## RESOLUTION NO. 84-07

A RESOLUTION OF MASON COUNTY ESTABLISHING A VOLUNTARY, DONATION BASED PROGRAM, TO HELP LOW INCOME FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS WITH THEIR UTILITY BILLS.

WHEREAS, The Mason County Commissioners support sponsoring a program to provide assistance to low income residents in payment of their County utility bill; and

WHEREAS, a voluntary, donation based program would benefit needy residents in making payments to receive utility services necessary for life; and

WHEREAS, the Community Action Council administers similar assistance programs to qualifying low income residential customers for payment of their County utility bills; and

WHEREAS, the Community Action Council is willing to administer the volunteer program and funds provided by the County and its customers for distribution to qualifying low income County utility residential customers; and

WHEREAS, the County is willing to make a one time contribution of \$3,500 to help start the program, and encourage citizens and other community groups to contribute also;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the County Commission of Mason County Washington, as follows:

#### Section 1.

Mason County establishes a volunteer program called, "Project Share"

## Section 2.

The County General Fund will make a one time donation to Project Share in the amount of \$3,500

# Section 3.

Mason County will solicit donations from utility customers and other community groups to support the on-going efforts of the program.

#### Section 4.

The Board of County Commissioners will establish administrative policy and procedures for the receipt of donations, the remittance of contributions to Community Action Council, the payment of qualified recipient's utility bills, and periodic reporting from Community Action Council to Mason County.

The Resolution shall become effective on August 1st, 2007

INTRODUCED AND PASSED by the County Commission of Mason County on July 24th, 2007

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Project Share

ATTEST:

Rebecca S. Rogers, Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MASON COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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