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Parks Foundation awarded grant for “Everybody Plays!” *Funds will Benefit Community Recreation Scholarship Program*

VANCOUVER, Wash. – The Parks Foundation has been awarded a \$15,000 grant from the Community Foundation for Southwest Washington in support of the Vancouver-Clark Parks and Recreation Everybody Plays! recreation scholarship program. The grant, which was received through the Community Foundation’s for Community Giving Grant program, will provide access to recreational opportunities for low income families, seniors, and citizens with disabilities of Clark County.

The grant award coincides with the launch of the foundation’s new website (www.parksfoundation.us), both of which are in line with the organization's new strategic plan and its effort to raise awareness of, and support for parks, trails, and recreation programs across Clark County.

The Parks and Recreation Foundation of Vancouver and Clark County was established in 1999 to accept and administer donations, gifts and bequests for the enrichment and enhancement of our communities’ parks, trails, and recreational programs.

The mission of the Parks Foundation is to raise funds through public and private partnerships for parks, trails, and recreational programs throughout Clark County. The Foundation is a 501 C 3 non-profit corporation and all gifts are tax deductible. The Foundation is governed by a board of directors comprised of local citizens who oversee, invest and administer donations made to the Foundation.

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