



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

August 18, 2014

Ordinance 17859

Proposed No. 2014-0230.1

Sponsors Dembowski and Dunn

1 AN ORDINANCE approving the Coal Creek Utility

2 District 2013 Water & Sewer System Plan.

3 STATEMENT OF FACTS:

4 1. King County has adopted K.C.C. chapter 13.24, which requires
5 approval of comprehensive plans for water and sewer utilities that provide
6 service in unincorporated King County as a prerequisite for operating in
7 unincorporated King County, receiving approval for annexation proposals,
8 being granted right of way franchises, and being given approval for right
9 of way construction permits. K.C.C. chapters 13.24 and 28.84 and chapter
10 57.16 RCW prescribe the requirements for approval of such plans,
11 including consistency with state and local planning requirements.

12 2. The Coal Creek Utility District's last comprehensive plan was prepared
13 in 2005. Washington state Department of Ecology, Washington state
14 Department of Health and King County regulations require water and
15 sewer system plans to be updated every six years.

16 3. The district's service area is within King County and the district has
17 adopted a comprehensive plan update ("the plan").

18 4. King County has adopted a Comprehensive Plan that includes water
19 and wastewater policies in its provisions for facilities and services

20 (applicable portions of policies F-202 through F-264) that call for
21 consistency with other adopted plans, pursuit of reclaimed water, water
22 conservation and protection of water resources.

23 5. K.C.C. chapter 13.24 requires the utilities technical review committee
24 to review and make a recommendation to the King County executive and
25 council on the plan, the requirements under K.C.C. chapter 13.24 and
26 consistency with the King County Comprehensive Plan. The utilities
27 technical review committee has reviewed the planning data and district
28 operations and has found:

29 a. The plan uses population and employment forecasts developed by the
30 Puget Sound Regional Council and acknowledges the housing and job
31 growth targets adopted by the Growth Management Planning Council for
32 the district's service area;

33 b. A portion of the district's service area is in unincorporated King
34 County;

35 c. The capital facility plan is adequate to meet anticipated facility and
36 service needs;

37 d. The plan is consistent with applicable Washington state water quality
38 laws; and

39 e. The plan is consistent with other pertinent county adopted plans and
40 policies.

41 6. Washington state Department of Ecology and Washington state
42 Department of Health approval is pending upon King County's approval of
43 the plan.

44 7. Under the state Environmental Policy Act, the district issued a
45 Determination of Nonsignificance for the plan on September 11, 2013.
46 There were no appeals.

47 8. The district's operations and facilities meet multiple existing statutory,
48 administrative and planning standards. As the district's operations,
49 facilities and planning meet the requirements of the King County Code
50 and are consistent with the King County Comprehensive Plan, the utilities
51 technical review committee has recommended approval of the plan.

52 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

53 SECTION 1. The Coal Creek Utility District 2013 Water & Sewer System Plan,

54 Attachment A to this ordinance, is hereby approved as a comprehensive water and sewer
55 system plan.
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Ordinance 17859 was introduced on 6/23/2014 and passed by the Metropolitan King
County Council on 8/18/2014, by the following vote:

Yes: 8 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Ms. Lambert,
Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski and Mr. Upthegrove
No: 0
Excused: 1 - Mr. Phillips

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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for Larry Phillips, Chair

ATTEST:

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Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

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APPROVED this 20th day of August, 2014.

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for Dow Constantine, County Executive

Attachments: None