



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

December 15, 2015

Ordinance 18208

Proposed No. 2015-0528.3

Sponsors McDermott

1 AN ORDINANCE allocating funds for water quality
2 improvement activities, programs or projects in accordance
3 with the 2015/2016 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance
4 17941, Section 110, Proviso P2; and authorizing the release
5 and expenditure of \$2,096,043 by the wastewater treatment
6 division.

7 **STATEMENT OF FACTS:**

- 8 1. The regional wastewater services plan Financial Policy FP-8, as
9 provided in K.C.C. 28.86.160, specifies the allowable use of up to one and
10 one-half percent of the annual wastewater treatment division's operating
11 budget for water quality improvement activities, programs and projects, in
12 addition to those that are functions of sewage treatment.
- 13 2. The 2015/2016 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 17941, Section
14 110, Proviso P2, states that \$2,096,043 shall be released upon adoption of
15 an ordinance or ordinances allocating these funds to specific water quality
16 improvement activities, programs or projects located within the King
17 County wastewater treatment service area.
- 18 3. In accordance with Ordinance 17941, Section 110, Proviso P2,
19 Attachment A to this ordinance allocates these funds for water quality

20 improvement activities, programs or projects to specific entities and in
21 specific amounts.

22 4. King County shall disburse funds to the specified entities through
23 agreements to ensure the expenditure of funds as intended for water
24 quality improvement activities, programs or projects.

25 5. Administration and management of those agreements are the
26 responsibility of the wastewater treatment division.

27 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

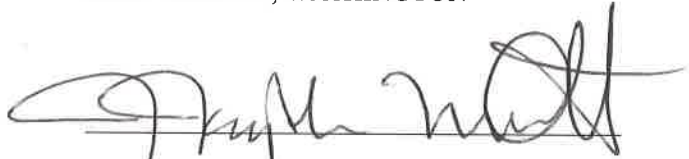
28 SECTION 1. The \$2,096,043 restricted in the 2015/2016 Biennial Budget,
29 Ordinance 17941, Section 110, by Proviso P2, is hereby allocated for water quality

30 improvement activities, programs or projects to specific entities and in specific amounts
31 as set forth in Attachment A to this ordinance.
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Ordinance 18208 was introduced on 12/7/2015 and passed as amended by the Metropolitan King County Council on 12/14/2015, by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski and Mr. Upthegrove
No: 0
Excused: 2 - Mr. Phillips and Ms. Lambert

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Larry Phillips, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 22nd day of December, 2015.



Dow Constantine, County Executive

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Attachments: A. 2015/2016 Allocations for Water Quality Activities, Programs or Projects, dated December 14, 2015

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Project Name	Agency or Agencies Implementing	Description	Amount
216 th Avenue SE Roadway Improvements	City of Maple Valley	Supports design and construction of traditional and low impact development treatment of surface water currently draining to and impacting Cranmar Creek	\$45,000
Adopt a Stream Foundation	Adopt a Stream Foundation	Supports a range of projects (in Seattle and north King County cities) such as removal of fish migration barriers, rain garden installations, invasive species removal and Streamkeeper Academy classes and events	\$15,000
Bear Creek Watershed Riparian Improvement Project	Forterra, City of Redmond, King County Noxious Weed Control Program	Supports surveying and mapping of invasive and native plant populations, develops weed control project parameters, and riparian re-vegetation plan of action.	\$68,000
Cedar River Stewardship in Action - Renton	Forterra, City of Renton, Seattle Public Utilities and King County Noxious Weed Control Program	Supports riparian restoration, removing knotweed and installing native planting on approximately 1 acre or 2,500 linear feet on private or public properties along the Cedar River in Renton	\$20,000
Cedar River Stewardship in Action – Unincorporated King County	Seattle Public Utilities, King County Noxious Weed Control Program and Forterra	Supports riparian restoration, removing knotweed and installing native planting on approximately 3 acres (5-7 private properties) along the Cedar River	\$50,000
Cooling the Green River	King County (KC) - Department of Natural Resources and Parks (DNRP)	Supports acquisition of easements on properties (between river miles 11 – 32 of the Green River) prior to revegetation to shade the river	\$250,000
Fairwood 4 Stormwater Improvement	KC – DNRP - Water and Land Resources (WLRD)	Supports replacement of failing pipe that conveys Molasses Creek under a neighborhood in Fairwood area and removes fish blockage. Collapse of the pipe would deposit eroded material into creek.	\$45,000
Finn Hill Neighborhood Alliance	Finn Hill Neighborhood Alliance	Supports implementation of low-impact development features that utilize rainwater harvesting working with public and private entities	\$15,000

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Green Infrastructure Job Corps	Urban Systems Design	Supports three sessions of the "Green Infrastructure Job Corps" for young adults providing job training which includes maintenance through 2016 of already completed green infrastructure projects across the Duwamish Valley.	\$75,000
Greening Community Spaces	Environmental Coalition of South Seattle (ECOSS)	Supports construction of 1 – 2 green infrastructure/outdoor learning spaces and demonstration projects (diverting stormwater) at public community spaces in King County.	\$50,000
In-stream Methodology for Detecting Sewage Flow into Receiving Waters	Seattle Public Utilities & King County DNRP - WLRD	Supports identification of source(s) of bacteria pollution in 4 -5 waterways / creeks in north, east and south King County	\$320,000
Lake Forest Park Stream Keepers	Lake Forest Park Stream Keepers	Supports a range of water quality testing, related data gathering and education activities including annual insect inventory, biotic integrity sampling of watersheds, testing of McAleer and Lyon creeks and watershed.	\$15,000
Lake Sawyer Regional Park Interpretive Trail Project	Lake Sawyer Park Foundation, Black Diamond	Supports installation of educational signs and creating/producing educational materials related to the interpretative trail and water quality improvements	\$12,500
Multi-cultural Spill Kit Incentive Program	ECOSS	Supports training of approximately 200 businesses for spill prevention and cleanup in six additional cities or unincorporated areas in King County that have expressed interest (but currently do not have resources to support).	\$40,000
North Commercial and SR 169 Stormwater Treatment Facility	City of Black Diamond	Supports final design and construction of wetland and infiltration swale to address stormwater outfall in Green River/Soos Creek basin to provide treatment prior to discharge to Grinder Creek.	\$243,643
Puget Sound Stewards – Duwamish and Beyond	EarthCorps	Supports project manager for 25 recruited stewards/volunteers to manage 200 community volunteers at up to 25 project sites and two large volunteer efforts restoring environment along Lower Duwamish – Green River	\$50,000

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RainWise Access Grant Expanded Pilot	Stewardship Partners	Supports expansion of RainWise programs (rain gardens and cisterns) to reach underserved communities in every RainWise basin (beyond L. Duwamish basin)	\$60,000
Sammamish Valley Farmers' Irrigation Water Support	KC Wastewater Treatment Division (WTD) and WLRD	Supports working with farmers who need additional water (to expand production) to use reclaimed water, including potentially assisting with water hauling equipment or services, on-site irrigation equipment, etc.	\$95,000
Shoreline – Boeing Creek Basin	City of Shoreline	Expands student educational programs addressing water quality testing and improvements in the Boeing Creek Basin	\$15,000
Sno-King Watershed Council	Sno-King Watershed Council	Supports a range of projects including volunteer-based water quality monitoring program, working with partners on restoration of riparian habitat and flood reduction at Swamp Creek, protecting Hooven Bog (at headwaters of Bear Creek)	\$15,000
Soil Testing at Teufel Nursery	King County – DNRP - WLRD	Sampling/testing for dielrin (pesticide) soil contamination (prior to potential sub-leasing of land to low-income farmers in-training) to prevent surface and/or groundwater contamination	\$18,000
Stormwater LID Outreach Project at Federal Way Town Square Park	City of Federal Way	Supports the design, development, integration, review and installation of curriculum and interactive elements (including an educational 'virtual tour' video) demonstrating low impact development elements at a LID in a park.	\$104,500
Thornton Creek Alliance	Thornton Creek Alliance	Supports a range of activities including data collection, advocacy, clean-up work parties and community communications around environmental restoration of the Thornton Creek system.	\$15,000
Totem Lake Residential Stormwater Retrofits – Yard Smart Rain Rewards	City of Kirkland	Supports 100 consultations with homeowners re: stormwater facilities and rebates for up to 50	\$165,000

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		homeowners to reduce cost of stormwater control facilities installation	
Totem Lake Spill Prevention Program	City of Kirkland and ECOSS	Supports engagement of at least 100 new businesses in spill prevention and cleanup training	\$17,000
Zaccuse Creek Fish Passage and Stream Restoration Project	City of Sammamish	Supports replacement of culvert on East Lake Sammamish Parkway to re-establish passage of aquatic species and relocation and restoration of approximately 200 feet of Zaccuse Creek Stream channel	\$157,400
King County - Wastewater Treatment Division	Wastewater Treatment Division - DNRP	Administration of agreements and disbursements of funding for water quality improvement activities, programs and projects	\$120,000
TOTAL			\$2,096,043