



LYNNWOOD
WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-04

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LYNNWOOD, WASHINGTON, TO
ADOPT THE CITY OF LYNNWOOD 2016-2025 PARKS, ARTS,
RECREATION & CONSERVATION (PARC) PLAN.**

WHEREAS, Washington RCW 36.70 – Growth Management Act requires comprehensive plans and development regulations of counties and cities include an “Open Space and Recreation” element to “retain open space, enhance recreational opportunities, conserve fish and wildlife habitat, increase access to natural resource lands and water, and develop parks and recreation facilities;” and

WHEREAS, on June 22, 2015 the Lynnwood City Council adopted Ordinance 3142 adopting the 2035 Lynnwood Comprehensive Plan which included a Parks, Recreation and Open Space Element consisting of goals and policies originated from the 1996 Parks and Recreation Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Washington Recreation and Conservation Office, which provides for local park development and acquisition matching grants, requires grant applicants to submit adopted plans by March 1 in even numbered years for eligibility; and

WHEREAS, on April 13, 2015 the Lynnwood City Council adopted Resolution 2015-06 confirming the City’s vision statement as guiding principles for future strategic plans and budgets for the City; and

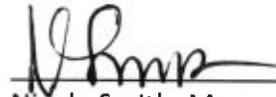
WHEREAS, the City’s Vision “Lynnwood Moving Forward: Our Community Vision” includes seven guiding principles including “to be a welcoming city that builds a healthy and sustainable environment,” and “to invest in preserving and expanding parks, recreation, and community programs;” and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2014 the Lynnwood City Council approved a routine services contract with Beckwith Consulting Group to conduct a Parks and Recreation citizen survey; and

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RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LYNNWOOD, WASHINGTON, this 22nd day of February, 2016.

APPROVED:



Nicola Smith, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



Sonja Springer, Finance Director *per DSA 2/18/2016*

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