

RESOLUTION NO. R- 2931

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND ADOPTING 1983 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT LOCAL FUNDING GUIDELINES AND DECLARING SAID GUIDELINES TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE THREE YEAR HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN (1981-1984) HERETOFORE APPROVED ON SEPTEMBER 15, 1980, BY RESOLUTION NO. R-2756.

WHEREAS, the City of Kirkland jointly participates with King County and the application for funds pursuant to the Federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, and

WHEREAS, the 1983 Block Grant Consortium Policy Plan will include established local jurisdiction funding guidelines for 1983 block grant projects, and

WHEREAS, the City administration has developed and recommended to the City Council community development block grant local funding guidelines to be utilized by the City of Kirkland for inclusion in the Block Grant Consortium Guidelines, and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered said recommendation in an open regular city council meeting, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. The City Council hereby approves after consideration the City of Kirkland 1983 community development block grant local funding guidelines, a copy of which is attached to the original of this Resolution and incorporated herein.

Section 2. Once adopted and included in the King County Block Grant Consortium 1983 Policy Plan, said local funding guidelines shall be utilized in preparing and reviewing block grant program and project requests.

Section 3. A certified or conformed copy of this Resolution with attachments shall by not later than July 16, 1982, be forwarded to the King County Housing and Community Development Division, 1718 Smith Tower Building, 506 Second Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98104.

PASSED in regular open meeting on the 6 day of July, 1982.



SIGNED in authentication thereof on the 6 day of July,
1982.

Doris Cooper
MAYOR PRO-TEM

ATTEST:
Sam J. Adusson
Director of Administration & Finance
(ex officio City Clerk)

CITY OF KIRKLAND

1983 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT LOCAL
FUNDING GUIDELINES

The City of Kirkland is one of the oldest communities in the area. It is located along the northeastern side of Lake Washington and serves over 19,000 in population. Quiet well kept residential areas consisting of both new suburban developments and older, more established neighborhoods surround the business district. Remaining land use is comprised of smaller sub-regional and neighborhood centers, a few light industrial parks, and a number of schools and churches.

The use of Block Grant funds will be concentrated in neighborhoods surrounding the central business district where low and moderate income families live in older housing stock. The central business district which serves these older neighborhoods will also be given priority. Where possible, Block Grant funds will be used for improvements in City parks located primarily in low and moderate income neighborhoods. Services which can be provided within the King County funding guidelines will continue for low and moderate income families.

Funding guidelines for the City of Kirkland will concentrate on projects that solve major health or safety needs for all citizens, but particularly for low and moderate income families. Depending on the outcome of a current Senior Housing project, emphasis will continue to be placed on affordable senior housing for Kirkland's large elderly population. Priority will also be given to projects which improve pedestrian traffic such as sidewalks and pathways often used by children and senior citizens. Another category of importance will be parks and recreational facilities. Other projects not included here may be considered for Block Grant funding as long as there is community support, and/or reduction in slum and blight, or positive impact on low and moderate income families.