



CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK

CITY COUNCIL

AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date	June 25, 2026
Originating Department	Community Development Department
Contact Person	Cory Mattson, Community Programs Planner
Title	Resolution 26-2087/Authorizing the Mayor to Execute the Youth and Amateur Sports Fourth Amended Grant Agreement (Get Active/Stay Active Program) with King County for Implementation of the Horizon View Park Improvements Project

Legislative History

- June 25, 2026 First Presentation
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Attachments:

1. Resolution 26-2087/Authorizing the Mayor to Execute the Youth and Amateur Sports Fourth Amended Grant Agreement (Get Active/Stay Active Program) with King County for Implementation of the Horizon View Park Improvements Project
 2. Attachment 1 – Youth and Amateur Sports Fourth Amended Grant Agreement (Get Active/Stay Active Program)
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Executive Summary

The City of Lake Forest Park was awarded a Youth and Amateur Sports Grant (Get Active/Stay Active Program), through King County Parks of \$25,000. The funds from the Get Active/Stay Active award will go towards Horizon View Park Improvements. The majority of this project will include roughly 400 feet of trail and drainage improvements to a pedestrian entrance of the park located off NE 201st Place. This entrance serves a large neighborhood for walking access and offers additional walking-distance parking opportunities for the park. The current trail is degraded and improvements that provide surface water treatment/mitigation and tree protection will be implemented for safe and accessible access. These funds will also be considered for field irrigation improvements or additional play area/equipment improvements.

A pedestrian entrance to the City's largest active park will be improved, while providing needed surface water treatment and tree protection of the heavily used, degraded trail. Secondly, improvements to the playfield and playground equipment will be considered.

Background

Located at the highest point in Lake Forest Park (198th & 47th Ave. NE) and a former NIKE missile site, Horizon View Park (the “Park”) is 8.44 acres that supports sporting activities such as: basketball, soccer, horseshoes, tennis, and pickleball. The Park also encourages walking/jogging/running on its designated paved pathways and is popular with dog walkers. The children’s playground located near the parking lot hosts a variety of age groups on the playground equipment. This is the City’s most active park. Improving walkability and access at this point of entrance (off NE 201st Pl) is a benefit to the community.

This agreement is updated from a previous 2019 grant award to reflect the new project scope and King County grant terms. The first Amendment extended the contract term from December 31, 2021, to December 31, 2022; the second Amendment extended the term to December 31, 2023; and the third Amendment extended the term to November 30, 2024. This fourth Amendment is intended to conform with current King County Grant Agreement terms and practices and to extend the amended contract term to cover the period from November 30, 2024, to March 31, 2028.

Fiscal & Policy Implications

The City will have until March 2028 to spend the grant funds to improve the pedestrian entrance to the City's largest active park while providing needed surface water treatment and tree protection on the heavily used, degraded trail. Improvements to the playfield and playground equipment will also be considered.

Alternatives

<i>Options</i>	<i>Results</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Execute the grant contract with King County	Funding will repair a trail entrance to Horizon View Park
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Do not execute the grant contract with King County	Trail entrance to Horizon View Park will remain in current state

Staff Recommendation

Authorize the Mayor to execute the Youth and Amateur Sports Fourth Amended Grant Agreement (Get Active/Stay Active Program) contract with King County to support the completion of the Horizon View Park Improvements project. This agreement is updated from a previous 2019 grant award to reflect the new project scope. Staff is requesting a waiver of the three-touch rule for action June 25, 2026.