

WaterWorks Grant Program Update

Presented to Metropolitan Water Pollution Abatement Advisory Committee Rates and Finance Subcommittee September 7, 2017



Purpose of WaterWorks

- Provide funding for projects that improve water quality in the WTD service area
- Leverage or complement the mission of King County's wastewater treatment system
- Promote community involvement and environmental stewardship

Funding

1.5% of Wastewater Treatment Division operating budget

Budget Cycle	Funding Amount
2015-2016	\$4 million
2017-2018	\$4.5 million

Two Tracks





WaterWo	rks
competitive	grants

2015	11
	projects
2016	12
	projects
2017/18	# TBD

Council-allocated funding

2015/16	26 projects
2017/18	32 projects

Main Changes in 2017/2018

- 1 grant cycle for 2 years
- 2-step application process
- Grant management database
- https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=kingwa terworks



Logon Page

Email Address*

elizabeth.loudon@kingcounty.gov

Password*

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Forgot your Password?

Log On

Create New Account

Welcome to the King County- Waterworks online grant portal.

New Users: Please click on "Create New Account" to complete the registration process and create your logon credentials.

Existing Users: Please enter your credentials and log in. If you forgot your password, please use the "Forgot your Password" link to the left to reset your password.

Note: If more than one person will be working on a single request (grant proposal), you'll need to share logon credentials to access it.

Contact WaterWorks staff for assistance, Elizabeth Loudon at 206-477-4297, Julia Yen at 206-477-9192, or water.grants@kingcounty.gov

Project Name*

Please use the same project name as in your proposal, but shorten if needed (100 characters max).

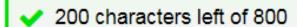
Protect Your Pipes: Flush Only Toilet Paper

Administrator Comments

Project Summary*

Provide brief project summary (you can copy from original proposal).

This project will expand upon a Seattle Public Utilities (SPU) 2015-2016 pilot education and social mark within SPU pump station basins with high impacts from flushed trash. Grant funding for this project will the previous pilot education and social marketing campaign. It will also allow for expanded outreach to

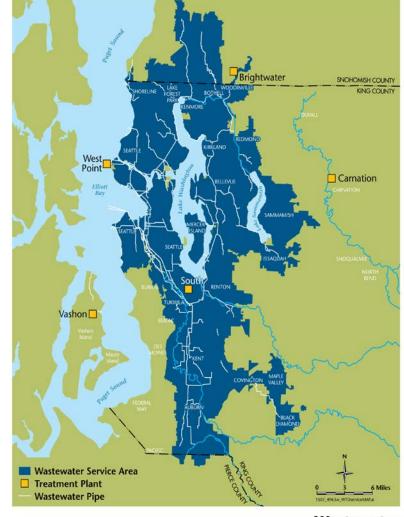


Score: 86% (8/9)

♦ FIRST	♦ LAST	%	Q1*	Q2*
Kathleen	Schuler	96%	4	5
Beth	Peterson	68%	3	2
Bill	Way	96%	5	4
Kintea	Bryant	92%	5	4
Maria	Coe	68%	3	3
Bobbi	Wallace	100%	5	5
Dave	Christensen	92%	4	5
Jaqueline	Garcia			
Pam	Carter	80%	4	4

Projects must...

- 1. Create a benefit to or improvement of water quality within WTD's service area and benefit its ratepayers
- 2. Demonstrate that water quality benefits are related to WTD's regional water quality responsibilities

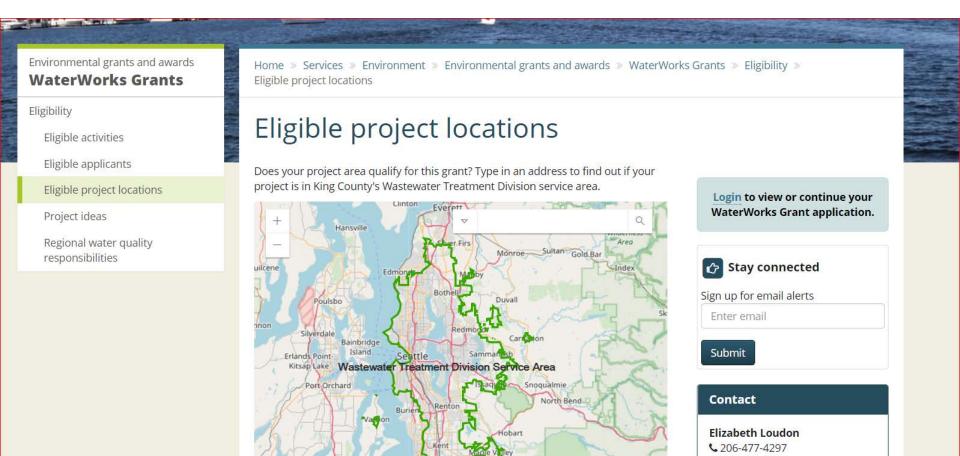


Department of
Natural Resources and Parks
Wastewater Treatment Division

Wastewater Treatment Division Service Area

Mapping tools

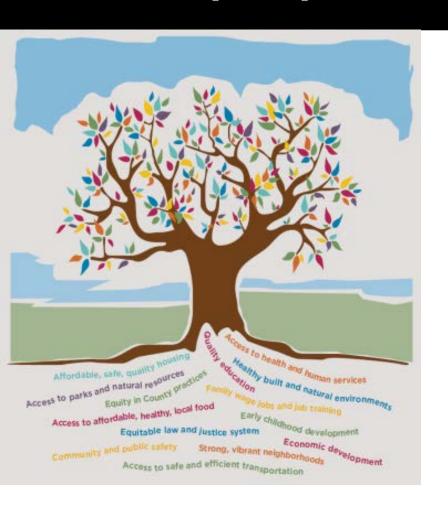
http://www.kingcounty.gov/services/environment/grants-and-awards/waterworks/eligibility/mapping-tools.aspx



Evaluation Criteria

- Water quality benefits (60%)
- 2. Implementation strength and certainty of success (20%)
- 3. Community involvement and support (20%)

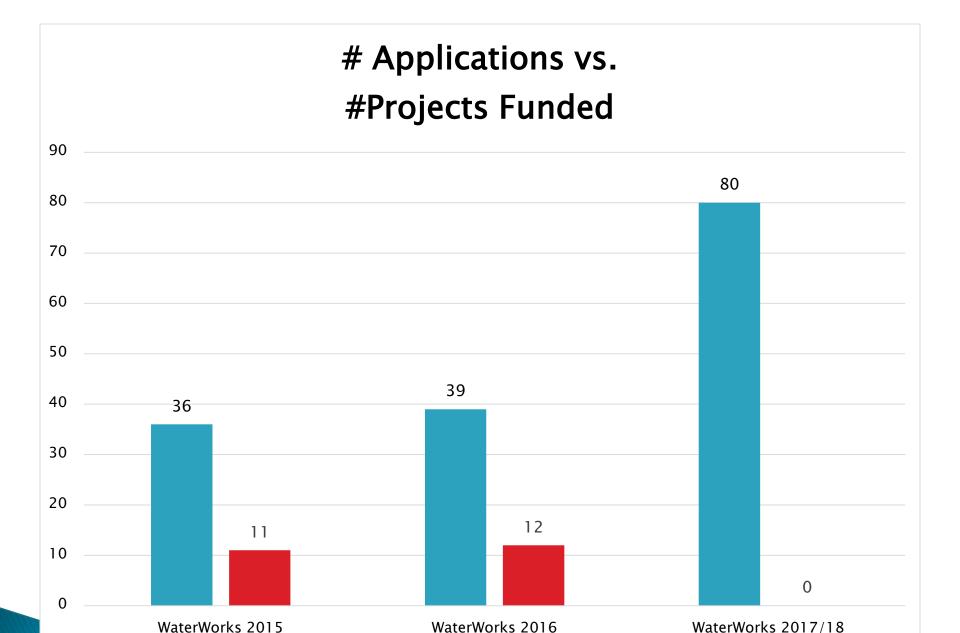
Equity and Social Justice



- How your organization addresses ESJ
 - Measure success?
- Community/target audience
 - History/relationships?
 - Technical assistance?
 - Planning/decision making?

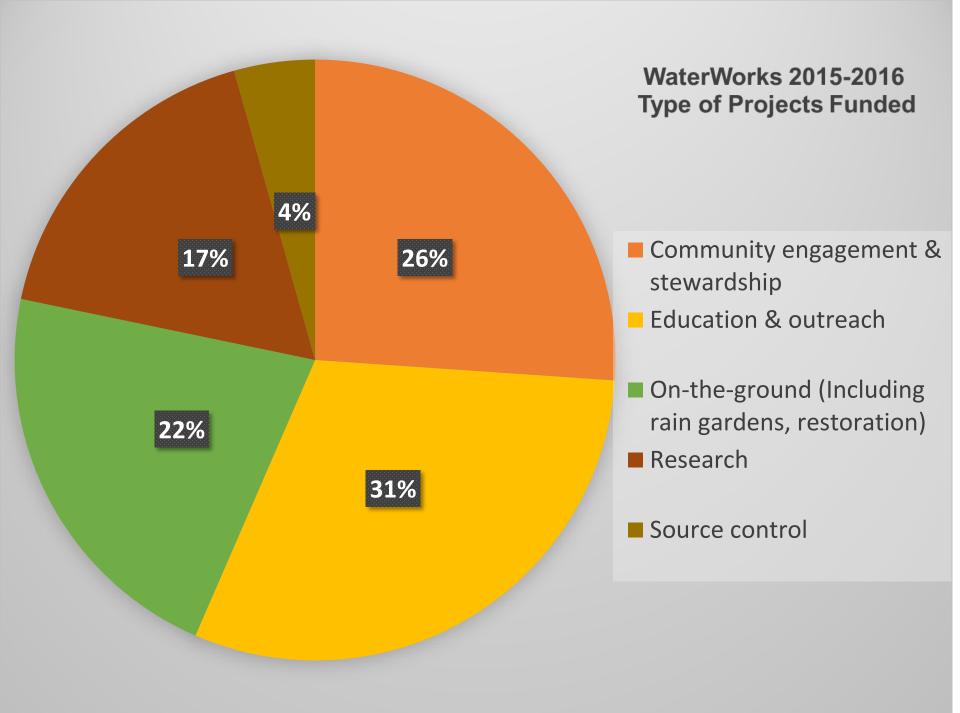
Timeline 2017/2018

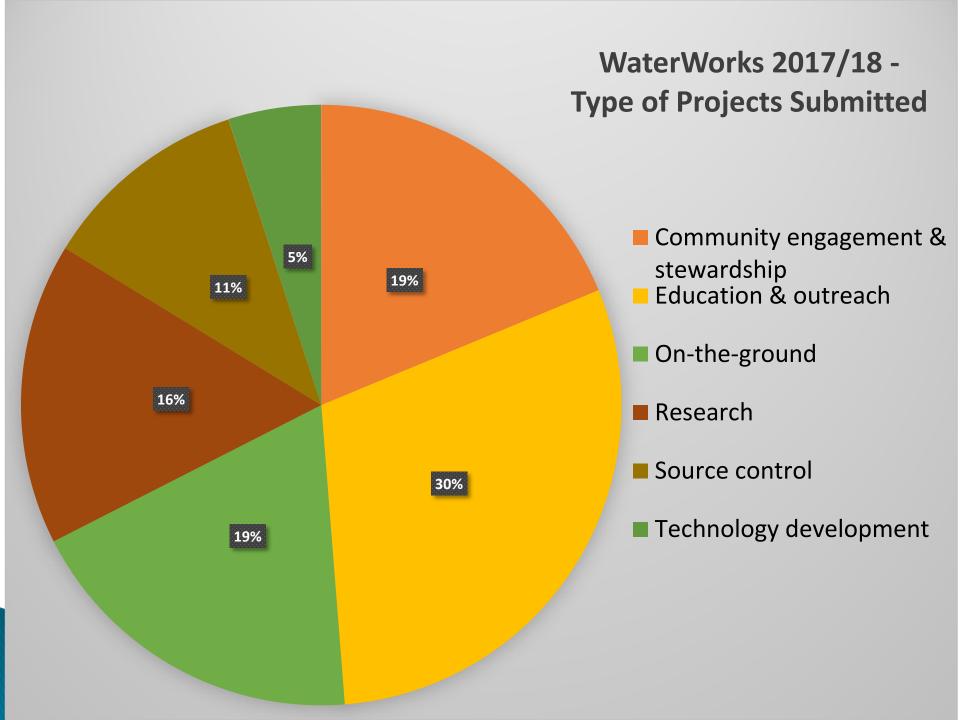
June 2017	Letters of Intent due
Summer 2017	Review
September 2017	Full applications due
Fall 2017	Review
Winter 2018	Authorization
Summer 2018	Projects Start



■ Applications received ■ Projects funded

WaterWorks 2017/18





City of Kent, *Leber Homestead Arsenic Remediation*, \$100,000







