RESOLUTION NO. 2007-240

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

April 26, 2007

APPROVING START STATE GRANT AGREEMENTS

BACKGROUND

A. The Department of Parks and Recreation has operated the START after-school literacy and enrichment program since 1996. A significant portion of the funding for the program comes from the State of California.

B. The State has approved funding for 13 new elementary school sites on a new grant and has approved additional funding for seven elementary school sites on one existing grant and 38 sites on another existing grant.

C. The State has awarded the City a maximum of $3,292,492 in Fiscal Year 2006-2007 and $3,080,348 in Fiscal Year 2007-2008 for the three grants. In order to earn this amount, the program must be operated in accordance with the approved grant application and State law, student attendance must be maintained at minimum levels, and local matching funds must be spent, either by direct cash expenditures or in-kind contributions.

D. The Sacramento START program has the capability to absorb the grant match within its existing operating budget, and no additional General Fund appropriation is required.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to execute an agreement and any extensions, amendments, or other related documents with the State of California as necessary for the City to accept a new grant for 13 new sites for the Sacramento START after-school program in an amount not to exceed $1,462,500 during each of Fiscal Years 2006-2007 and 2007-2008.

Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to execute an agreement and any extensions, amendments, or other related documents with the State of California as necessary for the City to accept additional funds for an existing grant at seven sites for the Sacramento START after-school program in an amount not to exceed $212,144 during Fiscal Year 2006-2007.
Section 3. The City Manager is authorized to execute an agreement and any extensions, amendments, or other related documents with the State of California as necessary for the City to accept additional funds for an existing grant at 38 sites for the Sacramento START after-school program in an amount not to exceed $1,617,848 during each of Fiscal Years 2006-2007 and 2007-2008.

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on April 26, 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Sheedy, Treteway, Waters and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: Councilmembers Cohn and Pannell.

Attest: [Signature]

Shirley Concolino, City Clerk

[Signature]
Mayor Heather Fargo

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