

## CLARK COUNTY STAFF REPORT

**DEPARTMENT:** Public Health

CCPH SR2018-731

**DATE:** 10/18/2018

**REQUESTED ACTION:**

Board of County Councilors' approval to be a coalition partner with the City of Vancouver for a U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Brownfields Assessment Coalition grant. The City of Vancouver will be the lead applicant to EPA on behalf of the coalition partners. Public Health will enter into an interlocal agreement that outlines roles and responsibilities if grant is awarded by EPA. We also request authorization to allow the Public Health Director to sign any resulting agreements.

Consent       Hearing       County Manager

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**BACKGROUND**

Public Health has agreed to be a coalition partner with the City of Vancouver and another eligible organization in order to apply for a 2019 EPA Brownfields Assessment Coalition Grant. These grants allow coalition partners to perform community outreach, site identification/selection and, for eligible sites, Phase I and II environmental site assessments on Brownfields properties. EPA defines a brownfield as “ a property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant.”

If the grant is awarded, the funds will allow for environmental assessments of eligible sites with the intent of guiding them towards remediation of environmental contaminants and better position them for redevelopment that will create community and economic benefits. This grant would allow for this work to occur throughout Clark County and assist communities that have Brownfields sites.

The grant application will be for a total of \$600,000.00, to be shared by the coalition partners.

**COUNCIL POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

None.

**ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

None.

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

If the grant is awarded, Public Health will work with City of Vancouver and other coalition partners to reach out to community members through press releases, community meetings and public information sessions in order to solicit input on community priorities for implementing the grant resources for site assessments on Brownfields properties.

**BUDGET IMPLICATIONS**

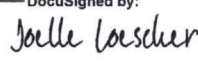
YES	NO	
x		Action falls within existing budget capacity.
		Action falls within existing budget capacity but requires a change of purpose within existing appropriation
		Additional budget capacity is necessary and will be requested at the next supplemental. If YES, please complete the budget impact statement. If YES, this action will be referred to the county council with a recommendation from the county manager.

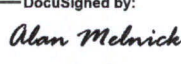
**BUDGET DETAILS**

Local Fund Dollar Amount	
Grant Fund Dollar Amount	
Account	General fund; Road fund
Company Name	

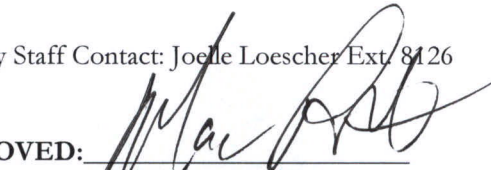
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 CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
 BOARD OF COUNTY COUNCILORS

DATE: 10-30-18

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 Shawn Hennessee, County Manager

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_



## BUDGET IMPACT ATTACHMENT

### Part I: Narrative Explanation

I. A – Explanation of what the request does that has fiscal impact and the assumptions for developing revenue and costing information

### Part II: Estimated Revenues

Fund #/Title	2017-2018 Biennium		2019 Annual Budget		2020 Annual Budget	
	GF	Total	GF	Total	GF	Total
<b>Total</b>						

II. A – Describe the type of revenue (grant, fees, etc.)

### Part III: Estimated Expenditures

III. A – Expenditures summed up

Fund #/Title	FTE's	2017-2018 Biennium		2019 Annual Budget		2020 Annual Budget	
		GF	Total	GF	Total	GF	Total
<b>Total</b>							

III. B – Expenditure by object category

Fund #/Title	2017-2018 Biennium		2019 Annual Budget		2020 Annual Budget	
	GF	Total	GF	Total	GF	Total
Salary/Benefits						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Travel						
Other controllables						
Capital Outlays						
Inter-fund Transfers						
Debt Service						
<b>Total</b>						