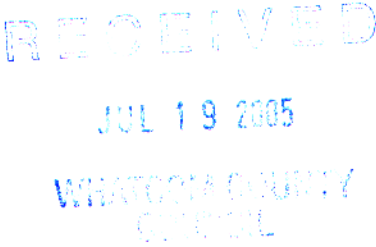


# WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL AGENDA BILL

NO. 2005-306

CLEARANCES	Initial	Date	Date Received in Council Office	Agenda Date	Assigned to:
Originator:				7/26/2005	Fin/Council
Division Head:					
Dept. Head:	<i>PK</i>	7-14-05			
Prosecutor:	<i>RJW</i>	7/15/05			
Purchasing/Budget:	<i>BBW</i>	7/15/05			
Executive:	<i>PK</i>	7-14-05			

**TITLE OF DOCUMENT:** IAC Grant Application-Plantation Range Target Carrier Up-grade & Authorizing Resolution

**ATTACHMENTS:** Grant Application and FARR Authorizing Resolution

SEPA review required?    (    ) Yes    ( X ) NO    Should Clerk schedule a hearing?    (    ) Yes    ( X ) NO  
 SEPA review completed?    (    ) Yes    (    ) NO    Requested Date:

**SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:** (If this item is an ordinance or requires a public hearing, you must provide the language for use in the required public notice. Be specific and cite RCW or WCC as appropriate. Be clear in explaining the intent of the action.)

The Parks & Recreation Department is requesting authorization to submit a grant application to the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation to help fund the replacement of the target carrier system and upgrade lighting at the Plantation Rifle Range. The present system is past its ten-year life cycle and in need of replacement in 2006. Indoor lighting in this area should also be upgraded at the time the carrier system is replaced. A request will be made to provide funds through the Firearms and Archery Range Recreation Program (FARR), which provides a 50/50 match to local funding. The project's total cost is estimated at \$85,000, with \$42,500 being eligible for grant funding through IAC.. The FARR Authorizing Resolution needs to be adopted by County Council and submitted as part of the grant application process.

**COMMITTEE ACTION:**

7/26/2005: Committee recommends approval

**COUNCIL ACTION:**

7/26/2005: Approved 7-0, Res. #2005-032

Related County Contract #:

Related File Numbers:

Ordinance or Resolution Number:

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**PROPOSED BY: WHATCOM COUNTY PARKS**  
**INTRODUCTION DATE: 7/26/2005**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2005-032**

**AUTHORIZING APPLICATION(S) FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE FOR A FIREARMS AND ARCHERY RANGE RECREATION PROGRAM (FARR) PROJECT TO THE INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE FOR OUTDOOR RECREATION (IAC) AS PROVIDED IN CHAPTER 79A.25.210 RCW. FIREARMS AND ARCHERY RANGE**

(Organization Name: Whatcom County Parks & Recreation Department)  
(Project Name: Plantation Range Target Carrier Up-grade)

WHEREAS, under the provisions of FARR, state funding assistance is requested to aid in financing the cost of liability insurance, land acquisition, and/or facility development; and

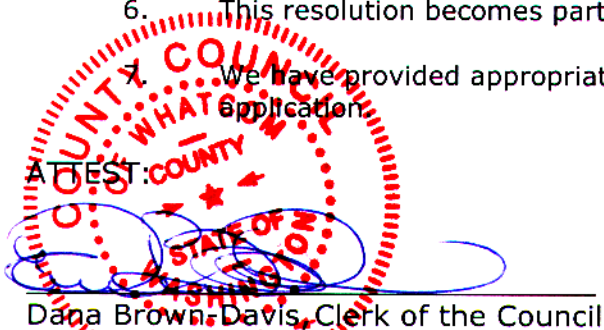
WHEREAS, our organization considers it in the best public interest to complete the insurance, land acquisition, and/or development project described in the application;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that:

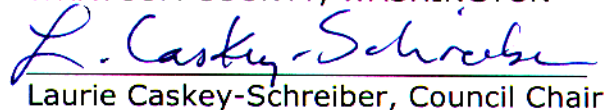
1. The County Executive is hereby authorized to make formal application to IAC for funding assistance;
2. Any funding assistance received will be used for implementation of the project referenced above;
3. Our organization hereby certifies that its share of project funding is committed and will be derived from general funds;
4. We acknowledge that we are responsible for supporting all non-cash commitments to the sponsor share should they not materialize;
5. We acknowledge that any property acquired or facility developed with IAC financial aid must be placed in use as an outdoor recreation facility and be retained in such use for a minimum of ten years from final reimbursement unless otherwise provided and agreed to by our organization and IAC;
6. This resolution becomes part of a formal application to IAC; and

We have provided appropriate opportunity for public comment on this application.

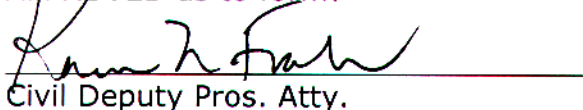
ATTEST:

  
Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

  
Laurie Caskey-Schreiber, Council Chair

APPROVED as to form:

  
Civil Deputy Pros. Atty.