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Ms. Laura Moxham Outdoor Grants Manager Recreation and Conservation Office Natural Resources Building 1111 Washington St. SE Olympia, WA 98501

Re:

Fall City Metropolitan Park District

RCO #10-1674

Dear Ms. Moxham:

I am the attorney for the Fall City Metropolitan Park District. I have been informed that the District has applied for a grant administered by the Recreation and Conservation Office. Further, it is my understanding that, as a first time grant applicant, the District must submit a legal opinion concerning their authority to acquire and develop public open space, habitat, farmland, or recreation facilities.

Please accept this letter as my opinion confirming that Fall City Metropolitan Park District is authorized by state law, specifically RCW Chapter 35.61, to acquire and develop public open space, habitat, farmland, or recreation facilities.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Bruce L. Disend

Attorney for Fall City

Metropolitan Park District

Cc: K. Harris, Commissioner