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Budget and Finance Committee
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

SUBJECT: Competitive Trails Grant Program - Bannon Creek Bikeway

SUMMARY

This report requests that City Council authorize submittal of an application under the 1988 Bond Act - Competitive Trails Grant program. Applications must be submitted by December 1, 1988.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

In the June 1988 primary election, voters passed the California Wildlife, Coastal and Parkland Conservation Act of 1988, a \$776 million general obligation bond issue. Funds received under the 1988 Bond Act may be used for acquisition, development, rehabilitation, protection or restoration of parks, wildlife, and natural lands. There are six grant programs under the 1988 Bond Act, including the competitive trails program.

The Competitive Trails Grant Program of the 1988 Bond Act is a \$5 million competitive program for acquisition and development of bicycle, horseback riding, hiking, and handicapped access trails. The grant funds will be appropriated over a two-year period, with \$2.5 million being made available in both FY 1989-90 and FY 1990-91. Over 700 public agencies, including cities, counties, and special districts, as well as nonprofit organizations, are eligible to compete on a state-wide basis.

Competition will be extremely keen due to the widely publicized availability of these funds. State grants staff are estimating that approximately one in five applications for funding will be approved. Staff have determined that construction of Bannon Creek Bikeway meets the program criteria. The proposed grant will provide for the construction of a portion of the bikeway and related amenities, including drinking fountains and benches.

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Bannon Creek Parkway is located along a one-mile creek extending south to north from West El Camino Avenue to San Juan Drive in the South Natomas area of Sacramento. A 3+ acre site on the west side of the Creek at the southern-most point of the parkway has been developed with basic landscaping and picnic areas through a Land and Water Conservation Fund grant and 50% matching Quimby Fund monies.

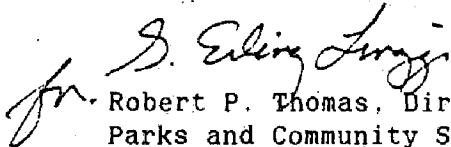
FINANCIAL DATA

The total cost of this Bannon Creek Bikeway project is estimated at \$200,000. The proposed funding source is the 1988 Bond Act Trails Grant.

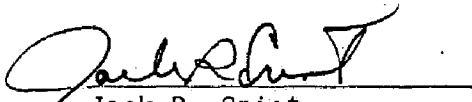
RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Budget and Finance Committee approve this report and refer it to the full City Council for action. Further, it is recommended that the City Council approve, by resolution, the submittal of an application under the 1988 Bond Competitive Trails Grant Program for the Bannon Creek Bikeway.

Respectfully submitted,


Robert P. Thomas, Director
Parks and Community Services

Recommendation Approved:


Jack R. Crist
Deputy City Manager

RPT:ja

October 25, 1988
District No. 1

RESOLUTION No.

Adopted by The Sacramento City Council on date of

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR
GRANT FUNDS FOR THE TRAIL GRANT PROGRAM
UNDER THE CALIFORNIA WILDLIFE, COASTAL
AND PARK LAND CONSERVATION ACT OF 1988
FOR THE BANNON CREEK BIKEWAY

WHEREAS, the people of the State of California have enacted the California Wildlife, Coastal, and Park Land Conservation Act of 1988, which provides funds to the State of California and its political subdivisions for acquiring and/or developing facilities for public recreational and open space purposes; and

WHEREAS, the State Department of Parks and Recreation has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the program within the State, setting up necessary procedures governing application by local agencies under the program; and

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, said application(s) contain assurances that the applicant must comply with; and

WHEREAS, the applicant will enter into an agreement with the State of California for acquisition or development of the project(s);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Sacramento hereby:

1. Approves the filing of an application for the Trails Grant Program under the California Wildlife, Coastal, and Park Land Conservation Act of 1988 state grant assistance for the above project(s); and
2. Certifies that said applicant understands the assurances and certification in the application form; and
3. Certifies that said applicant has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the project(s); and

4. Appoints the City Manager (or his designee) as agent of the City of Sacramento to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including, but not limited to negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, payment requests and so on, which may be necessary for the completion of the aforementioned project(s).

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK