

Elections & the Budget



About KCE

190+ jurisdictions

1.4 million registered voters

4 - 6 elections each year

\$31M one-year budget

\$23M in revenue

72 full-time employees



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Target Reduction

- \$500,000
- Eliminated one FTE position, reclassified another FTE position
- Adjustments to areas such as advertising, IT equipment, and others

Projected Cost Savings

- AI for cost reduction in translation
- Partnership with Department of Local Services Permitting Division

Proposals



Prepare for Ranked Choice Voting in City of Seattle



Maintain Ballot Alert program



Online Signature Resolution Tool



Ballot packet wrap & I Voted sticker



The Case for Wraps & I Voted Stickers

By the Numbers

- \$118,196 expenditure
- \$88,647 revenue
- \$29,549 impact to the General Fund

Making the ballot packet easier for voters to navigate

- Replaces previous 11x17 insert
- Content focuses on key information and voter education
- Each voter gets a list of the five closest drop boxes to their residential address
- Removes the ballot stub

VOTE!

Visit [kce.wiki](#) for more information on voting in person or by mail.

King County Elections
2024 November General Election

Election Day is Tuesday, November 5.

Registration Deadlines
Online or by mail: **October 28**
In person: **November 5**

Return your ballot by mail or drop box!

- Mailed ballots must be postmarked by November 5. No stamp needed!
- Official drop boxes are open 24 hours a day beginning on October 17 and close at 8 p.m. sharp on Election Day, November 5.

Drop boxes closest to your location

Drop Box Location	Address
Shoreline Library	345 NE 175th St, Shoreline, 98155
Shoreline Park & Ride	18821 Aurora Ave N, Shoreline, 98133
Lake Forest Park City Hall	17425 Ballinger Way NE, Lake Forest Park, 98155
Lake City Library	12501 28th Ave NE, Seattle, 98125
Broadview Library	12755 Greenwood Ave N, Seattle, 98133

Track your ballot each step of the way. Sign up for ballot alerts!

Opt in at [kce.wiki/BallotAlerts](#) to receive texts or emails as your ballot is processed and counted.

About Washington's November General

If a primary election was held for an office, the two candidates who received the most votes in the Primary advanced to the General Election. Each candidate for an office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

The election for President and Vice President is different. Candidates for President and Vice President are the official nominees of their political party.

Who donates to campaigns?

For a list of the people and organizations that donated to presidential candidates' campaigns, visit [www.fec.gov](#). Toll Free 1 (800) 224-9530

View financial contributors for candidates and measures: [Public Disclosure Commission](#) [www.pdc.wa.gov](#) | Toll Free 1 (877) 661-2828

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