RESOLUTION R-5396

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN A TEMPORARY ROAD AND CONSTRUCTION ACCESS AGREEMENT WITH KIRKLAND URBAN PHASE III OWNER, LLC FOR THE TEMPORARY USE OF CITY PROPERTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTION ACCESS, CONSTRUCTION STAGING AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AND PARK IMPROVEMENTS TO BE PERMANENTLY LOCATED IN THE EASTERLY EDGE OF PETER KIRK PARK.

WHEREAS, the City owns the real property known as the Peter Kirk Park generally located at 406 Kirkland Avenue, Kirkland (City Property); and

WHEREAS, Kirkland Urban Phase III Owner, LLC (KUP) owns or controls approximately 0.59 acres of real property immediately east of and adjacent to the City Property known as Kirkland Urban South and generally located at 211 Park Place Center, Kirkland (KUS Property); and

WHEREAS, KUP intends to develop the KUS Property as a mixeduse development (the Project) in accordance with the Development Agreement dated August 24, 2015, recorded at King County Recording Number 20150827000785; and

WHEREAS, this portion of the Project calls for approximately 250,000 square feet of office and 60,000 square feet of retail/entertainment per Ordinance 4677 approved by City Council January 15, 2019; and

WHEREAS, KUP's goals for the development is a thriving retail and commercial center, for a return on investment and quality public infrastructure and service; and

WHEREAS, the City's goals for the development include implementing its comprehensive plan, producing positive economic impacts to the City, promoting environmental quality, and mitigation of Project impacts; and

WHEREAS, in connection with KUP's construction of the Project, KUP has requested that the City grant KUP a Temporary Road and Construction Access Agreement ("Temporary Access Agreement") over, under, across, through and upon a portion of the City Property for the purposes of construction access, construction staging, and construction of public utility lines which will be permanently placed in the easterly edge of Peter Kirk Park; and

WHEREAS, in consideration of the City's grant of the Temporary Access Agreement, KUP shall replace all disturbed landscaping and improvements, and construct and install pedestrian pathways, landscaping and a public plaza amenity to Peter Kirk Park; and

WHEREAS, in consideration of the City's grant of the Temporary Access Agreement, KUP shall also pay the License Fee as set forth in the Temporary Access Agreement; and

WHEREAS, in view of the public benefits to be gained by the City through construction and installation of improvements to the Park, the payment of a License Fee and development of this portion of the Project, the City is willing to grant the Temporary Access Agreement upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Temporary Access Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. The City Manager is authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the City of Kirkland the Temporary Road and Construction Access Agreement substantially similar to that attached to this Resolution as Exhibit "A."

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 15th day of October, 2019.

Signed in authentication thereof this 15th day of October, 2019.

Penny Sweet, Mayor

Attest:

Kathi Anderson, City Clerk