

# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

TO THE CITY COUNCIL	DATE	NO.
FROM THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE	January 20, 1988	
SUBJECT APPROVE RETAINING CONSULTANT FOR MASTER-PLANNING HALE PARK AND DEVELOPING PLANS FOR THE EMERSON PARK EAST AREA PLAYGROUND AND GROUP PICNIC AREAS		

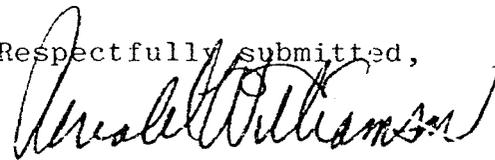
Funding Source - Contingent Fund

Prepared by: Parks and Recreation Director

Recommended Action That the City Council approve \$5,000.00 for consultants' fees for master-planning Hale Park and creating required plans for the Emerson Park east area playground/group picnic areas.

Background Information: As presented to the Parks and Recreation Commission at its November 3, 1987, we request landscape architects (consultant) fee of \$5,000.00 to do a re-master plan of Hale Park, which will show future uses and needs of this facility now that, the main building and restrooms will be removed. Additionally, the City and Lodi Lions Club have taken particular interest in the playground and east park area at Emerson Park and wish to have appropriate conceptual plans done to show relocation of equipment, development of a protective berm, and the creation of a group picnic area on the current shuffle-board court area. The City stands to receive in the form of a donation of labor and monies the sum of \$10,000.00 for this project as per Mike Locke and Arlie Preszler, Lions Club members.

Respectfully submitted,



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Parks and Recreation Director

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