



## King County

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The Honorable Claudia Balducci  
Chair, King County Council  
Room 1200  
C O U R T H O U S E

Dear Councilmember Balducci:

This letter transmits a proposed ordinance that, if enacted, would approve the City of North Bend's (City) Water System Plan (Plan) for 2020. This letter and attached matrix describe the results of the Utilities Technical Review Committee's (UTRC) review of the Plan and its consistency with King County requirements.

The King County Code and the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) require King County approval of the Plan before it becomes effective. Approval of the Plan will also provide state regulatory agencies with the determination required under RCW 43.20.260 that the Plan is consistent with the King County Comprehensive Plan and implementing development regulations. On October 21, 2020, the UTRC finalized review of the Plan and recommended approval.

The enclosed matrix provides additional information regarding the City's Plan and compliance with King County Code requirements and consistency with the King County Comprehensive Plan.

The Plan supports the economic vitality and healthy environment goals of the King County Strategic Plan by helping to ensure adequate water management for King County residents.

I appreciate the City's cooperation in submitting the Plan and working with the UTRC review process.

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Thank you for your consideration of this proposed ordinance. This important legislation will help King County residents by helping to ensure an adequate supply of clean drinking water in King County.

If your staff have any questions, please contact Jim Chan, Division Director, Permitting Division of the Department of Local Services, at 206-477-0385.

Sincerely,



for

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King County Executive

Enclosure

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