

City of Garden Grove

INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To: Matthew Fertal

From: Kimberly Huy

Dept.: City Manager

Dept.: Community Services

Subject: PROPOSITION 84 STATEWIDE
PARK PROGRAM FUND RESOLUTION

Date: June 28, 2011

OBJECTIVE

That the City Council adopt the attached Resolution approving an application for the Proposition 84 Statewide Park Program Fund, which would assist in funding the park and trail system as part of the Brookhurst Triangle development.

BACKGROUND

In 2006, California voters approved Proposition 84 that established a local assistance program to offer grants on a competitive basis to municipalities for acquisition and/or development of urban parks and recreation facilities. The Statewide Park Program awards \$368 million in grants for the creation of new parks and recreation facilities in critically underserved communities throughout California. In round one, the state budget 09/10 appropriated a total of \$184 million which was awarded to "critically underserved communities throughout California." In round two, the remaining \$184 million will be awarded using the same criteria.

In 2010, the City of Garden Grove applied but did not receive a grant. The City will again submit a proposal. Grant proposals are due to the State Office of Grants and Local Services no later than July 1, 2011. The minimum individual grant award will be \$100,000, and the maximum individual award will be \$5 million.

DISCUSSION

Community Services staff will re-apply for the Proposition 84 Statewide Park Program Fund for the development of a new park and trail system as part of the Brookhurst Triangle property. One factor used to determine eligibility for the grant is a critical lack of park space, which makes the proposed project most competitive since there is no parkland within a half-mile radius of the project site.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There will be no impact to the City's general fund, as the grant does not require matching funds.

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RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that City Council:

- Adopt the attached Resolution approving an application for grant funds from the Statewide Park Program Grant Fund.



KIMBERLY HUY
Director

By: Elaine Ma'ae *em*
Administrative Analyst

Attachment: Resolution

Recommended for Approval



Matthew Ferial
City Manager

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE
APPROVING THE FILING OF AN APPLICATION FOR STATEWIDE PARK PROGRAM
GRANT FUND BROOKHURST TRIANGLE PARK AND TRAIL PROJECT WITH THE
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

WHEREAS, the State Department of Parks and Recreation has been delegated the responsibility by the Legislature of the State of California for the administration of the Statewide Park Program, setting up necessary procedures governing the Application;

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the State Department of Parks and Recreation require the applicant to certify by resolution the approval of application(s) before submission of said application(s) to the State; and

WHEREAS, the Applicant will enter into a contract with the State of California to complete the grant scope project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Garden Grove hereby:

Section 1. Approves the filing of an Application for the Statewide Park Program Grant Fund.

Section 2. Certifies that said applicant has or will have available, prior to commencement of any work on the project included in this application, sufficient funds to complete the project.

Section 3. Certifies that the applicant has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the project(s).

Section 4. Certifies that the applicant has reviewed, understands, and agrees to the General Provisions contained in the contract shown in the Grant Administration Guide.

Section 5. Appoints the City Manager as agent of the Applicant to conduct all negotiations, sign, and submit all documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, and payment requests, which may be necessary for the completion of the grant scope.

Section 6. Agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, and guidelines.