

KING COUNTY 2019-2020 BUDGET

Summary as passed by the King County Council

KING COUNTY BUDGET PRIORITIES



Affordable Housing & Homelessness

Funding for regional services and coordination to combat homelessness including services, housing and shelters in

✓ Federal Way ✓ Bellevue ✓ Snoqualmie Valley ✓ Seattle



Public Safety

Reestablishing the Sheriff's gang task force to prevent and combat gang violence.

Increased recruitment of Sheriff deputies.

Creating a Firearms Crime Strategy Unit to better respond to cases of gun violence.



Local Services

Enhancing customer service to better serve 250,000 residents in unincorporated communities.

Increased funding for rural behavioral health grants.



Expanding Transit Access and Options

Funding to begin implementation of low/no-cost transit fares for low-income riders.

Explore providing passenger-only ferry service from Kenmore to Seattle and for a citywide multi-modal transit solution in Renton.



Environment, Parks & Recreation

Protecting salmon and orcas by studying the impacts of the sewer system on impacts to marine life.

Equity and Health

Funding for the HPV peer champion program to increase vaccination rates among youth and families.

Evaluating improvement in services for residents living in poverty.

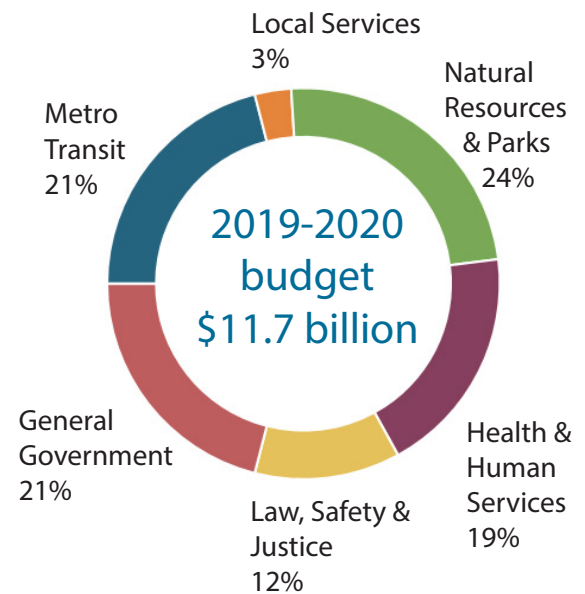
Increased funding for crisis diversion and behavioral health programs.

Funding for a youth gun violence study.



BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Serving King County's 2.2 million residents



King County Revenue Types (2017)

