replace the existing play equipment.

The City of Cle Elum updated the parks, recreation and open space element of its comprehensive plan in 2007. As the demographics and population of Upper Kittitas County have changed in the past years, so has the demand and function of our parks system. Cle Elum city parks have been recognized as a functional and measurably used asset by the residents of Cle Elum, Upper Kittitas County and the traveling public.

The 2007 Parks, Recreation, and Open Space Plan identified the need for restroom facilities at Cle Elum City Parks (presently no restroom facilities exist at any of Cle Elum’s city parks). Additionally, the children’s recreation equipment at Ponderosa Park is now quite aged and potentially unsafe.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of College Place	\$392,868	\$392,868	\$785,736

08-1237A Community Park Acquisition

The City of College Place is requesting grant assistance to acquire 14 acres for development of a community park. Property for a new park is needed to accommodate the expanding community. The City has adopted a standard of a minimum of two acres of community park for every 1,000 people. College Place has identified a need for an additional 17.7 acres of community park with four additional soccer fields to accommodate the anticipated population growth. Acquisition of this property will assist the City in partially meeting this goal by providing space for development of two new soccer fields, pedestrian paths and restroom facilities. The two existing community parks are concentrated in the eastern half of the City.

The proposed park will be located in an area, currently lacking a park, within the City's southwest Urban Growth Area. A study to identify potential sites for parks was conducted by the City in 2007 when updating their Comprehensive Plan. The proposed acquisition was identified as a high priority site for an additional park during this public process. The City Council has encouraged and endorsed City Staff to pursue this land acquisition funding. Funding for park development will be sought in a second phase, following land acquisition.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Clark County Parks Dept	\$352,273	\$352,273	\$704,546
08-1161D Lakeshore Neighborhood Park			

In 2005, area voters elected to create a metropolitan parks district to maintain 35 new parks throughout the Vancouver unincorporated urban area - an area of over 115,000 residents with no significant developed parkland. Construction financing for this aggressive program relies heavily on local real estate excise taxes and impact fee collections, along with grants and donations. The scope of this project is to construct a neighborhood park with a range of park elements identified by residents through past planning efforts and consistent with the will of local voters.

The development of Lakeshore Neighborhood Park will provide the only developed park in the area and is listed as a priority project in the capital facilities plan. At 5.17 acres, this project only partly fills a current parkland deficit within the service area based on the county's adopted ½ mile service standard radius, but it will provide a range of recreational opportunities for approximately 4,100 residents. Park development will include paved paths suitable for walking, running, and roller-blading, along with other elements such as basketball court, playground equipment, and informal lawn area suitable for non-programmed field sports and open play.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Poulsbo	\$240,114	\$240,115	\$480,229
08-1600D College Marketplace Ballfields			

The City of Poulsbo owns zero athletic fields. All community athletic programs are held on school district properties, but the demand for fields far outweighs field availability. The city now has an opportunity to begin addressing the field shortage in a newly annexed, rapidly growing part of the city. College Marketplace is a 215 acre project that mixes residential, commercial, business park, and a community college campus. The developer has dedicated a 6.5 acre parcel to the city for park development. After gathering public input, the city will create two multiuse ballfields. These fields will host organized youth and adult soccer and lacrosse programs, which currently serve 1200+ youth and 6-8 adult soccer teams, four lacrosse teams, and a preschool sports program. Citizens in the surrounding subdivisions will also be served by this neighborhood park.

The goal of this project is to develop two athletic fields for use by the residents and constituents of Poulsbo. The primary work that will be accomplished during phase 1 includes field improvements such as drainage, irrigation, grass, and landscaping. Future improvements in phase 2 will include parking, a playground and restrooms.

The North Kitsap Soccer Club, Division IV Soccer Association, North Kitsap Lacrosse, and Olympic College have all played a part in encouraging this project. They have pledged assistance with volunteer labor, equipment, possible shared parking, and general support.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Tacoma MPD	\$323,500	\$323,500	\$647,000
08-1095A Oak Tree Park Expansion			

This project is for the acquisition of a 5.07 acre parcel adjacent to Oak Tree Park, a 25-acre park containing one of the largest remaining garry oak stands within the City of Tacoma. Acquisition of this parcel will protect land adjacent to a significant developing urban trail system from development. It expands Oak Tree Park and will help address a neighborhood park deficiency in this area. The park expansion will allow the extension of the internal trail system. Area residents represented by the South Tacoma Neighborhood Council are very strongly in support of this acquisition.

Oak Tree Park and this parcel are located along the proposed Water Ditch Trail that traverses Tacoma and over 100 years ago extended to Mt. Rainier. This trail has been designated as a high priority for the city's non-motorized trail system and is highly desired by the neighborhood residents and regional non-motorized trail enthusiasts.

Within Tacoma, the Water Ditch Trail will extend from downtown Tacoma and Commencement Bay through the University of Washington Tacoma to Oak Tree Park. The park will serve as a destination site with hike/bike trails, picnicking and play areas. Future plans will link the park by the trail with connections to the Chambers Bay recreation area adjacent to the Puget Sound and to the Foothills Trail system in Pierce County.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Dayton	\$36,728	\$36,728	\$73,456
08-1302D Dayton Skate Park Development			

The City of Dayton will use this grant to install Phase I of a skate park facility within an existing public park. Our community needs include creating an additional positive, motivational recreational activity for everyday use, continuing to foster economic development efforts, eliminating illegal boarding use of public and private property, and providing boarders with a safer boarding environment. The skate park will be constructed on a preexisting concrete slab that has been inspected and meets compliance with the ramp and skating standards.

The project includes consideration of various elements including: 1) 3/16" Steel Riding, Maxgrip Polyester Powder Coat, Fastener Free Riding Surface, 20-Year Warranty Skate Obstacle 2) Installation of two handicap accessible parking spaces and sidewalk enhancements that will meet handicap accessibility requirements 3) Facility signage 4) Concrete and metal seating, 5) Trash receptacles, and; 6) Installation of two gates with locking mechanisms. This skate park will provide our neighborhoods with a safe and controlled day-use recreational activity, reduce illegal use of private and public property ultimately relieving owners of potential accident litigation, and will overall improve the quality of life of our community and its citizens.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
08-1759D Southridge Sports Fields Park			

The project is to complete initial development of an 11.7-acre neighborhood park in SW Kennewick. The park is adjacent to a tournament sports complex that is being developed. The two facilities will share some amenities. As infill within Kennewick nears saturation, the open neighborhood this park is within, is one of the most rapidly growing neighborhoods. There are no park facilities within the neighborhood. Southridge Park will meet the neighborhood's needs. The City purchased the park property in 2003 and has completed site planning, design, clearing & rough grading, along with relocation/lowering of water & irrigation mains that cross the site. An irrigation system (including a holding pond), water feature and pump station to service both sites has been completed. Fencing and grading along SR-395 was completed. Portions of the parking area, which is to be shared, are also completed. The project will provide final grading, internal irrigation, grass, landscaping, park restroom, playground, picnic tables, soccer field, half basket ball court, walking paths, benches, garbage receptacles, signs and additional parking area, along with gravel overflow parking. Future improvements include finishing the graveled parking area and construction of picnic shelters. The parking area will also provide up to 36 power/water/sewer hook-ups for special event or tournament RV parking lot camping.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
Snohomish County Parks Dept	\$1,000,000	\$1,859,470	\$2,859,470
08-1254A Southwest County UGA Community Park			

The scope of this project is to purchase 12.7 acres of land for a Community Park. The identified park site is immediately adjacent to the southwest county UGA and will provide a much needed park to a rapidly growing area. Within the service area for this park, there exists a shortage of park facilities and both the Snohomish County Comprehensive Park & Recreation Plan and City of Bothell Park Plan identify the need for additional park facilities in this vicinity. Interest in this facility is high and a recent public meeting attracted approximately sixty participants. As a Community Park, this facility will be planned to meet the needs identified by the surrounding community. Additional public meetings are planned as well as meetings with a Citizen Advisory Group.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of North Bend	\$72,000	\$72,845	\$144,845

08-1608D Torguson Park Climbing Rock

Torguson Park consists on 17 acres of which .75 acres is designated for this project. The project consists of the design, fabrication (purchase) and installation of an approximately 30' high outdoor climbing wall. North Bend is a small community with limited scheduled outdoor activity. It has come to our attention that there is a large desire for climbing activity. The participants will vary in age, which will increase the participation and enhance the opportunities that can be developed to use the proposed climbing wall throughout the Snoqualmie Valley. In 2006, to address the needs and desires of the community, the design and installation of an outdoor climbing wall was added to our Torguson Park Master Plan and adopted in the 2007 Comp Plan. The benefits of the climbing wall are endless they include fitness, strength-building, confidence-building, balance, coordination, trust, teamwork, cooperation, problem-solving, risk-taking, communication, patience, endurance-building, and leadership. There is currently no climbing wall available in the Valley area.

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	<u>Grant Request</u>	<u>Match</u>	<u>Total</u>
City of Kettle Falls	\$92,500	\$95,000	\$187,500

08-1087A Happy Dell Park Acquisition

The goal of this project is to expand the City of Kettle Falls park system. The City currently leases Happy Dell Park (2.5 acres) from a private non-profit corporation and is the primary park for the community. The park is used as a softball field and provides 2 tennis courts, pavilion, historical display, public restroom building, backstop, electronic scoreboard, and night lighting for the ball field.

This park is important to the community and is currently available for the city to purchase. The non-profit corporation does not want to spend any funds for badly needed repairs or improvements and it is not appropriate for the city to continue to make these types of capital investments in privately owned lands. Any improvements the city makes under this lease continues to raise the fair market value of the property in question.

It is important to the City to purchase this park because the current owner (a non-profit organization) wants to dissolve their organization and liquidate their assets. The City currently owns less than one (1) acre of park land and has relied on the leased land of Happy Dell Park to satisfy our recreation needs.

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