

# NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM

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**RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUNDING**

**APRIL 25 2017**

**PRESENTER:  
OLYMPIA COUNCIL MEMBER JULIE HANKINS**

# 2017 NMG Program – **PURPOSE**

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- ***Helping Neighborhoods to Help Themselves***
  - Grants for **Registered Neighborhood Organizations**
  - **Eligible to apply** for project funding to:
    - ✦ ***Foster civic pride***
    - ✦ ***Enhance & beautify neighborhoods***
    - ✦ ***Expand citizen involvement***
    - ✦ ***Promote the broader interests*** of the Olympia community



# NMG Program – 2017 Program Changes

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## Program Refocused on Smaller-scale Projects:

***NMG Eligible***

*Purchase of goods or services  
Signs, mailings, plants, etc*

***NMG Eligible***

*Materials & contractors  
On private property*

***Requires Staff Support***

*Public Right of Way projects  
**NMG-Funded Staffing***

# 2017 NMG Program – **REVIEW TEAM MEMBERS**

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- **Julie Hankins** Olympia Council Member &  
Former Coalition of Neighborhoods President
- **Sam Baker** Parks Maintenance Supervisor
- **Michelle Swanson** Public Works Senior Transportation  
Program Specialist



# 2017 NMG Program – **REVIEW CRITERIA**

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- ***Direct and lasting environmental benefit*** to neighborhood & City
- ***Fosters community engagement and enrichment opportunities***
- ***Ready to begin*** after funding has been approved
- ***Completed end of year*** by 12/31/17
- Easily ***accomplished with volunteers***
- Does ***not require extensive City staff time***
- ***Projects on Public Property REQUIRE STAFF SUPPORT***



# 2017 NMG Program

## RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE NUMBERS

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- **9** *Total Original Applications*
- **\$17,181** *Total Requests*
- **8** *Total Projects Recommended for Funding*
- **\$13,681** *Total Project Costs Requested*
- **\$ 6,000** *Required staff project support*
- **\$19,681** **Total City Funding**
- **\$3,319** ***Returned to City General Fund***



# 2017 NMG Program – **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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Neighborhood	Project Description	Additional Staff Review	Score (Avg.)	Total Project Cost	RNA Match	Request to City
Bigelow	Bigelow House Historic Orchard*	Parks	13	\$8,008.00	\$4,008.00	<b>\$4,000.00</b>
<i>*Requires Parks staff supervision to ensure compliance with Parks development standards</i>						
Eastside	Combined Community Mailer	N/A	20	\$1,210.26	\$641.28	<b>\$568.98</b>
Eastside	Lions Park Community Kiosk*	Parks	16	\$3,358.58	\$1,790.24	<b>\$1,568.34</b>
<i>*Requires Parks staff supervision to ensure compliance with Parks development standards</i>						
Indian Creek	Communication Improvement Plan	N/A	19	\$2,893.54	\$1,656.64	<b>\$1,236.90</b>
North East	Info, Connection & Engagement Project	N/A	20.67	\$6,123.48	\$4,373.48	<b>\$1,750.00</b>
North West Olympia	Community Awareness/Signage Project	N/A	20.67	\$1,653.44	\$826.72	<b>\$826.72</b>
South Capitol	Outreach and Capacity-Building	N/A	19	\$1,611.60	\$801.60	<b>\$810.00</b>
South West Olympia	"Walking Park" Upgrade & Neighborhood Walking Map**	N/A	18.67	\$6,073.00	\$3,153.00	<b>\$2,920.00</b>
<i>**Requires Public Works staff supervision to ensure compliance with Public Works development standards</i>						
<b>TOTALS:</b>				<b>\$30,931.90</b>	<b>\$17,250.96</b>	<b>\$13,680.94</b>

## **NOT RECOMMENDED FOR FUNDING**

Goldcrest*	W Entrance Storm Flow & Landscape Restoration	N/A	N/A	\$7,133.60	\$3,633.60	<b>\$3,500.00</b>
<i>*Not recommended for funding – Insufficient RNA community engagement included, very limited budget detail</i>						

# Discussion

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