## 2019 - 2020 Seattle City Council Green Sheet

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**Budget Action Title:** Proviso \$85,000 in SDCI for code development staffing on Council identified

priorities

Ongoing: No

Has CIP Amendment: No Has Budget Proviso: Yes

Primary Sponsor: Johnson, Rob

Councilmembers: Herbold; Juarez; O'Brien

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Council Bill or Resolution:

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	No										
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## **Budget Action description:**

This green sheet places the following proviso on \$85,000 in the Seattle Department of Construction and Inspections' Government Policy, Safety, and Support BSL to ensure staff resources on the Code Development team are reserved to carry out Council-identified priorities and provide support for environmental review of Council-initiated land use legislation:

"Of the appropriation in the 2019 budget for the Seattle Department of Construction and Inspections' (SDCI) Government Policy, Safety, and Support BSL, \$85,000 is appropriated solely to provide technical support for Council-generated land use and urban planning initiatives, identified by the Council through ordinance or resolution after adoption of the 2018 Budget, and may be spent for no other purpose until authorized by a future ordinance."

In the 2018 Adopted Budget, the Council converted 1 FTE Senior Planning and Development Specialist position in SDCI's Code Development group, which was set to sunset in December 2017, to a permanent, ongoing position to provide adequate staff resources for SDCI to carry out priority projects the Council has identified. This proviso ensures that there continues to be staffing resources available to work on Council identified projects, such as: West Edge alley standards, standards for solid waste storage, updating tree regulations, standards for tiny homes, SEPA categorical exemptions for infill development, and environmental review on Council-initiated land use legislation.

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