RESOLUTION R -3265

A RESOLUTION OF THE KIRKLAND CITY COUNCIL RELATING TO PUBLIC PARKING AND TRAFFIC SAFETY, ACCEPTING AND APPROVING THE PARKING, PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT STUDY FOR DOWNTOWN KIRKLAND PREPARED BY WCA, INC. AND ENTRANCO ENGINEERS, DIRECTING THE CITY ADMINISTRATION TO INITIATE STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN SAID STUDY, AND AUTHORIZING FUNDING THEREFOR.

Whereas, the Kirkland City Council previously authorized a parking, planning and management study for downtown Kirkland including a survey of off-street and on-street parking spaces and utilization of same by the general public as well as employees and employers within the Kirkland central business district; and

Whereas said study has been completed by WCA, Inc. and Entranco Engineers and their report presented to the Kirkland City Council; and

Whereas said report contains certain recommendations designed to enhance the availablity of existing on-street and off-street parking spaces for general public utilization as well as improvements for traffic and pedestrian safety; and

Now therefore, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. The Kirkland City Council approves and accepts the parking, planning and management study for downtown Kirkland prepared by WCA, Inc. and Entranco Engineers and directs the City Administration to initiate steps to implement the recommendations provided that the hiring of additional parking enforcement personnel as recommended shall not be implemented at this time.

Section 2. Funding for implementation of the parking study recommendations from the equipment rental reserve fund in the estimated amount of \$7,000.00 and from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund in the estimated amount of \$19,000.00 is authorized. The monies from the equipment rental reserve fund to be used for the purchase of a parking enforcement vehicle.

Section 3. Implementation steps to be carried out by the City Administration shall include informational publicity with respect to the implementation of the

parking recommendations and a continuing evaluation and review of the effectiveness of the program with a report back to the City Council in December, 1986. The City Administration is further authorized to solicite the support of the businesses, employers and employees within the central business district in the implementation and enforcement of the parking study recommendation program.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in regular, open meeting this 7th day of April, 1986.

Signed in authentication thereof this 7th day of April , 1986.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

Director of Administration & Finance

(ex officia Lity Clerk)