



March 14, 2019

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

Dear Councilmember Dembowski:

I am pleased to transmit to you the King County Elections Annual Report. This report includes information about the previous year's elections and accomplishments, and is responsive to KCC 2.18.100 which requires that the Director of Elections submit a report to council by March 31 of each year.

The Annual Report can be accessed online - <a href="https://kingcounty.gov/depts/elections/about-us/year-in-review/2018.aspx">https://kingcounty.gov/depts/elections/about-us/year-in-review/2018.aspx</a> and an Executive Summary is available in print. I've also enclosed several appendices of data in compliance with code requirements.

I am very proud of the work we did in 2018. As you know, we launched prepaid postage countywide and successfully processed our highest midterm election turnout in half a century. I sincerely thank you for your continued partnership and I hope you find the enclosed report helpful and informative.

Sincerely,

Julie Wise Director

**Enclosures** 

cc: King County Councilmembers

ATTN: Carolyn Busch, Chief of Staff

Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council

Ellen Hansen, Chair, Citizen Elections Oversight Committee