

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA TOPIC

Resolution authorizing execution of a five-year Interlocal Agreement for Waterfowl Management Program for 2024-2028.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**ACTION**

Resolution authorizing execution of a five-year agreement between the City of Bellevue and the cities and organizations of Kirkland, Mountlake Terrace, Renton, Woodinville, SeaTac, Port of Seattle, Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation, University of Washington, the USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Wildlife Services for waterfowl management in the amount of \$2,500 annually, not to exceed \$12,500 for the five-year term.

RECOMMENDATION

Move to adopt Resolution No. 10337.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS

Since 1987 the City of Bellevue has actively participated in the Seattle Metropolitan Waterfowl Management Committee. This committee comprised of local government agencies and private companies provides direct financial support to the USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Wildlife Services to achieve the regional goals of the committee.

The purpose of this Interlocal Agreement is to provide joint funding for an egg addling program, population monitoring, and census primarily of Canada Geese within King and Snohomish Counties. This program assists in communicating, maintaining, and managing both public and approved private site impacts of excessive waterfowl.

POLICY & FISCAL IMPACTS**Policy Impact**

This agreement provides for continued regional efforts to control waterfowl populations, provide public and agency education, and population data collection.

Fiscal Impact

This agreement will obligate the City of Bellevue to pay the amount of \$2,500 annually not to exceed \$12,500 for the five-year agreement. Sufficient funding exists within the 2023-2024 Parks and Community Services operating budget. Additional funding for the remainder of the agreement will be requested in subsequent operating budgets and will be subject to final budget appropriation.

OPTIONS

1. Adopt the Resolution authorizing execution of a five-year Interlocal Agreement for Waterfowl Management Program for 2024-2028.
2. Do not adopt the Resolution and provide alternative direction to staff.

ATTACHMENTS

Proposed Resolution No. 10337

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Interlocal Agreement for Waterfowl Management Program for 2024-2028