## REGULAR COUNCIL

| TO: | Mayor \& Council | DATE: | July 4, 2003 |
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| FROM: | General Manager, Engineering | FILE: | $\mathbf{0 8 7 0 - 2 0 / 3 2 0}$ |

SUBJECT: Land Acquisition for Addition to Sunnyside Park (Map 114)

## RECOMMENDATION

That Council authorize the acquisition of PID No. 001-928-465 (15531-26 Avenue) for future park as an addition to Sunnyside Park.

## DI SCUSSI ON

## 1. Property Location: 15531-26 Avenue

The subject property is located east of Sunnyside Park on the north side of 26 Avenue. This improved site has a total area of $17,840 \mathrm{sq}$. ft. and contains a $1,611 \mathrm{sq}$. ft. basement home considered to be in satisfactory condition.

## 2. Zoning, Plan Designations and Land Uses

The subject property is zoned RF (Single Family Residential). The Highest and Best Use of the property is the existing use.

## 3. Purpose of the Acquisition

The Parks, Recreation and Culture Department has identified a need for additional playing fields in South Surrey. The acquisition of the subject property will provide park/open space in accordance with the 2003 Park Acquisition Program for additional playing fields at Sunnyside Park.

## 4. Contract of Purchase and Sale

Staff have negotiated a Contract of Purchase and Sale Agreement with the owner subject to Council approval by July 8, 2003. Completion is to take place upon registration on August 7, 2003.

## CONCLUSION

This acquisition is required to provide necessary land for future park as an addition to Sunnyside Park.

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## Appendices

I. Site Plan
II. Aerial Photograph of Site

