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INFORMATION MEMORANDUM NO. 97-10

TO:

Mayor Palin and City Council

FROM:

John W. Cramer Deputy Administrator

DATE

March 5, 1997

CC:

Parks and Recreation Commission

RE:

Parks Powers Delegation to the City

At the February 24, 1997 Council meeting, a request was made from Councilman Carney to inform the council on the latest position of the Parks Powers delegation to the City. I was asked to report back at the next regular council meeting. Which is the purpose of this memorandum.

The mayor and I continue to have discussions with borough manager Don Moore on this issue for the past several months. We met again with Mr. Moore on Monday March 10. The borough is willing to work with the City toward the transfer of the powers, and to save us time and money they have agreed to assist in the drafting of some preliminary documents. We should be receiving them during the next few weeks and we anticipate having a resolution for Council action by the April 28 meeting. The Parks and Recreation Commission will have an opportunity to review and advise us prior to that date.

We have established a good working relationship on this issue with Mr. Moore and look forward to finally resolving this long standing area of interest between the Borough and the City. If you would have any questions, comments or concerns between now and the time the resolution is presented to Council contact me.