

King County

Meeting Minutes

Regional Water Quality Committee

Councilmembers: Reagan Dunn, Chair Sarah Perry, Dave Upthegrove

Sound Cities Association: Penny Sweet, Kirkland; Conrad Lee, Bellevue; Victoria Hunt, Issaquah; Laura Mork, Shoreline Alternates: Tim Harris, Carnation; Jessica Rossman, Medina

Sewer/Water Districts: Chuck Clarke, Woodinville Water District; Lloyd Warren, Sammamish Plateau Water District, Vice Chair Alternate: Ryika Hooshangi, Sammamish Plateau Water

> City of Seattle: Alex Pedersen, Kshama Sawant Alternate: Tammy Morales

Lead Staff: Mike Reed (206-477-0888) Committee Clerk: Sharon Daly (206-477-0870)

3:00 PM

Wednesday, April 6, 2022

Virtual Meeting

1. Call to Order

Chair Dunn called the meeting to order at 3:02 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Present: 12 - Clarke, Dunn, Hunt, Lee, Mork, Pedersen, Perry, Sweet, Upthegrove, Warren, Harris and Rossman
Excused: 2 - Sawant and Morales

3. <u>Approval of Minutes</u>

Commissioner Warren moved approval of the minutes of the March 2, 2022 meeting and committee orientation. Seeing no objections, the minutes were approved.

4. <u>Chair's Report</u>

Chair Dunn provided remarks on the Georgetown Wet Weather Treatment Station project.

5. <u>Metropolitan Water Pollution Abatement Advisory Committee</u> (MWPAAC) Report

John McClellan, Chair, Metropolitan Water Pollution Abatement Advisory Committee (MWPAAC), commented on MWPAAC's March meeting in which they discussed the 2023 sewer rate proposal and the letter that was generated outlining their recommendations. He noted MWPAAC's appreciation to WTD for its increased transparency and timeliness of information. He also provided MWPAAC's desired topics for future briefings.

6. <u>Wastewater Treatment Division (WTD) Report</u>

Kamuron Gurol, Director, Wastewater Treatment Division (WTD), provided comments on the 2023 sewer rate proposal process, the decennial flow monitoring project, and finally he thanked everyone who has played a role in protecting the public health and environment of the county, especially the WTD operations and maintenance staff and the contract agency partners.

Briefing

7. Briefing No. 2022-B0045

Sewer Rate/Capacity Charge-Status Update and Discussion

Mike Reed, Committee staff, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members. Kamuron Gurol, Director, WTD, and Courtney Black, Rates, Capital and Debt Management Supervisor, WTD, briefed the committee via a PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

8. Briefing No. 2022-B0046

Decennial Flow Monitoring/Conveyance System Improvement Program

Steve Tolzman, Conveyance System Improvement Program Manager, WTD, and Bruce Nairn, Modeling Supervisor, Wastewater Treatment Division (WTD), briefed the committee via a PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

Other Business

There was no other business to come before the committee.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:58 p.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____

Clerk's Signature