

RESOLUTION R-4518

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND  
ENDORING THE CASCADE AGENDA.

WHEREAS, the Cascade Agenda is a 100-year vision for the region from Puget Sound to the Columbia River; and

WHEREAS, the Cascade Agenda lays out a set of goals for preserving the region's character through conserving land, creating vibrant towns and cities, and ensuring a strong economy; and

WHEREAS, the Cascade Agenda is the result of extensive and thorough community dialogue informed by the best available science; and

WHEREAS, the City of Kirkland has helped to inform the development of the Cascade Agenda through a variety of activities, and

WHEREAS, participants on the Cascade Agenda project Steering Committee include City's leaders and staff, and

WHEREAS, the City Council received a presentation on the Cascade Agenda on March 1, 2005, and

WHEREAS, the City sponsored a community forum on the Cascade Agenda on March 29, 2005, and

WHEREAS, the City has a history of conserving land through parks and open spaces, working to enhance community livability, and working to build a strong economy.

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

Section 1. The City of Kirkland endorses the vision and goals articulated in the Cascade Agenda as being beneficial to the City of Kirkland and to the region as a whole.

Section 2. The City of Kirkland shall appoint a representative to act as the City's primary liaison with respect to Cascade Agenda related activities.

Section 3. The City of Kirkland will seek to align its work on parks, open space, and community development with the strategies and approaches that are part of the Cascade Agenda.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 20th day of September, 2005.

Signed in authentication thereof this 20th day of September, 2005.

Mary Alice Burleigh  
MAYOR

Attest:

Kathleen Anderson  
City Clerk