



# City of Longview

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Thursday, November 14, 2019

6:00 PM

2nd Floor, City Hall

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. WORKSHOP

19-000451 2020 UTILITY RATE RECOMMENDATIONS

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

PROVIDE DIRECTION TO STAFF TO PREPARE UTILITY RATE RESOLUTIONS FOR 2020.

3. EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS A REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION

4. ADJOURNMENT

**NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER REGULAR MEETINGS RESCHEDULED DUE TO HOLIDAYS**  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2019 - 7:00 P.M.**  
**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2019 - 7:00 P.M.**  
**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2019 - 7:00 P.M.**

**NEXT SPECIAL MEETINGS:**

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2019 - 5:30 P.M. FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE AGENDA**



# City of Longview

## Agenda Summary

### 2020 UTILITY RATE RECOMMENDATIONS

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

**PROVIDE DIRECTION TO STAFF TO PREPARE UTILITY RATE RESOLUTIONS FOR 2020.**

#### **COUNCIL STRATEGIC INITIATIVE ADDRESSED:**

Continue effective financial management.

Provide sustainable water quality & environmental infrastructure.

#### **CITY ATTORNEY REVIEW: N/A**

#### **SUMMARY STATEMENT:**

Staff will present the following recommendations for solid waste, water, sewer, and stormwater utility rates for 2020 for an average single family residential customer:

| Utility     | 2019 Rate | 2020 Rate | \$ Increase |          |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------|
| Water       | \$31.33   | \$33.24   | \$1.91      |          |
| Sewer       | \$67.46   | \$67.46   | \$0         |          |
| Stormwater  | \$13.68   | \$14.50   | \$0.82      |          |
| Solid Waste | \$18.41   | \$18.78   | \$0.37      |          |
| Combined    | \$130.88  | \$133.98  | \$3.10      | (+2.37%) |

Staff will also discuss activities and proposed capital improvements for each utility.

#### **Attachments:**

1. 2020 Recommended Utility Rates - Revised 11.13.19
2. 2020 Recommended Utility Rates - Revised 11.13.19 B&W Handout
3. 2020 Water Rates - Capital
4. Water Line Replacement Priority - 11.04.19
5. Reservoir No.5 Roof Info
6. 2020 Sewer Rates - Capital
7. 2020 Stormwater Rates - Enhancements and CIP

# Proposed 2020 Utility Rates

REVISED – Nov. 13, 2019

## **Longview City Council Workshop November 14, 2019**

Prepared by

Jeff Cameron, Public Works Director  
Steve Haubner, Stormwater Manager  
Gregory Hannon, Solid Waste & Recycling Manager

## 2020 Utility Rate Information

# Proposed Monthly Residential Utility Bill

(Based on a monthly water consumption of 600 cf)

| <u>Utility</u>     | <u>2019 Rate</u> | <u>Proposed<br/>2020 Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Water              | \$ 31.33         | \$33.24                       | \$1.91          |
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| Stormwater         | \$ 13.68         | \$14.50                       | \$0.82          |
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# Comparison of 2019 Combined Residential Utility Rates

(Water/Sewer/Storm/Solid Waste; based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

|                                 |                 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Renton                          | \$208.34        |
| Port Angeles                    | \$192.05        |
| Mercer Island                   | \$190.40        |
| Kent                            | \$186.39        |
| Castle Rock                     | \$183.02        |
| Auburn                          | \$161.32        |
| Centralia                       | \$168.71        |
| Chehalis                        | \$165.61        |
| Kalama                          | \$160.03        |
| Bellingham                      | \$150.94        |
| Olympia                         | \$150.18        |
| Mountlake Terrace               | \$148.91        |
| Everett                         | \$137.39        |
| Edmonds                         | \$136.13        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b> | <b>\$133.98</b> |
| Aberdeen                        | \$133.69        |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>  | <b>\$130.88</b> |
| Vancouver                       | \$129.64        |
| Woodland                        | \$128.35        |
| Kelso                           | \$121.27        |
| <u>Lynnwood</u>                 | <u>\$120.79</u> |

**Comparison Average (2019) \$155.20**

# Solid Waste & Recycling



# **Solid Waste – recycling program**

## **Contract amendment**

- Annual CPI - change the designated index
- Annual CPI - percentage adjustment requested by Waste Control
- Shopping Carts Partnership

## **Other**

- County tipping fee increase
- Deluxe rate for Commercial Frontload accounts
- Solid Waste Management Plan update

## **Waste Control**

- What's around the corner for the residents of Longview?
- Current-Future Recycling Trends & Markets



# Solid waste – recycling program

## Annual CPI change in the Designated Index

The current contract provides for an annual adjustment to reflect changes in the cost of operations, as reflected by fluctuations in the Consumer Price Index, as provided by the Department of Labor.

The Portland/Salem, which has been used since 1998, has been discontinued.

Other index areas were reviewed, including:

- *U.S. City Average*
- *Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue*
- *West Size Class B/C*

A recommendation will be made to change the Designated Index for the annual CPI adjustment to ***U.S. City Average***, effective 1/1/20.



# **Solid waste – recycling program**

## **Contractual CPI adjustment**

**In 2004, Waste Control requested a contract extension, which was approved by the City Council. As part of that extension, Waste Control agreed to reduce the CPI adjustment from 80% to the current 34.2%.**

**Since 2004, the economy and recycling markets, both local and abroad, have changed significantly:**

### **2004-2014**

- ***Sorting charges increased from \$48.59 to \$53.24/ton (+ 9.6%)***
- ***State minimum wages increased from \$7.16 to \$9.47/hour (+32.3%)***

### **2019-20**

- ***The current state minimum wage is \$12.00/hr. (+67.6% since 2004) and is projected to increase to \$13.50 in 2020 (+88.5%).***

**Other costs have increased for Waste Control since 2014, such as labor costs (+28%), health insurance (+40%) and liability insurance (+68%). As a result, Waste Control has requested that the contractual CPI adjustment be reinstated back to the 80% level.**



## Solid waste – recycling program

Contractual CPI adjustment – what is the budget impact?

|              | (Current Contract) |              | Percent           |
|--------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|
|              | <u>34.2%</u>       | <u>80%</u>   | <u>Difference</u> |
| 2018         | 1.23%              | 2.88%        | 1.65%             |
| 2019         | <u>1.05%</u>       | <u>2.44%</u> | <u>1.39%</u>      |
| 2-year Total | 2.28%              | 5.32%        | 3.04%             |

### 2018 Budget Impact (+ 1.65%)

|                                |                  |                 |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| ● Final Solid Waste Collection | \$1,705,212      | \$28,136        |
| ● Final Recycling Collection   | <u>\$749,872</u> | <u>\$12,373</u> |

Additional cost paid to Waste Control at 80% for 2018:\$40,509

Percent of the total 2018 Sanitation budget expenditures:0.078%

A recommendation will be made to reinstate the annual CPI adjustment for Waste Control from 34.2% to 80%, effective 1/1/20



# Solid waste – recycling program

## Shopping carts – Ordinance 3399

### Key dates

- April 11, 2019 Ordinance adopted. Published on 4/17/19
- May 17, 2019 Ordinance became effective
- November 17, 2019 Shopping Cart Containment Plan submitted to the City / per Ord.
- February 17, 2020 Shopping Cart Containment Plan to be implemented / per Ord.

Ordinance 3399 only applies to stores with **11** or more shopping carts. Once notified, the stores have 14 days to retrieve their carts.

In addition to the legislative process outlined in Ordinance 3399, the City will partner with Waste Control to expedite the removal of abandoned shopping carts before the enforcement elements are initiated, such as:



# Solid waste – recycling program

## Shopping carts, continued...

- Waste Control will retrieve any shopping cart they find, or, if contacted by the City, the cart will be removed within 24 hours, at no additional cost to the City. If the cart has garbage, it will still be removed.
- The store(s) will be contacted to have them retrieve their carts at Waste Control.
- For carts that are owned by a store that has it's own contractor, Waste Control will remove the cart and will contact that contractor to come to Waste Control and retrieve those carts.
- Waste Control will store all collected carts at their facility.



# **Solid waste – recycling program**

## **Shopping carts, continued...**

**A recommendation will be made to include a “*Shopping Cart Retrieval Partnership Program*” to the existing Solid Waste Collection contract, effective 1/1/20:**

### **Shopping Cart Retrieval Partnership Program**

**The Contractor shall be responsible to collect abandoned shopping carts within the Longview city limits, within 24 hours after receiving a request of the City and shall do so without any additional cost to the City.**

**Upon collection, the Contractor shall store the abandoned shopping carts for at least fourteen (14) days at their facility. Waste Control shall notify the cart owner or the store contractor to retrieve their cart(s) or may return the cart(s) back to the stores.**

**The City and Contractor shall mutually agree on such other procedures for the handling of the abandoned shopping carts as may be reasonable and necessary to control the proliferation of abandoned shopping carts throughout the City.**



# **Solid waste – recycling program**

## **Solid Waste Tipping Fee increase**

The County Finance Department made a presentation before the Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) and Governance Committee regarding a proposed increase of 9.39% to the tipping fee. Both committees approved the recommendation.

The BOCC approved the rate increase, raising the tipping fees from \$51.02/ton to \$55.81/ton, effective 1/1/20.

Two main reasons behind the higher than normal rate increase:

- The CPI used to calculate the rate for 2018-19 was done in error
- Large economic growth

**Note:** To reduce the impact of future rate increases, the SWAC recommended to the BOCC that the tipping fee increase be done annually rather than every two years. If approved, the next rate increase would be effective on 1/1/22.



# Comparison of 2018 Landfill Tipping Fees / Ton

|                                                                                 |                                  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Clallam County</b><br><i>Port Angeles</i>                                    | <b>\$186.36</b>                  |
| <b>King County</b><br><i>Renton, Kent, Mercer Island, Auburn</i>                | <b>\$144.34</b>                  |
| <b>Whatcom County</b><br><i>Bellingham</i>                                      | <b>\$140.00</b>                  |
| <b>Thurston County</b><br><i>Olympia</i>                                        | <b>\$119.00</b>                  |
| <b>Snohomish County</b><br><i>Mountlake Terrace, Lynnwood, Edmonds, Everett</i> | <b>\$105.00</b>                  |
| <b>Grays Harbor</b><br><i>Aberdeen</i>                                          | <b>\$101.00</b>                  |
| <b>Lewis County</b><br><i>Centralia, Chehalis</i>                               | <b>\$90.00</b>                   |
| <b>Clark County</b><br><i>Vancouver</i>                                         | <b>\$93.22</b>                   |
| <b>Cowlitz County</b><br><i>Longview, Kelso, Woodland, Kalama, Castle Rock</i>  | <b>\$51.02</b><br><b>\$55.81</b> |



# Solid waste – recycling program

## Deluxe Rate for Commercial Frontload accounts

The current contract provided by Waste Control was designed and intended to maximize service efficiencies to the ratepayers.

Once you deviate away from providing this level of service, i.e. require the driver to get out of the truck to perform an additional service, a deluxe service is warranted.

Waste Control notified the city that several commercial accounts have their frontload container behind a gated containment area. The drivers have been getting out to open the gates and position the container to be emptied.

- Inefficient
- Not part of the current contract
- Business/property owner's responsibility



## **Solid waste – recycling program**

### **Deluxe Rate for Commercial Frontload accounts**

|                                                                 |           |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| <b>No. of commercial businesses with a frontload container:</b> | <b>55</b> |
| <b>No. of businesses whose container is behind a gate:</b>      | <b>24</b> |
| <b>No. of businesses choosing to pay the deluxe rate:</b>       | <b>22</b> |

**The current rate resolution provides for a Commercial Deluxe rate charge, including:**

- **90-gallon cart:** \$2.57/pick
- **300-gallon tub:** \$7.26/pick
- **Frontload container:** None

**A recommendation will be made to provide for a deluxe rate for a commercial frontload container at \$7.26/pick, or as hereinafter amended.**



# **Solid waste – recycling program**

## **Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP) update**

**The Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) conducted its first meeting on 12/19/18. The existing plan is over twenty years old, which includes several revisions. Some information provided in the current plan is no longer a requirement from Ecology.**

**The County solid waste system has gone through some significant changes, particularly:**

- **Closure of the Tennant Way Landfill, which previously was operating at 120,000 tons/year;**
- **Acquisition of the Headquarters Landfill, currently operating at 750,000 tons/year;**
- **Closure of the Tennant Way Composting Facility; and,**
- **The retirement of the County Solid Waste Manager, who oversaw the last couple of Plan updates.**



# **Solid waste – recycling program**

## **Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP) update**

**The Committee discussed what was the best approach regarding the current SWMP – to work on another *revision* or to *rewrite* the plan.**

**The Committee chose to rewrite the Solid Waste Management Plan, commenting that the current plan is an old document and that a rewrite would provide for a more streamlined document, one that would be better aligned with current Ecology guidelines.**

**The current schedule has the final draft available for public comment and reviewed by Cities by the Spring of 2020.**



# Curbside Recycling Update

## What's around the corner for Longview Residents?

Overview: Current-Future Recycling Trends & Markets



## Waste Control Recycling, Inc.

Presented by

**Joe Willis, President**

**Kevin Willis, Secretary**



# Curbside Recycling – Audits by Area

|        | Highlands | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | City - Audit |
|--------|-----------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|--------------|
| Aug-08 | 59.4%     | 59.4%  | 48.4%   | 44.4%     | 63.5%    | 44.1%  | 52.3%        |
| Feb-09 | 54.5%     | 51.4%  | 35.6%   | 29.9%     | 29.9%    | 20.0%  | 34.5%        |
| Aug-10 | 34.4%     | 33.2%  | 17.7%   | 23.6%     | 23.3%    | 19.6%  | 23.9%        |
| Aug-11 | 30.9%     | 31.8%  | 21.9%   | 21.4%     | 19.9%    | 22.3%  | 23.2%        |
| Aug-12 | 30.5%     | 29.4%  | 21.9%   | 23.4%     | 22.1%    | 20.7%  | 23.6%        |
| Sep-13 | 25.3%     | 25.2%  | 15.1%   | 18.0%     | 15.4%    | 14.5%  | 18.0%        |
| Aug-14 | 32.6%     | 31.8%  | 32.7%   | 21.1%     | 20.6%    | 16.9%  | 24.8%        |
| Sep-15 | 31.2%     | 29.1%  | 23.0%   | 20.9%     | 21.5%    | 19.5%  | 23.0%        |
| Sep-16 | 33.6%     | 28.7%  | 24.2%   | 30.0%     | 29.6%    | 20.7%  | 28.1%        |
| Sep-18 | 33.1%     | 31.6%  | 25.8%   | 26.5%     | 17.4%    | 27.4%  | 25.3%        |
| May-19 | 35.2%     | 18.7%  | 20.0%   | 20.0%     | 22.7%    | 33.1%  | 25.2%        |

**Note:** The percentages shown above represent a one-week audit period only.

The overall citywide contamination rate for 2019 is currently at **13.3%** (thru September).

## Collection Routes:

Mon: Highlands, St. Helens

Tue: Downtown, Broadway, Third Avenue, Old West Side, New West Side

Wed: Barlow Point, W. Longview, Mint Valley, Hillside Acres, Memorial Park

Thu: Olympic East, Olympic West, Columbia Valley Gardens

Fri: Northlake, Glenwood, Columbia Heights, Cascade, City View



# Curbside Recycling – Enforcement

Total Number of Tags Issued

|         |           | Monday         | Tuesday        | Wednesday      | Thursday       | Friday       | Citywide       |
|---------|-----------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 2010-19 | Education | 960<br>25.9%   | 606<br>16.3%   | 887<br>23.9%   | 809<br>21.8%   | 446<br>12.0% | 3,708<br>36.6% |
|         | Violation | 3,295<br>51.2% | 1,139<br>17.7% | 756<br>11.8%   | 971<br>15.1%   | 273<br>4.2%  | 6,434<br>63.4% |
|         | Total     | 4,255<br>42.0% | 1,745<br>17.2% | 1,643<br>16.2% | 1,780<br>17.6% | 719<br>7.1%  | 10,142         |

**Note:** For the period covering Feb 2010 through September 2019



# Curbside Recycling – Characterization Summary

- Recent Audit Period: May 6 – 10, 2019

**Lbs. of recyclable material sorted: 55,420**

|                             | Monday       | Tuesday       | Wednesday     | Thursday      | Friday       | TOTALS / LBS  | TOTALS / %    |
|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mixed Paper / News          | 2,712        | 3,848         | 7,327         | 4,668         | 2,849        | 21,404        | 38.7%         |
| Cardboard                   | 4,106        | 3,914         | 4,648         | 4,558         | 2,690        | 19,916        | 35.9%         |
| Plastics 1&2                | 1,292        | 1,210         | 1,804         | 1,792         | 1,058        | 7,156         | 12.9%         |
| Glass                       | 632          | 445           | 693           | 562           | 273          | 2,605         | 4.7%          |
| Other Metals                | 530          | 260           | 400           | 410           | 106          | 1,706         | 3.1%          |
| Tin Cans                    | 263          | 270           | 340           | 308           | 229          | 1,410         | 2.5%          |
| Aluminum Cans               | 205          | 223           | 328           | 262           | 205          | 1,223         | 2.2%          |
| <b>TOTALS</b>               | <b>9,740</b> | <b>10,170</b> | <b>15,540</b> | <b>12,560</b> | <b>7,410</b> | <b>55,420</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |
| Percent by Collection Area: | 17.6%        | 18.4%         | 28.0%         | 22.7%         | 13.4%        |               |               |

**Note:** “Other metals” that are not tin cans, such as fans, chairs, toys, miscellaneous metals, etc.



# **Curbside Recycling**

- **Glass drop-off sites**

Since removing glass from the curbside program, staff looked into setting up various drop boxes in the community for the collection of glass to make it more convenient for Longview residents to recycle glass instead of driving directly to Waste Control.

However, history shows that some will use these sites to illegally dump garbage or other debris. Businesses will not want to see this on their property.

- **A voluntary yard waste program**

In early 2019, staff looked into the feasibility of a voluntary yard waste program. In recent years, the markets for this material has become more restrictive. Due to the chemicals that many place on their lawns, any new yard waste program would exclude grass clippings.

Until the markets change and grass clippings are an acceptable material, staff recommends we do not consider a yard waste program at this time.

- **Raise the contamination penalty**

The current enforcement process involves a three-tier inspection process. For those that go through this process and the recycling cart is removed, a penalty of \$10/month is imposed.

Consider increasing the penalty to \$20/month for new cases, effective 1/1/20.



# 2020 Solid Waste & Recycling Rates



## 2020 Residential Solid Waste-Recycling Rate Plan

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 2013        | \$16.39             | \$0.55          | 3.5%           |                            |
| 2014        | \$17.78             | \$1.39          | 8.5%           |                            |
| 2015        | \$18.41             | \$0.63          | 3.5%           |                            |
| 2016        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| 2017        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| 2018        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| 2019        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$18.78</b>      | <b>\$0.37</b>   | <b>2.0%</b>    | <b>1.5%</b>                |
| 2021        | \$19.16             | \$0.38          | 2.0%           | 1.5%                       |
| 2022        | \$19.54             | \$0.38          | 2.0%           | 1.5%                       |
| 2023        | \$19.93             | \$0.39          | 1.5%           |                            |
| 2024        | \$20.23             | \$0.30          | 1.5%           |                            |



## Distribution of 2020 Solid Waste-Recycling Rate

| <u>Rate</u><br><u>Component</u> | <u>Utility Cost</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Utility Activity</u>     |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| \$5.78                          | \$1,800,000         | 30.8%             | SW Collection               |
| \$5.41                          | \$1,685,930         | 28.8%             | Operations                  |
| \$5.15                          | \$1,600,000         | 27.4%             | Waste Disposal              |
| <u>\$2.44</u>                   | <u>\$760,000</u>    | <u>13.0%</u>      | <u>Recycling Collection</u> |
| <b>\$18.78</b>                  | <b>\$5,845,930</b>  | <b>100%</b>       |                             |

*Both SW-Recycling Collection include a CPI increase of 2.5%. Waste Disposal includes a 1% increase to the annual tonnage and the 9.3% increase in the tipping fees.*

*Operations includes, but not limited to: City/State Taxes, Salaries/benefits, Administrative overhead, Operating Reserve Fund and Property Abatement costs.*



# Comparison of 2019 Residential SW-Recycling Rates

|                                                |                |                        |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------|------------------------|
| Renton                                         | <b>\$80.09</b> | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Kent                                           | <b>\$63.84</b> | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Mercer Island                                  | <b>\$63.26</b> | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Vancouver                                      | <b>\$62.63</b> | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Aberdeen                                       | \$56.80        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Olympia                                        | \$56.23        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Mountlake Terrace                              | \$53.22        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Bellingham                                     | \$52.67        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Port Angeles                                   | \$41.08        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Everett                                        | \$36.42        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Centralia                                      | \$35.71        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Auburn                                         | \$34.86        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Edmonds                                        | \$33.51        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Lynnwood                                       | \$33.51        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Chehalis                                       | \$30.21        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| Castle Rock ( <i>no mandatory collection</i> ) | \$25.28        | <i>Drop sites</i>      |
| Kalama                                         | \$25.28        | <i>Drop sites</i>      |
| Woodland                                       | \$25.28        | <i>Curbside</i>        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>                | <b>\$18.78</b> | <b><i>Curbside</i></b> |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>                 | <b>\$18.41</b> | <b><i>Curbside</i></b> |
| Kelso                                          | \$15.72        | <i>Drop sites</i>      |

**Comparison Average (2019)      \$42.20**



*Monthly rates are based on a 90 (or 95)-gallon container picked weekly*

[www.longviewrecycles.com](http://www.longviewrecycles.com)

# **Recommendations**

## **Contract Amendment No. 6**

- **Change the CPI Designated Index to U.S. City Average**
- **Change the CPI Index adjustment for Waste Control to 80%**
- **Add contract language for a Shopping Cart Retrieval Partnership Program**

## **Rate Resolution**

- **Approve the garbage-recycling rate increase of 2%**
- **Approve the deluxe rate for a commercial front load container**



# Questions?



# Water

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## 2020 Utility Rate Information / Water Utility

# 2020 Water Capital Projects

| <u>Water Distribution Capital</u>                     | <u>Amount</u>      |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall                        | \$20,000           |
| Annual Valve Replacement                              | \$30,000           |
| Annual Main Replacement                               | \$1,100,000        |
| Reservoir Security                                    | \$50,000           |
| Large Meter Replacement                               | \$120,000          |
| Wonderware Software (SCADA) Upgrade and Redevelopment | \$50,000           |
| SCADA System – Restore Telemetry                      | \$100,000          |
| Water Master Plan/RRR/ERP (50% of cost)               | \$200,000          |
| Relocation for Road Reconstruction (Resume 2021)      | \$0                |
| <u>LID Replacements (Resume 2022)</u>                 | <u>\$0</u>         |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>\$1,670,000</b> |



## 2020 Filter Plant Projects

| <u>Filter Plant Capital Projects</u>                           | <u>Amount</u>    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Miscellaneous Capital Repairs                                  | \$50,000         |
| Variable Frequency Drives - 3 Well Motors                      | \$327,000        |
| Pressure Filters Hatches Replacement                           | \$495,000        |
| <u>Wonderware Software (Control) Upgrade and Redevelopment</u> | <u>\$115,000</u> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                   | <b>\$987,000</b> |



## 2020 Utility Rate Information / Water Utility

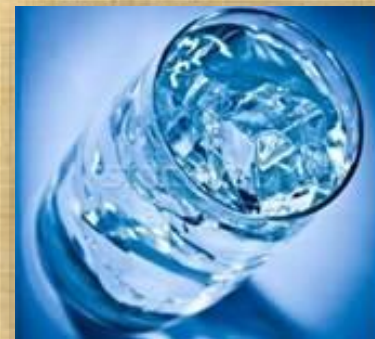
### 2020 Residential Water Rate Plan

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous<br/>Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 2015        | \$25.91             | \$1.62          | 6.5%           |                                |
| 2016        | \$27.09             | \$1.18          | 4.5%           |                                |
| 2017        | \$28.59             | \$1.50          | 5.5%           |                                |
| 2018        | \$29.26             | \$1.37          | 4.7%           |                                |
| 2019        | \$31.33             | \$1.37          | 4.5%           |                                |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$33.24</b>      | <b>\$1.91</b>   | <b>6.0%</b>    | <b>4.5%</b>                    |
| 2021        | \$35.26             | \$2.02          | 6.0%           | 4.5%                           |
| 2022        | \$38.06             | \$2.80          | 8.0%           | 4.5%                           |
| 2023        | \$41.08             | \$3.02          | 8.0%           | 2.0%                           |
| 2024        | \$44.39             | \$3.31          | 8.0%           |                                |

## Distribution of 2020 Residential Water Rate

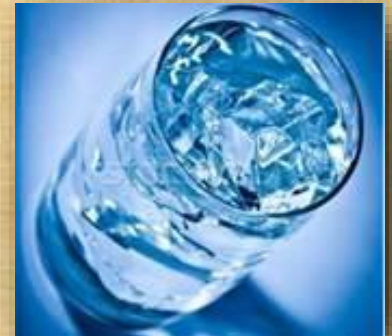
| <u>Rate<br/>Component</u> | <u>Revenue<br/>Generated</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Use of Income</u> |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| \$24.83                   | \$6,278,500                  | 74.7 %            | Operations           |
| \$ 6.81                   | \$1,726,400                  | 20.5 %            | Debt Service         |
| \$ 1.60                   | \$ 399,300                   | 4.8 %             | Rate Funded Capital  |
| \$ 0                      | \$ 0                         | 0 %               | Depreciation         |
| <b>\$33.24</b>            | <b>\$8,404,200</b>           | <b>100%</b>       |                      |



# Comparison of 2019 Residential Water Rates

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

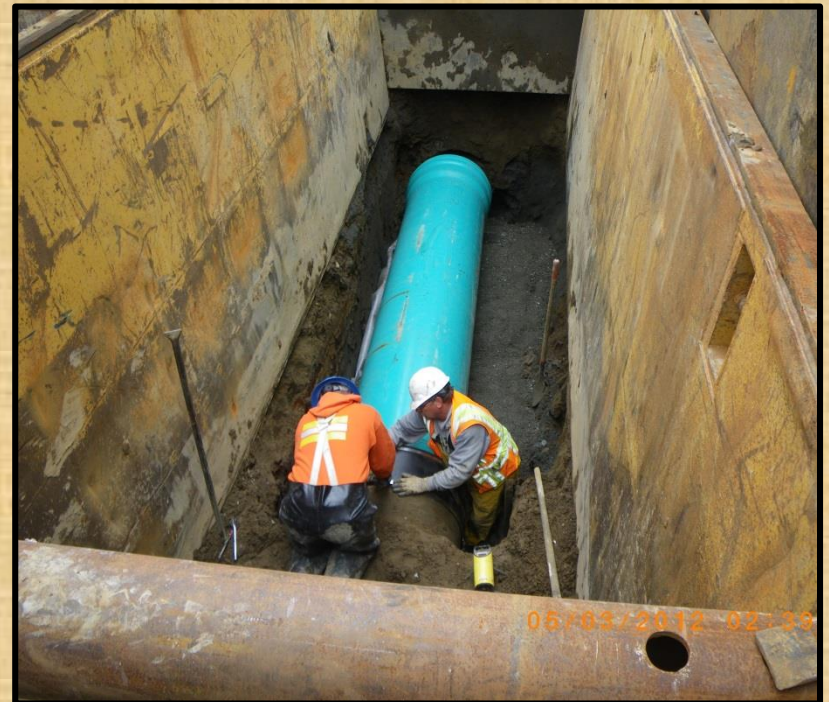
|                                         |                       |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Castle Rock                             | \$65.24               |
| Port Angeles                            | \$50.83               |
| Mountlake Terrace                       | \$47.44               |
| Bellingham                              | \$42.45               |
| Mercer Island                           | \$41.98               |
| Edmonds                                 | \$41.79               |
| Centralia                               | \$40.49               |
| Woodland                                | \$39.58               |
| Kent                                    | \$39.40               |
| Renton                                  | \$33.71               |
| Auburn                                  | \$36.45               |
| Kelso                                   | \$34.58               |
| Chehalis                                | \$33.88               |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>         | <b>\$33.24</b>        |
| Aberdeen                                | \$31.58               |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>          | <b>\$31.33</b>        |
| Lynnwood                                | \$27.99               |
| Everett                                 | \$27.39               |
| Kalama                                  | \$23.10               |
| Vancouver                               | \$22.99               |
| Olympia                                 | \$18.62               |
| <b><u>Comparison Average (2019)</u></b> | <b><u>\$36.54</u></b> |



# 2020 Utility Rate Information

## Sewer

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## Proposed Depreciation Funding

|        | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|--------|----------------|---------------|
| ■ 2019 | 0%             |               |
| ■ 2020 | 100%           | \$1,495,800   |
| ■ 2021 | 100%           | \$1,590,100   |
| ■ 2022 | 100%           | \$1,716,400   |
| ■ 2023 | 100%           | \$1,828,900   |
| ■ 2024 | 100%           | \$1,901,400   |



## 2020 Utility Rate Information / Sewer Utility

### 2020 Sewer Capital Projects

| <u>Capital Projects</u>                                                              | <u>Amount</u>      |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Annual LID Projects                                                                  | \$300,000          |
| Annual Main Replacements                                                             | \$575,000          |
| Annual In-Situ Liner Projects                                                        | \$525,000          |
| 38 <sup>th</sup> & Oak PS and 38 <sup>th</sup> & Pennsylvania PS Rehab (50% of cost) | \$1,047,000        |
| Wonderware Software (SCADA) Upgrade & Redevelopment                                  | \$102,000          |
| SCADA – Restore Telemetry                                                            | \$406,000          |
| Mint Farm PS Odor Control                                                            | \$90,000           |
| OB #4 Odor Control Tank/Filter Replacement                                           | \$35,000           |
| Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall                                                       | \$20,000           |
| New Vacuum Truck – Medium Chassis (Smaller Size Unit)                                | \$205,000          |
| Road Reconstruction (Resume 2021)                                                    | \$0                |
| PS Rehab – Various Future Stations (Resume 2021)                                     | \$0                |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                         | <b>\$3,305,000</b> |

## 2020 Utility Rate Information / Sewer Utility

### 2020 Residential Sewer Rate Plan

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous<br/>Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 2015        | \$63.59             | \$3.02          | 5.0%           |                                |
| 2016        | \$64.21             | \$0.62          | 1.0%           |                                |
| 2017        | \$64.83             | \$0.62          | 1.0%           |                                |
| 2018        | \$66.14             | \$1.31          | 2.0%           |                                |
| 2019        | \$67.46             | \$1.32          | 2.0%           |                                |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$67.46</b>      | <b>\$ 0</b>     | <b>0%</b>      | <b>2.0%</b>                    |
| 2021        | \$68.16             | \$0.70          | 1.0%           | 2.0%                           |
| 2022        | \$69.50             | \$1.34          | 2.0%           | 3.5%                           |
| 2023        | \$71.56             | \$2.06          | 3.0%           | 4.0%                           |
| 2024        | \$73.72             | \$2.16          | 3.0%           |                                |

## Distribution of 2020 Residential Sewer Rate

| <u>Rate<br/>Component</u> | <u>Revenue<br/>Generated</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Use of Income</u> |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| \$17.74                   | \$3,372,100                  | 26.3 %            | TRWWA Operations     |
| \$ 5.94                   | \$1,123,100                  | 8.8 %             | TRWWA Debt Service   |
| \$28.94                   | \$5,500,600                  | 42.9 %            | Operations           |
| \$ 6.95                   | \$1,315,200                  | 10.3 %            | Debt Service         |
| \$ 0.00                   | \$ 0                         | 0 %               | Rate Funded Capital  |
| \$ 7.89                   | \$1,495,800                  | 11.7 %            | Depreciation         |
| <b>\$67.46</b>            | <b>\$12,806,800</b>          | <b>100%</b>       |                      |



# Comparison of 2019 Residential Sewer Rates

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

|                                         |                       |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Kalama                                  | \$106.15              |
| Chehalis                                | \$92.07               |
| Castle Rock                             | \$85.08               |
| Port Angeles                            | \$83.27               |
| Centralia                               | \$82.13               |
| Renton                                  | \$75.24               |
| Auburn                                  | \$70.50               |
| Kent                                    | \$70.34               |
| Mercer Island                           | \$67.83               |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>         | <b>\$67.46</b>        |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>          | <b>\$67.46</b>        |
| Woodland                                | \$63.49               |
| Olympia                                 | \$61.28               |
| Kelso                                   | \$60.74               |
| Everett                                 | \$49.44               |
| Lynnwood                                | \$46.16               |
| Bellingham                              | \$44.52               |
| Edmonds                                 | \$43.65               |
| Aberdeen                                | \$38.62               |
| Mountlake Terrace                       | \$36.80               |
| Vancouver                               | \$33.06               |
| <b><u>Comparison Average (2019)</u></b> | <b><u>\$63.89</u></b> |



# Stormwater

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## 2020 Stormwater Enhancements

### Enhancement

|                                                       |                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Additional Urban Forestry Crew                        | \$436,700        |
| Equipment for Additional Crew (New Debt Service 2020) | \$45,800         |
| Equipment Cost = \$405,000                            |                  |
| <u>Stormwater Utility Billing and Rate Review</u>     | <u>\$100,000</u> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>\$582,500</b> |



## 2020 Stormwater Capital Projects

### Capital Projects

|                                      | <u>Amount</u>    |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Beech Street Box Culvert Maintenance | \$25,000         |
| Stormwater Specialist Vehicle        | \$35,000         |
| Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall       | \$47,000         |
| Miscellaneous Stormwater Projects    | \$100,000        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                         | <b>\$217,000</b> |



## 2020 Residential Stormwater Rate Plan

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 2015        | \$9.09              | \$1.12          | 14.0%          |                            |
| 2016        | \$10.09             | \$0.49          | 11.0%          |                            |
| 2017        | \$11.10             | \$1.01          | 10.0%          |                            |
| 2018        | \$12.21             | \$1.11          | 10.0%          |                            |
| 2019        | \$13.68             | \$1.47          | 12.0%          |                            |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$14.50</b>      | <b>\$0.82</b>   | <b>6.0%</b>    | <b>8.0%</b>                |
| 2021        | \$15.30             | \$0.80          | 5.5%           | 3.0%                       |
| 2022        | \$16.07             | \$0.77          | 5.0%           | 3.0%                       |
| 2023        | \$16.55             | \$0.48          | 3.0%           | 3.0%                       |
| 2024        | \$17.05             | \$0.50          | 3.0%           | --                         |



## Distribution of 2020 Residential Stormwater Rate

| <u>Rate<br/>Component</u> | <u>Revenue<br/>Generated</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Use of Income</u>                 |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|
| \$5.52                    | \$2,037,800                  | 38.0 %            | Urban Forestry                       |
| \$5.49                    | \$2,029,500                  | 37.9 %            | Stormwater Operations                |
| \$2.14                    | \$ 790,800                   | 14.8 %            | NPDES Permit &<br>Development Review |
| \$0.80                    | \$ 294,400                   | 5.5 %             | Debt Service                         |
| \$0.55                    | \$ 203,800                   | 3.8 %             | Rate Funded Capital                  |
| \$0.00                    | \$ 0                         | 0 %               | Depreciation                         |
| <b>\$14.50</b>            | <b>\$5,356,300</b>           | <b>100%</b>       | <b>TOTAL</b>                         |



# Comparison of 2019 Residential Stormwater Rates

|                                                     |                |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Everett                                             | \$24.14        |
| Auburn                                              | \$19.51        |
| Mercer Island                                       | \$17.33        |
| Edmonds                                             | \$17.18        |
| Port Angeles                                        | \$16.87        |
| Renton                                              | \$14.85        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>                     | <b>\$14.50</b> |
| Olympia                                             | \$14.05        |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>                      | <b>\$13.68</b> |
| Lynnwood                                            | \$13.12        |
| Kent                                                | \$12.81        |
| Mountlake Terrace                                   | \$11.45        |
| Bellingham                                          | \$11.30        |
| Vancouver                                           | \$10.96        |
| Centralia                                           | \$10.44        |
| Kelso                                               | \$10.23        |
| Chehalis ( <i>not a stormwater permittee</i> )      | \$9.45         |
| Castle Rock ( <i>not a stormwater permittee</i> )   | \$7.42         |
| Aberdeen                                            | \$6.69         |
| Kalama ( <i>not a stormwater permittee</i> )        | \$5.50         |
| <u>Woodland (<i>not a stormwater permittee</i>)</u> | <u>\$0.00</u>  |

**Comparison Average (2019)                      \$13.00**



# DISCUSSION

# Proposed 2020 Utility Rates

REVISED – Nov. 13, 2019

## Longview City Council Workshop November 14, 2019

Prepared by

Jeff Cameron, Public Works Director  
Steve Haubner, Stormwater Manager  
Gregory Hannon, Solid Waste & Recycling Manager

### 2020 Utility Rate Information

## Proposed Monthly Residential Utility Bill

(Based on a monthly water consumption of 600 cf)

| <u>Utility</u> | <u>2019 Rate</u> | <u>Proposed<br/>2020 Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> |
|----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Water          | \$ 31.33         | \$33.24                       | \$1.91          |
| Sewer          | \$ 67.46         | \$67.46                       | \$ 0            |
| Stormwater     | \$ 13.68         | \$14.50                       | \$0.82          |
| Solid Waste    | \$ 18.41         | \$18.78                       | \$0.37          |
| Combined       | \$ 130.88        | \$133.98                      | \$3.10 (+2.37%) |



**Comparison of 2019 Combined Residential Utility Rates**  
(Water/Sewer/Storm/Solid Waste; based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

|                                  |                 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Renton                           | \$208.34        |
| Port Angeles                     | \$192.05        |
| Mercer Island                    | \$190.40        |
| Kent                             | \$186.39        |
| Castle Rock                      | \$183.02        |
| Auburn                           | \$161.32        |
| Centralia                        | \$168.71        |
| Chehalis                         | \$165.61        |
| Kalama                           | \$160.03        |
| Bellingham                       | \$150.94        |
| Olympia                          | \$150.18        |
| Mountlake Terrace                | \$148.91        |
| Everett                          | \$137.39        |
| Edmonds                          | \$136.13        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>  | <b>\$133.98</b> |
| Aberdeen                         | \$133.69        |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>   | <b>\$130.88</b> |
| Vancouver                        | \$129.64        |
| Woodland                         | \$128.35        |
| Kelso                            | \$121.27        |
| <u>Lynnwood</u>                  | <u>\$120.79</u> |
| <b>Comparison Average (2019)</b> | <b>\$155.20</b> |

## Solid Waste & Recycling



## Solid Waste – recycling program

### Contract amendment

- Annual CPI - change the designated index
- Annual CPI - percentage adjustment requested by Waste Control
- Shopping Carts Partnership

### Other

- County tipping fee increase
- Deluxe rate for Commercial Frontload accounts
- Solid Waste Management Plan update

### Waste Control

- What's around the corner for the residents of Longview?
- Current-Future Recycling Trends & Markets



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Annual CPI change in the Designated Index

The current contract provides for an annual adjustment to reflect changes in the cost of operations, as reflected by fluctuations in the Consumer Price Index, as provided by the Department of Labor.

The Portland/Salem, which has been used since 1998, has been discontinued.

Other index areas were reviewed, including:

- *U.S. City Average*
- *Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue*
- *West Size Class B/C*

A recommendation will be made to change the Designated Index for the annual CPI adjustment to ***U.S. City Average***, effective 1/1/20.



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Contractual CPI adjustment

In 2004, Waste Control requested a contract extension, which was approved by the City Council. As part of that extension, Waste Control agreed to reduce the CPI adjustment from 80% to the current 34.2%.

Since 2004, the economy and recycling markets, both local and abroad, have changed significantly:

#### 2004-2014

- *Sorting charges increased from \$48.59 to \$53.24/ton (+ 9.6%)*
- *State minimum wages increased from \$7.16 to \$9.47/hour (+32.3%)*

#### 2019-20

- *The current state minimum wage is \$12.00/hr. (+67.6% since 2004) and is projected to increase to \$13.50 in 2020 (+88.5%).*

Other costs have increased for Waste Control since 2014, such as labor costs (+28%), health insurance (+40%) and liability insurance (+68%). As a result, Waste Control has requested that the contractual CPI adjustment be reinstated back to the 80% level.



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Contractual CPI adjustment – what is the budget impact?

|                     | (Current Contract) |              | Percent           |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|
|                     | <u>34.2%</u>       | <u>80%</u>   | <u>Difference</u> |
| 2018                | 1.23%              | 2.88%        | 1.65%             |
| 2019                | <u>1.05%</u>       | <u>2.44%</u> | <u>1.39%</u>      |
| <u>2-year Total</u> | <u>2.28%</u>       | <u>5.32%</u> | <u>3.04%</u>      |

#### 2018 Budget Impact (+ 1.65%)

- Final Solid Waste Collection \$1,705,212 \$28,136
- Final Recycling Collection \$749,872 \$12,373

Additional cost paid to Waste Control at 80% for 2018:\$40,509

Percent of the total 2018 Sanitation budget expenditures:0.078%

A recommendation will be made to reinstate the annual CPI adjustment for Waste Control from 34.2% to 80%, effective 1/1/20



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Shopping carts – Ordinance 3399

#### Key dates

- April 11, 2019 Ordinance adopted. Published on 4/17/19
- May 17, 2019 Ordinance became effective
- November 17, 2019 Shopping Cart Containment Plan submitted to the City / per Ord.
- February 17, 2020 Shopping Cart Containment Plan to be implemented / per Ord.

Ordinance 3399 only applies to stores with **11** or more shopping carts. Once notified, the stores have 14 days to retrieve their carts.

In addition to the legislative process outlined in Ordinance 3399, the City will partner with Waste Control to expedite the removal of abandoned shopping carts before the enforcement elements are initiated, such as:



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Shopping carts, continued...

- Waste Control will retrieve any shopping cart they find, or, if contacted by the City, the cart will be removed within 24 hours, at no additional cost to the City. If the cart has garbage, it will still be removed.
- The store(s) will be contacted to have them retrieve their carts at Waste Control.
- For carts that are owned by a store that has it's own contractor, Waste Control will remove the cart and will contact that contractor to come to Waste Control and retrieve those carts.
- Waste Control will store all collected carts at their facility.



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Shopping carts, continued...

A recommendation will be made to include a "*Shopping Cart Retrieval Partnership Program*" to the existing Solid Waste Collection contract, effective 1/1/20:

#### Shopping Cart Retrieval Partnership Program

The Contractor shall be responsible to collect abandoned shopping carts within the Longview city limits, within 24 hours after receiving a request of the City and shall do so without any additional cost to the City.

Upon collection, the Contractor shall store the abandoned shopping carts for at least fourteen (14) days at their facility. Waste Control shall notify the cart owner or the store contractor to retrieve their cart(s) or may return the cart(s) back to the stores.

The City and Contractor shall mutually agree on such other procedures for the handling of the abandoned shopping carts as may be reasonable and necessary to control the proliferation of abandoned shopping carts throughout the City.



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Solid Waste Tipping Fee increase

The County Finance Department made a presentation before the Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) and Governance Committee regarding a proposed increase of 9.39% to the tipping fee. Both committees approved the recommendation.

The BOCC approved the rate increase, raising the tipping fees from \$51.02/ton to \$55.81/ton, effective 1/1/20.

Two main reasons behind the higher than normal rate increase:

- The CPI used to calculate the rate for 2018-19 was done in error
- Large economic growth

**Note:** To reduce the impact of future rate increases, the SWAC recommended to the BOCC that the tipping fee increase be done annually rather than every two years. If approved, the next rate increase would be effective on 1/1/22.



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## Comparison of 2018 Landfill Tipping Fees / Ton

|                                                                                 |                                  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Clallam County</b><br><i>Port Angeles</i>                                    | <b>\$186.36</b>                  |
| <b>King County</b><br><i>Renton, Kent, Mercer Island, Auburn</i>                | <b>\$144.34</b>                  |
| <b>Whatcom County</b><br><i>Bellingham</i>                                      | <b>\$140.00</b>                  |
| <b>Thurston County</b><br><i>Olympia</i>                                        | <b>\$119.00</b>                  |
| <b>Snohomish County</b><br><i>Mountlake Terrace, Lynnwood, Edmonds, Everett</i> | <b>\$105.00</b>                  |
| <b>Grays Harbor</b><br><i>Aberdeen</i>                                          | <b>\$101.00</b>                  |
| <b>Lewis County</b><br><i>Centralia, Chehalis</i>                               | <b>\$90.00</b>                   |
| <b>Clark County</b><br><i>Vancouver</i>                                         | <b>\$93.22</b>                   |
| <b>Cowlitz County</b><br><i>Longview, Kelso, Woodland, Kalama, Castle Rock</i>  | <b>\$51.02</b><br><b>\$55.81</b> |



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Deluxe Rate for Commercial Frontload accounts

The current contract provided by Waste Control was designed and intended to maximize service efficiencies to the ratepayers.

Once you deviate away from providing this level of service, i.e. require the driver to get out of the truck to perform an additional service, a deluxe service is warranted.

Waste Control notified the city that several commercial accounts have their frontload container behind a gated containment area. The drivers have been getting out to open the gates and position the container to be emptied.

- Inefficient
- Not part of the current contract
- Business/property owner's responsibility



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Deluxe Rate for Commercial Frontload accounts

|                                                          |           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| No. of commercial businesses with a frontload container: | <b>55</b> |
| No. of businesses whose container is behind a gate:      | 24        |
| No. of businesses choosing to pay the deluxe rate:       | 22        |

The current rate resolution provides for a Commercial Deluxe rate charge, including:

- 90-gallon cart: \$2.57/pick
- 300-gallon tub: \$7.26/pick
- Frontload container: None

A recommendation will be made to provide for a deluxe rate for a commercial frontload container at \$7.26/pick, or as hereinafter amended.



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP) update

The Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) conducted its first meeting on 12/19/18. The existing plan is over twenty years old, which includes several revisions. Some information provided in the current plan is no longer a requirement from Ecology.

The County solid waste system has gone through some significant changes, particularly:

- Closure of the Tennant Way Landfill, which previously was operating at 120,000 tons/year;
- Acquisition of the Headquarters Landfill, currently operating at 750,000 tons/year;
- Closure of the Tennant Way Composting Facility; and,
- The retirement of the County Solid Waste Manager, who oversaw the last couple of Plan updates.



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## Solid waste – recycling program

### Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP) update

The Committee discussed what was the best approach regarding the current SWMP – to work on another **revision** or to **rewrite** the plan.

The Committee chose to rewrite the Solid Waste Management Plan, commenting that the current plan is an old document and that a rewrite would provide for a more streamlined document, one that would be better aligned with current Ecology guidelines.

The current schedule has the final draft available for public comment and reviewed by Cities by the Spring of 2020.



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## Curbside Recycling Update

### What's around the corner for Longview Residents?

Overview: Current-Future Recycling Trends & Markets



### Waste Control Recycling, Inc.

Presented by  
Joe Willis, President  
Kevin Willis, Secretary



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## Curbside Recycling – Audits by Area

|               | Highlands    | Monday       | Tuesday      | Wednesday    | Thursday     | Friday       | City - Audit |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Aug-08        | 59.4%        | 59.4%        | 48.4%        | 44.4%        | 63.5%        | 44.1%        | 52.3%        |
| Feb-09        | 54.5%        | 51.4%        | 35.6%        | 29.9%        | 29.9%        | 20.0%        | 34.5%        |
| Aug-10        | 34.4%        | 33.2%        | 17.7%        | 23.6%        | 23.3%        | 19.6%        | 23.9%        |
| Aug-11        | 30.9%        | 31.8%        | 21.9%        | 21.4%        | 19.9%        | 22.3%        | 23.2%        |
| Aug-12        | 30.5%        | 29.4%        | 21.9%        | 23.4%        | 22.1%        | 20.7%        | 23.6%        |
| Sep-13        | 25.3%        | 25.2%        | 15.1%        | 18.0%        | 15.4%        | 14.5%        | 18.0%        |
| Aug-14        | 32.6%        | 31.8%        | 32.7%        | 21.1%        | 20.6%        | 16.9%        | 24.8%        |
| Sep-15        | 31.2%        | 29.1%        | 23.0%        | 20.9%        | 21.5%        | 19.5%        | 23.0%        |
| Sep-16        | 33.6%        | 28.7%        | 24.2%        | 30.0%        | 29.6%        | 20.7%        | 28.1%        |
| Sep-18        | 33.1%        | 31.6%        | 25.8%        | 26.5%        | 17.4%        | 27.4%        | 25.3%        |
| <b>May-19</b> | <b>35.2%</b> | <b>18.7%</b> | <b>20.0%</b> | <b>20.0%</b> | <b>22.7%</b> | <b>33.1%</b> | <b>25.2%</b> |

**Note:** The percentages shown above represent a one-week audit period only.  
The overall citywide contamination rate for 2019 is currently at **13.3%** (thru September).

### Collection Routes:

Mon: Highlands, St. Helens  
Tue: Downtown, Broadway, Third Avenue, Old West Side, New West Side  
Wed: Barlow Point, W. Longview, Mint Valley, Hillside Acres, Memorial Park  
Thu: Olympic East, Olympic West, Columbia Valley Gardens  
Fri: Northlake, Glenwood, Columbia Heights, Cascade, City View

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## Curbside Recycling – Enforcement

Total Number of Tags Issued

|                   | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Citywide |
|-------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|
| 2010-19 Education | 960    | 606     | 887       | 809      | 446    | 3,708    |
|                   | 25.9%  | 16.3%   | 23.9%     | 21.8%    | 12.0%  | 36.6%    |
| Violation         | 3,295  | 1,139   | 756       | 971      | 273    | 6,434    |
|                   | 51.2%  | 17.7%   | 11.8%     | 15.1%    | 4.2%   | 63.4%    |
| Total             | 4,255  | 1,745   | 1,643     | 1,780    | 719    | 10,142   |
|                   | 42.0%  | 17.2%   | 16.2%     | 17.6%    | 7.1%   |          |

**Note:** For the period covering Feb 2010 through September 2019

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## Curbside Recycling – Characterization Summary

- Recent Audit Period: May 6 – 10, 2019

Lbs. of recyclable material sorted: 55,420

|                    | Monday       | Tuesday       | Wednesday     | Thursday      | Friday       | TOTALS / LBS  | TOTALS / %    |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Mixed Paper / News | 2,712        | 3,848         | 7,327         | 4,668         | 2,849        | 21,404        | 38.7%         |
| Cardboard          | 4,106        | 3,914         | 4,648         | 4,558         | 2,690        | 19,916        | 35.9%         |
| Plastics 1&2       | 1,292        | 1,210         | 1,804         | 1,792         | 1,058        | 7,156         | 12.9%         |
| Glass              | 632          | 445           | 693           | 562           | 273          | 2,605         | 4.7%          |
| Other Metals       | 530          | 260           | 400           | 410           | 106          | 1,706         | 3.1%          |
| Tin Cans           | 263          | 270           | 340           | 308           | 229          | 1,410         | 2.5%          |
| Aluminum Cans      | 205          | 223           | 328           | 262           | 205          | 1,223         | 2.2%          |
| <b>TOTALS</b>      | <b>9,740</b> | <b>10,170</b> | <b>15,540</b> | <b>12,560</b> | <b>7,410</b> | <b>55,420</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

|                             |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Percent by Collection Area: | 17.6% | 18.4% | 28.0% | 22.7% | 13.4% |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|

**Note:** "Other metals" that are not tin cans, such as fans, chairs, toys, miscellaneous metals, etc.

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## Curbside Recycling

- Glass drop-off sites

Since removing glass from the curbside program, staff looked into setting up various drop boxes in the community for the collection of glass to make it more convenient for Longview residents to recycle glass instead of driving directly to Waste Control.

However, history shows that some will use these sites to illegally dump garbage or other debris. Businesses will not want to see this on their property.

- A voluntary yard waste program

In early 2019, staff looked into the feasibility of a voluntary yard waste program. In recent years, the markets for this material has become more restrictive. Due to the chemicals that many place on their lawns, any new yard waste program would exclude grass clippings.

Until the markets change and grass clippings are an acceptable material, staff recommends we do not consider a yard waste program at this time.

- Raise the contamination penalty

The current enforcement process involves a three-tier inspection process. For those that go through this process and the recycling cart is removed, a penalty of \$10/month is imposed.

Consider increasing the penalty to \$20/month for new cases, effective 1/1/20.

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## 2020 Solid Waste & Recycling Rates



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### 2020 Utility Rate Information / Solid Waste-Recycling Utility

#### 2020 Residential Solid Waste-Recycling Rate Plan

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 2013        | \$16.39             | \$0.55          | 3.5%           |                            |
| 2014        | \$17.78             | \$1.39          | 8.5%           |                            |
| 2015        | \$18.41             | \$0.63          | 3.5%           |                            |
| 2016        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| 2017        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| 2018        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| 2019        | \$18.41             | \$0.00          | 0.0%           |                            |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$18.78</b>      | <b>\$0.37</b>   | <b>2.0%</b>    | <b>1.5%</b>                |
| 2021        | \$19.16             | \$0.38          | 2.0%           | 1.5%                       |
| 2022        | \$19.54             | \$0.38          | 2.0%           | 1.5%                       |
| 2023        | \$19.93             | \$0.39          | 1.5%           |                            |
| 2024        | \$20.23             | \$0.30          | 1.5%           |                            |



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2020 Utility Rate Information / Solid Waste-Recycling Utility

**Distribution of 2020 Solid Waste-Recycling Rate**

| <u>Rate Component</u> | <u>Utility Cost</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Utility Activity</u> |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| \$5.78                | \$1,800,000         | 30.8%             | SW Collection           |
| \$5.41                | \$1,685,930         | 28.8%             | Operations              |
| \$5.15                | \$1,600,000         | 27.4%             | Waste Disposal          |
| \$2.44                | \$760,000           | 13.0%             | Recycling Collection    |
| <b>\$18.78</b>        | <b>\$5,845,930</b>  | <b>100%</b>       |                         |

*Both SW-Recycling Collection include a CPI increase of 2.5%. Waste Disposal includes a 1% increase to the annual tonnage and the 9.3% increase in the tipping fees.*

*Operations includes, but not limited to: City/State Taxes, Salaries/benefits, Administrative overhead, Operating Reserve Fund and Property Abatement costs.*



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**Comparison of 2019 Residential SW-Recycling Rates**

|                                       |                |                 |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Renton                                | \$80.09        | Curbside        |
| Kent                                  | \$63.84        | Curbside        |
| Mercer Island                         | \$63.26        | Curbside        |
| Vancouver                             | \$62.63        | Curbside        |
| Aberdeen                              | \$56.80        | Curbside        |
| Olympia                               | \$56.23        | Curbside        |
| Mountlake Terrace                     | \$53.22        | Curbside        |
| Bellingham                            | \$52.67        | Curbside        |
| Port Angeles                          | \$41.08        | Curbside        |
| Everett                               | \$36.42        | Curbside        |
| Centralia                             | \$35.71        | Curbside        |
| Auburn                                | \$34.86        | Curbside        |
| Edmonds                               | \$33.51        | Curbside        |
| Lynnwood                              | \$33.51        | Curbside        |
| Chehalis                              | \$30.21        | Curbside        |
| Castle Rock (no mandatory collection) | \$25.28        | Drop sites      |
| Kalama                                | \$25.28        | Drop sites      |
| Woodland                              | \$25.28        | Curbside        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>       | <b>\$18.78</b> | <b>Curbside</b> |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>        | <b>\$18.41</b> | <b>Curbside</b> |
| Kelso                                 | \$15.72        | Drop sites      |

**Comparison Average (2019) \$42.20**



*Monthly rates are based on a 90 (or 95)-gallon container picked weekly*

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## Recommendations

### Contract Amendment No. 6

- Change the CPI Designated Index to U.S. City Average
- Change the CPI Index adjustment for Waste Control to 80%
- Add contract language for a Shopping Cart Retrieval Partnership Program

### Rate Resolution

- Approve the garbage-recycling rate increase of 2%
- Approve the deluxe rate for a commercial front load container



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## Questions?



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## 2020 Utility Rate Information

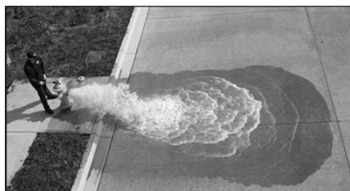
# Water



## 2020 Utility Rate Information / Water Utility

### **2020 Water Capital Projects**

| <b><u>Water Distribution Capital</u></b>              | <b><u>Amount</u></b> |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall                        | \$20,000             |
| Annual Valve Replacement                              | \$30,000             |
| Annual Main Replacement                               | \$1,100,000          |
| Reservoir Security                                    | \$50,000             |
| Large Meter Replacement                               | \$120,000            |
| Wonderware Software (SCADA) Upgrade and Redevelopment | \$50,000             |
| SCADA System – Restore Telemetry                      | \$100,000            |
| Water Master Plan/RRA/ERP (50% of cost)               | \$200,000            |
| Relocation for Road Reconstruction (Resume 2021)      | \$0                  |
| <u>LID Replacements (Resume 2022)</u>                 | <u>\$0</u>           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                          | <b>\$1,670,000</b>   |



2020 Utility Rate Information / Water Utility

## **2020 Filter Plant Projects**

| <b><u>Filter Plant Capital Projects</u></b>             | <b><u>Amount</u></b> |
|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Miscellaneous Capital Repairs                           | \$50,000             |
| Variable Frequency Drives - 3 Well Motors               | \$327,000            |
| Pressure Filters Hatches Replacement                    | \$495,000            |
| Wonderware Software (Control) Upgrade and Redevelopment | \$115,000            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                            | <b>\$987,000</b>     |



2020 Utility Rate Information / Water Utility

## **2020 Residential Water Rate Plan**

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 2015        | \$25.91             | \$1.62          | 6.5%           |                            |
| 2016        | \$27.09             | \$1.18          | 4.5%           |                            |
| 2017        | \$28.59             | \$1.50          | 5.5%           |                            |
| 2018        | \$29.26             | \$1.37          | 4.7%           |                            |
| 2019        | \$31.33             | \$1.37          | 4.5%           |                            |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$33.24</b>      | <b>\$1.91</b>   | <b>6.0%</b>    | <b>4.5%</b>                |
| 2021        | \$35.26             | \$2.02          | 6.0%           | 4.5%                       |
| 2022        | \$38.06             | \$2.80          | 8.0%           | 4.5%                       |
| 2023        | \$41.08             | \$3.02          | 8.0%           | 2.0%                       |
| 2024        | \$44.39             | \$3.31          | 8.0%           |                            |

2020 Utility Rate Information / Water Utility

## Distribution of 2020 Residential Water Rate

| <u>Rate Component</u> | <u>Revenue Generated</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Use of Income</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| \$24.83               | \$6,278,500              | 74.7 %            | Operations           |
| \$ 6.81               | \$1,726,400              | 20.5 %            | Debt Service         |
| \$ 1.60               | \$ 399,300               | 4.8 %             | Rate Funded Capital  |
| \$ 0                  | \$ 0                     | 0 %               | Depreciation         |
| <b>\$33.24</b>        | <b>\$8,404,200</b>       | <b>100%</b>       |                      |



## Comparison of 2019 Residential Water Rates

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

|                                  |                |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Castle Rock                      | \$65.24        |
| Port Angeles                     | \$50.83        |
| Mountlake Terrace                | \$47.44        |
| Bellingham                       | \$42.45        |
| Mercer Island                    | \$41.98        |
| Edmonds                          | \$41.79        |
| Centralia                        | \$40.49        |
| Woodland                         | \$39.58        |
| Kent                             | \$39.40        |
| Renton                           | \$33.71        |
| Auburn                           | \$36.45        |
| Kelso                            | \$34.58        |
| Chehalis                         | \$33.88        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>  | <b>\$33.24</b> |
| Aberdeen                         | \$31.58        |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>   | <b>\$31.33</b> |
| Lynnwood                         | \$27.99        |
| Everett                          | \$27.39        |
| Kalama                           | \$23.10        |
| Vancouver                        | \$22.99        |
| Olympia                          | \$18.62        |
| <b>Comparison Average (2019)</b> | <b>\$36.54</b> |



2020 Utility Rate Information

## Sewer



2020 Utility Rate Information / Sewer Utility

### **Proposed Depreciation Funding**

|        | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|--------|----------------|---------------|
| ▪ 2019 | 0%             |               |
| ▪ 2020 | 100%           | \$1,495,800   |
| ▪ 2021 | 100%           | \$1,590,100   |
| ▪ 2022 | 100%           | \$1,716,400   |
| ▪ 2023 | 100%           | \$1,828,900   |
| ▪ 2024 | 100%           | \$1,901,400   |



2020 Utility Rate Information / Sewer Utility

**2020 Sewer Capital Projects**

| <b><u>Capital Projects</u></b>                                                       | <b><u>Amount</u></b> |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Annual LID Projects                                                                  | \$300,000            |
| Annual Main Replacements                                                             | \$575,000            |
| Annual In-Situ Liner Projects                                                        | \$525,000            |
| 38 <sup>th</sup> & Oak PS and 38 <sup>th</sup> & Pennsylvania PS Rehab (50% of cost) | \$1,047,000          |
| Wonderware Software (SCADA) Upgrade & Redevelopment                                  | \$102,000            |
| SCADA – Restore Telemetry                                                            | \$406,000            |
| Mint Farm PS Odor Control                                                            | \$90,000             |
| OB #4 Odor Control Tank/Filter Replacement                                           | \$35,000             |
| Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall                                                       | \$20,000             |
| New Vacuum Truck – Medium Chassis (Smaller Size Unit)                                | \$205,000            |
| Road Reconstruction (Resume 2021)                                                    | \$0                  |
| PS Rehab – Various Future Stations (Resume 2021)                                     | \$0                  |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                                                         | <b>\$3,305,000</b>   |

2020 Utility Rate Information / Sewer Utility

**2020 Residential Sewer Rate Plan**

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 2015        | \$63.59             | \$3.02          | 5.0%           |                            |
| 2016        | \$64.21             | \$0.62          | 1.0%           |                            |
| 2017        | \$64.83             | \$0.62          | 1.0%           |                            |
| 2018        | \$66.14             | \$1.31          | 2.0%           |                            |
| 2019        | \$67.46             | \$1.32          | 2.0%           |                            |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$67.46</b>      | <b>\$ 0</b>     | <b>0%</b>      | <b>2.0%</b>                |
| 2021        | \$68.16             | \$0.70          | 1.0%           | 2.0%                       |
| 2022        | \$69.50             | \$1.34          | 2.0%           | 3.5%                       |
| 2023        | \$71.56             | \$2.06          | 3.0%           | 4.0%                       |
| 2024        | \$73.72             | \$2.16          | 3.0%           |                            |

2020 Utility Rate Information / Sewer Utility

### Distribution of 2020 Residential Sewer Rate

| <u>Rate Component</u> | <u>Revenue Generated</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Use of Income</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| \$17.74               | \$3,372,100              | 26.3 %            | TRWWA Operations     |
| \$ 5.94               | \$1,123,100              | 8.8 %             | TRWWA Debt Service   |
| \$28.94               | \$5,500,600              | 42.9 %            | Operations           |
| \$ 6.95               | \$1,315,200              | 10.3 %            | Debt Service         |
| \$ 0.00               | \$ 0                     | 0 %               | Rate Funded Capital  |
| \$ 7.89               | \$1,495,800              | 11.7 %            | Depreciation         |
| <b>\$67.46</b>        | <b>\$12,806,800</b>      | <b>100%</b>       |                      |



### Comparison of 2019 Residential Sewer Rates

(Based on a monthly consumption of 600 cf)

|                                  |                |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Kalama                           | \$106.15       |
| Chehalis                         | \$92.07        |
| Castle Rock                      | \$85.08        |
| Port Angeles                     | \$83.27        |
| Centralia                        | \$82.13        |
| Renton                           | \$75.24        |
| Auburn                           | \$70.50        |
| Kent                             | \$70.34        |
| Mercer Island                    | \$67.83        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>  | <b>\$67.46</b> |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>   | <b>\$67.46</b> |
| Woodland                         | \$63.49        |
| Olympia                          | \$61.28        |
| Kelso                            | \$60.74        |
| Everett                          | \$49.44        |
| Lynnwood                         | \$46.16        |
| Bellingham                       | \$44.52        |
| Edmonds                          | \$43.65        |
| Aberdeen                         | \$38.62        |
| Mountlake Terrace                | \$36.80        |
| Vancouver                        | \$33.06        |
| <b>Comparison Average (2019)</b> | <b>\$63.89</b> |



## Stormwater



### 2020 Utility Rate Information / Stormwater Utility

#### **2020 Stormwater Enhancements**

**Enhancement**

|                                                       |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Additional Urban Forestry Crew                        | \$436,700 |
| Equipment for Additional Crew (New Debt Service 2020) | \$45,800  |
| Equipment Cost = \$405,000                            |           |
| Stormwater Utility Billing and Rate Review            | \$100,000 |

**TOTAL** **\$582,500**



2020 Utility Rate Information / Stormwater Utility

**2020 Stormwater Capital Projects**

| <b><u>Capital Projects</u></b>       | <b><u>Amount</u></b> |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Beech Street Box Culvert Maintenance | \$25,000             |
| Stormwater Specialist Vehicle        | \$35,000             |
| Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall       | \$47,000             |
| Miscellaneous Stormwater Projects    | \$100,000            |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                         | <b>\$217,000</b>     |



2020 Utility Rate Information / Stormwater Utility

**2020 Residential Stormwater Rate Plan**

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>\$ Incr.</u> | <u>% Incr.</u> | <u>Previous Projection</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 2015        | \$9.09              | \$1.12          | 14.0%          |                            |
| 2016        | \$10.09             | \$0.49          | 11.0%          |                            |
| 2017        | \$11.10             | \$1.01          | 10.0%          |                            |
| 2018        | \$12.21             | \$1.11          | 10.0%          |                            |
| 2019        | \$13.68             | \$1.47          | 12.0%          |                            |
| <b>2020</b> | <b>\$14.50</b>      | <b>\$0.82</b>   | <b>6.0%</b>    | <b>8.0%</b>                |
| 2021        | \$15.30             | \$0.80          | 5.5%           | 3.0%                       |
| 2022        | \$16.07             | \$0.77          | 5.0%           | 3.0%                       |
| 2023        | \$16.55             | \$0.48          | 3.0%           | 3.0%                       |
| 2024        | \$17.05             | \$0.50          | 3.0%           | -- .                       |



2020 Utility Rate Information / Stormwater Utility

## Distribution of 2020 Residential Stormwater Rate

| <u>Rate Component</u> | <u>Revenue Generated</u> | <u>% of Total</u> | <u>Use of Income</u>              |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| \$5.52                | \$2,037,800              | 38.0 %            | Urban Forestry                    |
| \$5.49                | \$2,029,500              | 37.9 %            | Stormwater Operations             |
| \$2.14                | \$ 790,800               | 14.8 %            | NPDES Permit & Development Review |
| \$0.80                | \$ 294,400               | 5.5 %             | Debt Service                      |
| \$0.55                | \$ 203,800               | 3.8 %             | Rate Funded Capital               |
| \$0.00                | \$ 0                     | 0 %               | Depreciation                      |
| <b>\$14.50</b>        | <b>\$5,356,300</b>       | <b>100%</b>       | <b>TOTAL</b>                      |



## Comparison of 2019 Residential Stormwater Rates

|                                          |                |
|------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Everett                                  | \$24.14        |
| Auburn                                   | \$19.51        |
| Mercer Island                            | \$17.33        |
| Edmonds                                  | \$17.18        |
| Port Angeles                             | \$16.87        |
| Renton                                   | \$14.85        |
| <b>Longview (2020 Proposed)</b>          | <b>\$14.50</b> |
| Olympia                                  | \$14.05        |
| <b>Longview (2019 Current)</b>           | <b>\$13.68</b> |
| Lynnwood                                 | \$13.12        |
| Kent                                     | \$12.81        |
| Mountlake Terrace                        | \$11.45        |
| Bellingham                               | \$11.30        |
| Vancouver                                | \$10.96        |
| Centralia                                | \$10.44        |
| Kelso                                    | \$10.23        |
| Chehalis (not a stormwater permittee)    | \$9.45         |
| Castle Rock (not a stormwater permittee) | \$7.42         |
| Aberdeen                                 | \$6.69         |
| Kalama (not a stormwater permittee)      | \$5.50         |
| Woodland (not a stormwater permittee)    | \$0.00         |
| <b>Comparison Average (2019)</b>         | <b>\$13.00</b> |



## DISCUSSION

**City of Longview**  
**Water Utility**  
**Summary**

Base Case - Revised

Nov. 13

| Capital Funding               | 2020                | 2021                | 2022                | 2023                | 2024                |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Total Capital Projects</b> | <b>\$ 2,788,902</b> | <b>\$ 3,516,878</b> | <b>\$ 3,119,422</b> | <b>\$ 2,769,687</b> | <b>\$ 2,786,621</b> |
| Other Outside Sources         | 30,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| Loan Proceeds                 | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| Other Debt Proceeds           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| Revenue Bond Proceeds         | -                   | 2,730,909           | 2,157,344           | 1,467,976           | -                   |
| Use of Capital Fund Balance   | 2,758,902           | 785,969             | 962,078             | 1,301,711           | 2,786,621           |
| Direct Rate Funding           | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| <b>Total Funding Sources</b>  | <b>\$ 2,788,902</b> | <b>\$ 3,516,878</b> | <b>\$ 3,119,422</b> | <b>\$ 2,769,687</b> | <b>\$ 2,786,621</b> |

| Revenue Requirements                       | 2020                | 2021                | 2022                  | 2023                  | 2024                  |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Revenues</b>                            |                     |                     |                       |                       |                       |
| Rate Revenues Under Existing Rates         | \$ 7,928,516        | \$ 7,932,481        | \$ 7,936,447          | \$ 7,940,415          | \$ 7,944,385          |
| Non-Rate Revenues                          | 216,908             | 216,836             | 221,283               | 225,122               | 229,209               |
| <b>Total Revenues</b>                      | <b>\$ 8,145,424</b> | <b>\$ 8,149,316</b> | <b>\$ 8,157,730</b>   | <b>\$ 8,165,537</b>   | <b>\$ 8,173,594</b>   |
| <b>Expenses</b>                            |                     |                     |                       |                       |                       |
| Cash Operating Expenses - Distribution [a] | \$ 5,311,936        | \$ 5,323,938        | \$ 5,503,796          | \$ 5,692,424          | \$ 5,886,256          |
| Cash Operating Expenses - Filtration       | 966,592             | 991,190             | 1,016,366             | 1,042,135             | 1,068,467             |
| Existing Debt Service                      | 1,726,409           | 1,716,307           | 1,706,205             | 1,696,105             | 1,686,003             |
| New Debt Service                           | -                   | 221,699             | 396,833               | 604,569               | 604,569               |
| Rate-Funded CIP                            | -                   | -                   | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| <b>Rate-Funded System Reinvestment</b>     | <b>-</b>            | <b>-</b>            | <b>1,100,000</b>      | <b>1,600,000</b>      | <b>2,150,000</b>      |
| Additions to Operating Reserve             | -                   | -                   | -                     | -                     | -                     |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                      | <b>\$ 8,004,937</b> | <b>\$ 8,253,133</b> | <b>\$ 9,723,201</b>   | <b>\$ 10,635,233</b>  | <b>\$ 11,395,295</b>  |
| <b>Annual Surplus / (Deficiency)</b>       | <b>\$ 140,487</b>   | <b>\$ (103,817)</b> | <b>\$ (1,565,471)</b> | <b>\$ (2,469,696)</b> | <b>\$ (3,221,701)</b> |
| <b>Annual Rate Adjustment</b>              | <b>6.00%</b>        | <b>6.00%</b>        | <b>8.00%</b>          | <b>8.00%</b>          | <b>8.00%</b>          |
| <b>Cumulative Rate Adjustment</b>          | <b>6.00%</b>        | <b>12.36%</b>       | <b>21.35%</b>         | <b>31.06%</b>         | <b>41.54%</b>         |
| Retail Rate Revenues After Rate Increase   | \$ 8,404,227        | \$ 8,912,935        | \$ 9,630,783          | \$ 10,406,446         | \$ 11,244,581         |
| Net Cash Flow After Rate Increase          | 616,198             | 876,638             | 128,865               | (3,665)               | 78,495                |
| Coverage After Rate Increases              | n/a                 | 12.77               | 8.44                  | 6.49                  | 7.57                  |

[a] Includes impact of additional taxes due to rate increase.

| Fund Balances                   | 2020                | 2021                | 2022                | 2023                | 2024                |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Operating Fund                  | \$ 766,084          | \$ 766,455          | \$ 782,906          | \$ 779,241          | \$ 814,395          |
| Rate Stabilization Fund         | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| Capital Fund                    | 785,969             | 962,078             | 1,301,711           | 2,787,058           | 2,319,519           |
| Debt Reserve Fund               | 338,770             | 560,469             | 735,603             | 943,339             | 943,339             |
| <b>Total</b>                    | <b>\$ 1,890,824</b> | <b>\$ 2,289,001</b> | <b>\$ 2,820,220</b> | <b>\$ 4,509,638</b> | <b>\$ 4,077,253</b> |
| Combined Minimum Target Balance | \$ 866,084          | \$ 1,088,153        | \$ 1,279,739        | \$ 1,504,366        | \$ 1,518,964        |

**City of Longview**  
**Water Utility**  
**Capital Improvement Program**

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| Project Costs in Year: | 2019 |
|------------------------|------|

| No | Description                                        | Life in Years | % Growth | TOTAL COSTS          | 2020                | 2021                | 2022                | 2023                | 2024                |
|----|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|    |                                                    |               |          | \$ -                 | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                |
|    | Directional Boring Machine                         | 15            | 0%       | 130,000              | 130,000             | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Grinder Attachment for Excavator                   | 15            | 0%       | 12,000               | 12,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall                     | 15            | 0%       | 45,000               | 45,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Operations Center Upgrades (50%)                   | 40            | 0%       | 900,000              | -                   | 450,000             | 450,000             | -                   | -                   |
|    | New 2.5 YD Dump Truck                              | 15            | 0%       | 78,000               | 78,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | New Pickup - Cross Connection/Pretreatment (50%)   | 15            | 0%       | 21,000               | 21,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Annual Valve Replacement                           | 40            | 0%       | 180,000              | 30,000              | 30,000              | 30,000              | 30,000              | 30,000              |
|    | Annual Main Replacement                            | 40            | 0%       | 5,500,000            | 1,100,000           | -                   | 1,100,000           | 1,100,000           | 1,100,000           |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Road Reconstruction                                | 40            | 0%       | 600,000              | -                   | 200,000             | -                   | 200,000             | -                   |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Main Reservoir #5 Roof Replacement                 | 40            | 0%       | 1,620,000            | -                   | 1,620,000           | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Reservoir Security                                 | 40            | 0%       | 50,000               | 50,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | LID Replacements                                   | 40            | 0%       | 400,000              | -                   | -                   | 200,000             | -                   | 200,000             |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Large Meter Replacement                            | 20            | 0%       | 600,000              | 120,000             | 120,000             | 120,000             | 120,000             | 120,000             |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Water Master Plan Update                           | 10            | 0%       | 400,000              | 200,000             | 200,000             | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Niemi Booster PS Replacement                       | 40            | 0%       | 880,000              | -                   | 340,000             | 540,000             | -                   | -                   |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Fishers Lane Plant Demolition                      |               | 0%       | 1,600,000            | -                   | -                   | -                   | 800,000             | 800,000             |
|    | Wonderware Upgrade to 2017 and Re-Development      | 15            | 0%       | 50,000               | 50,000              | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | SCADA System - Phase 2 - Restore Telemetry         | 20            | 0%       | 200,000              | 100,000             | 100,000             | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | SCADA Improvements - Additional Sites              | 20            | 0%       | 200,000              | -                   | -                   | 100,000             | 100,000             | -                   |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    |                                                    |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | <b>Total Capital Projects in Current Dollars</b>   |               |          | <b>\$ 13,466,000</b> | <b>\$ 1,936,000</b> | <b>\$ 3,060,000</b> | <b>\$ 2,540,000</b> | <b>\$ 2,350,000</b> | <b>\$ 2,250,000</b> |
|    | Total Growth Related Project Costs                 |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Total Repair & Replacement Project Costs           |               |          | 13,466,000           | 1,936,000           | 3,060,000           | 2,540,000           | 2,350,000           | 2,250,000           |
|    | <b>Total Capital Projects in Escalated Dollars</b> |               |          | <b>\$ 39,311,000</b> | <b>\$ 1,936,000</b> | <b>\$ 3,213,000</b> | <b>\$ 2,800,350</b> | <b>\$ 2,720,419</b> | <b>\$ 2,734,889</b> |
|    | Total Growth Related Project Costs                 |               |          | -                    | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
|    | Total Repair & Replacement Project Costs           |               |          | 15,102,112           | 1,936,000           | 3,213,000           | 2,800,350           | 2,720,419           | 2,734,889           |

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| Cumulative Construction Cost Inflation ==> | 0.00% | 5.00% | 10.25% | 15.76% | 21.55% |
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**City of Longview**  
**Water Utility**  
**Capital Improvement Program - Filtration**

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| Project Costs in Year: | 2020 |
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| No | Description                                   | Life in Years | % Growth | TOTAL COSTS | 2020    | 2021    | 2022    | 2023   | 2024   |
|----|-----------------------------------------------|---------------|----------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|
|    | Miscellaneous Capital Repairs                 | 20            | 0%       | \$ -        | \$ -    | \$ -    | \$ -    | \$ -   | -      |
|    | Equipment Storage Building                    | 40            | 0%       | 250,000     | 50,000  | 50,000  | 50,000  | 50,000 | 50,000 |
|    | Additional Hypochlorite Tank                  | 20            | 0%       | 140,000     | -       | 140,000 | -       | -      | -      |
|    | Variable Frequency Drive Well Motors          | 20            | 0%       | 140,000     | -       | -       | 140,000 | -      | -      |
|    | Portable Safety Platform                      | 20            | 0%       | 327,000     | 327,000 | -       | -       | -      | -      |
|    | Filter Hatches Replacement                    | 15            | 0%       | 15,000      | 15,000  | -       | -       | -      | -      |
|    | Wonderware Upgrade to 2017 and Re-Development | 15            | 0%       | 495,000     | 495,000 | -       | -       | -      | -      |
|    | Liquid Oxygen Injection                       | 15            | 0%       | 115,000     | 115,000 | -       | -       | -      | -      |
|    |                                               |               |          | 300,000     | -       | 150,000 | 150,000 | -      | -      |
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| <b>Cumulative Construction Cost Inflation ==&gt;</b> | 0.00% | 5.00% | 10.25% | 15.76% | 21.55% |
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| City of Longview's Share                           | 85.120% | 2020       | 2021       | 2022       | 2023      | 2024      |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| <b>Total Capital Projects in Current Dollars</b>   |         | \$ 852,902 | \$ 289,408 | \$ 289,408 | \$ 42,560 | \$ 42,560 |
| Total Growth Related Project Costs                 |         | -          | -          | -          | -         | -         |
| Total Repair & Replacement Project Costs           |         | 852,902    | 289,408    | 289,408    | 42,560    | 42,560    |
| <b>Total Capital Projects in Escalated Dollars</b> |         | \$ 852,902 | \$ 303,878 | \$ 319,072 | \$ 49,269 | \$ 51,732 |
| Total Growth Related Project Costs                 |         | -          | -          | -          | -         | -         |
| Total Repair & Replacement Project Costs           |         | 852,902    | 303,878    | 319,072    | 49,269    | 51,732    |

**City of Longview  
Water Utility  
Capital Funding Analysis**

| <b>Summary of Expenditures</b>               | <b>2020</b>         | <b>2021</b>         | <b>2022</b>         | <b>2023</b>         | <b>2024</b>         |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>DISTRIBUTION CAPITAL PROJECTS</b>         |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Growth Related Project Costs                 | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                |
| Repair and Replacement Project Costs         | <u>1,936,000</u>    | <u>3,213,000</u>    | <u>2,800,350</u>    | <u>2,720,419</u>    | <u>2,734,889</u>    |
| <b>Total</b>                                 | <b>\$ 1,936,000</b> | <b>\$ 3,213,000</b> | <b>\$ 2,800,350</b> | <b>\$ 2,720,419</b> | <b>\$ 2,734,889</b> |
| <b>FILTRATION CAPITAL PROJECTS</b>           |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Growth Related Project Costs                 | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                |
| Repair and Replacement Project Costs         | <u>852,902</u>      | <u>303,878</u>      | <u>319,072</u>      | <u>49,269</u>       | <u>51,732</u>       |
| <b>Total</b>                                 | <b>\$ 852,902</b>   | <b>\$ 303,878</b>   | <b>\$ 319,072</b>   | <b>\$ 49,269</b>    | <b>\$ 51,732</b>    |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL SPENDING</b>                | <b>\$ 2,788,902</b> | <b>\$ 3,516,878</b> | <b>\$ 3,119,422</b> | <b>\$ 2,769,687</b> | <b>\$ 2,786,621</b> |
| <b>Capital Financing Plan</b>                | <b>2020</b>         | <b>2021</b>         | <b>2022</b>         | <b>2023</b>         | <b>2024</b>         |
| Other Outside Sources                        | \$ 30,000           |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Other Loan Proceeds - 1 LOCAL Program        |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Other Loan Proceeds - 2                      |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Other Loan Proceeds - 3                      |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Other Loan Proceeds - 4                      |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Capital Fund Balance                         | 2,758,902           | 785,969             | 962,078             | 1,301,711           | 2,786,621           |
| Revenue Bond Proceeds                        | -                   | 2,730,909           | 2,157,344           | 1,467,976           | -                   |
| Rates                                        | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL RESOURCES</b>               | <b>\$ 2,788,902</b> | <b>\$ 3,516,878</b> | <b>\$ 3,119,422</b> | <b>\$ 2,769,687</b> | <b>\$ 2,786,621</b> |
| <i>Info: Capital Contingency Deficit</i>     | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| <b>INPUT REVENUE BOND PROCEEDS =====&gt;</b> | <b>\$ 2,731,000</b> | <b>\$ 2,157,400</b> | <b>\$ 2,559,000</b> | <b>\$ -</b>         | <b>\$ -</b>         |

**WATER LINE REPLACEMENT PRIORITY**
**Nov. 4, 2019**

| PRIORITY | TYPE | CUURENT SIZE | NEW SIZE | PROJECT                              | REASON        | FOOTAGE      | cost per foot | COST ESTIMATE         |
|----------|------|--------------|----------|--------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| 1        | CI   | 6            | 8        | BEECH TO BALTIMORE 15TH & 16TH       | WATER QUALITY | 800          | \$400.00      | \$300,000.00          |
| 2        | AC   | 4            | 8        | MADRONA CASCADE WAY TO LAUREL RD     | LEAKS         | 2200         | \$400.00      | \$800,000.00          |
| 3        | CI   | 6            | 12       | BEECH 20TH TO 30TH                   | WATER QUALITY | 4600         | \$450.00      | \$2,070,000.00        |
| 4        | CI   | 6            | 8        | BEECH TO BALTIMORE 20TH & 21ST       | WATER QUALITY | 800          | \$400.00      | \$320,000.00          |
| 5        | GALV | 6            | 8        | BALTIMORE TO CYPRESS 20TH & 21ST     | WATER QUALITY | 800          | \$400.00      | \$320,000.00          |
| 6        | GALV | 6            | 8        | CYPRESS TO ALLEY BETWEEN 21ST & 22ND | WATER QUALITY | 850          | \$400.00      | \$340,000.00          |
| 7        | CI   | 6            | 8        | BEECH TO BALTIMORE 21ST & 22ND       | WATER QUALITY | 800          | \$400.00      | \$320,000.00          |
| 8        | GALV | 6            | 8        | BALTIMORE TO CYPRESS 21ST & 22ND     | WATER QUALITY | 800          | \$400.00      | \$320,000.00          |
| 9        | GALV | 6            | 8        | CYPRESS TO NICHOLS 21ST & 22ND       | WATER QUALITY | 800          | \$400.00      | \$320,000.00          |
|          |      |              |          |                                      |               | <u>12450</u> |               | <u>\$5,110,000.00</u> |

### MAIN RESERVOIR NO. 5 ROOF REPLACEMENT

- Main Reservoir No. 5 roof was inspected during the Hillcrest Reservoir Pump Station Replacement project.
- Structural inspection found numerous failures in the supporting structure.
- EPA and DOH require that reservoirs are required to be covered.
- Failure of the roof would require the reservoir to be isolated and removed from service until the roof is replaced.
- Replacing the roof is urgent, but not critical.



Reservoir Roof Structure



Roof Joist Missing Due To Failed Hangers



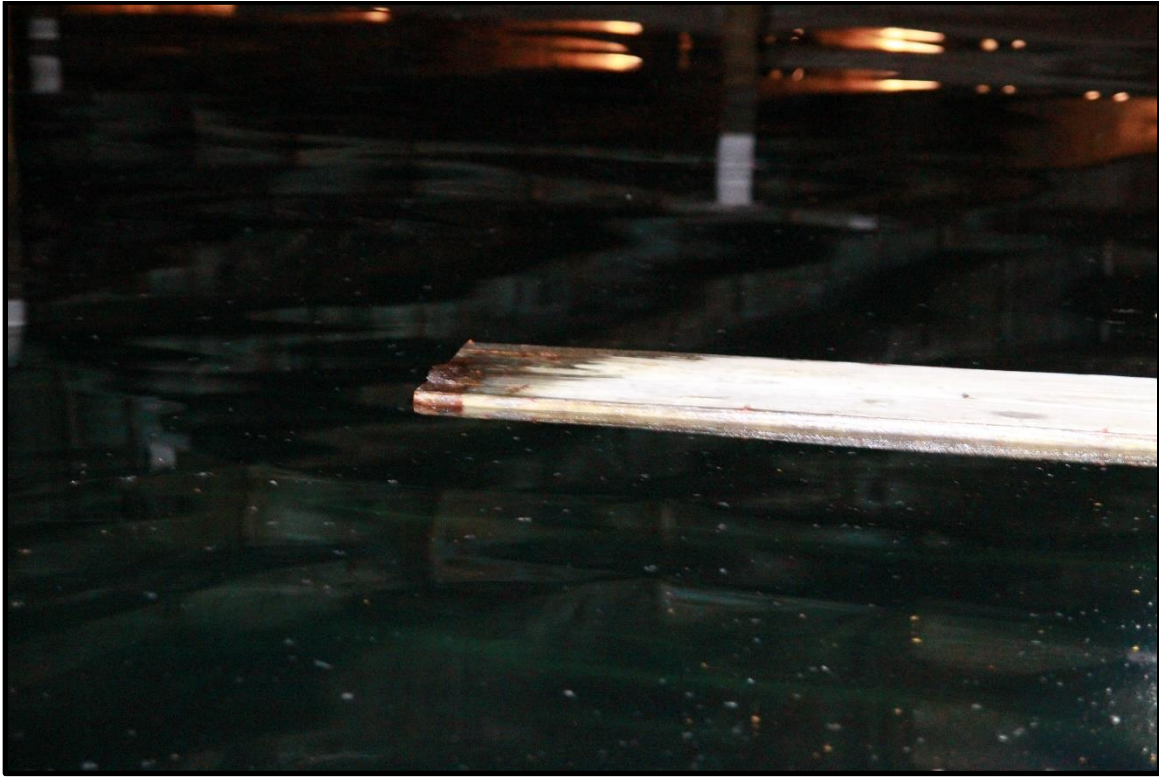
Failing Joist And Hanger



Unsupported Sheathing Due to Joist Deflection



Failing Splices and Joist



Failed Joist Floating in Reservoir

**City of Longview**  
**Sewer Utility**  
**Summary**

Nov. 6, 2019

Base Case

| Capital Funding               | 2020         | 2021         | 2022         | 2023         | 2024         |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Total Capital Projects</b> | \$ 3,335,000 | \$ 3,979,460 | \$ 5,620,776 | \$ 5,284,086 | \$ 3,592,591 |
| Other Outside Sources         | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| PWTF Loan Proceeds            | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| SRF/Other Debt Proceeds       | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| Revenue Bond Proceeds         | -            | -            | 1,236,292    | -            | 1,261,846    |
| Use of Capital Fund Balance   | 3,335,000    | 3,979,460    | 4,384,484    | 5,284,086    | 2,330,745    |
| Direct Rate Funding           | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| <b>Total Funding Sources</b>  | \$ 3,335,000 | \$ 3,979,460 | \$ 5,620,776 | \$ 5,284,086 | \$ 3,592,591 |

| Revenue Requirements                     | 2020             | 2021             | 2022             | 2023             | 2024             |
|------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>Revenues</b>                          |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Rate Revenues Under Existing Rates       | \$ 12,806,752    | \$ 12,832,365    | \$ 12,858,030    | \$ 12,883,746    | \$ 12,909,514    |
| Non-Rate Revenues                        | 250,839          | 247,531          | 248,159          | 256,305          | 256,732          |
| <b>Total Revenues</b>                    | \$ 13,057,591    | \$ 13,079,896    | \$ 13,106,189    | \$ 13,140,051    | \$ 13,166,246    |
| <b>Expenses</b>                          |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Cash Operating Expenses [a]              | \$ 9,589,776     | \$ 9,825,344     | \$ 10,013,528    | \$ 10,217,781    | \$ 10,515,666    |
| Existing Debt Service                    | 1,315,189        | 1,317,226        | 1,315,435        | 1,316,548        | 1,313,833        |
| New Debt Service                         | -                | -                | 386,410          | 386,410          | 611,275          |
| Rate-Funded CIP                          | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <b>Rate-Funded System Reinvestment</b>   | <b>1,495,818</b> | <b>1,590,118</b> | <b>1,716,368</b> | <b>1,828,868</b> | <b>1,901,368</b> |
| Additions to Operating Reserve           | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                    | \$ 12,400,783    | \$ 12,732,688    | \$ 13,431,741    | \$ 13,749,606    | \$ 14,342,142    |
| <b>Annual Surplus / (Deficiency)</b>     | \$ 656,808       | \$ 347,208       | \$ (325,552)     | \$ (609,555)     | \$ (1,175,896)   |
| <b>Annual Rate Adjustment</b>            | <b>0.00%</b>     | <b>1.00%</b>     | <b>2.00%</b>     | <b>3.00%</b>     | <b>3.00%</b>     |
| <b>Cumulative Rate Adjustment</b>        | <b>0.00%</b>     | <b>1.00%</b>     | <b>3.02%</b>     | <b>6.11%</b>     | <b>9.29%</b>     |
| Retail Rate Revenues After Rate Increase | \$ 12,806,752    | \$ 12,960,689    | \$ 13,246,342    | \$ 13,671,020    | \$ 14,109,313    |
| Net Cash Flow After Rate Increase        | 656,808          | 475,532          | 62,761           | 177,719          | 23,904           |
| Coverage After Rate Increases            | 7.47             | 7.23             | 4.10             | 4.38             | 3.56             |

[a] Includes impact of additional taxes due to rate increase.

| Fund Balances                   | 2020         | 2021         | 2022         | 2023         | 2024         |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Operating Fund                  | \$ 1,179,071 | \$ 1,209,942 | \$ 1,230,303 | \$ 1,251,127 | \$ 1,275,031 |
| Rate Stabilization Fund         | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
| Capital Fund                    | 6,131,535    | 4,384,484    | 5,445,165    | 2,330,745    | 3,531,136    |
| Debt Reserve Fund               | 485,892      | 485,892      | 872,302      | 872,302      | 1,097,167    |
| <b>Total</b>                    | \$ 7,796,497 | \$ 6,080,318 | \$ 7,547,770 | \$ 4,454,174 | \$ 5,903,333 |
| Combined Minimum Target Balance | \$ 1,764,963 | \$ 1,795,834 | \$ 2,202,605 | \$ 2,223,429 | \$ 2,477,007 |

**City of Longview  
Sewer Utility  
Capital Improvement Program**

|                        |      |
|------------------------|------|
| Project Costs in Year: | 2019 |
|------------------------|------|

| No | Description                                              | Life in Years | % Growth | TOTAL COSTS   | 2020         | 2021         | 2022         | 2023         | 2024         |
|----|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|    |                                                          |               |          | \$ -          | -            |              |              | \$ -         |              |
|    | Annual LID Projects                                      | 40            | 0%       | 1,200,000     | 300,000      | -            | 300,000      | -            | 300,000      |
|    | Annual Main Replacements                                 | 40            | 0%       | 4,075,000     | 575,000      | 500,000      | 500,000      | 500,000      | 500,000      |
|    | Annual In-Situ Liner Projects                            | 40            | 0%       | 3,400,000     | 525,000      | 475,000      | 400,000      | 400,000      | 400,000      |
|    | Road Reconstruction                                      | 40            | 0%       | 1,800,000     | -            | 400,000      | 200,000      | 400,000      |              |
|    | Emergency Power                                          | 40            | 0%       | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | PS Rehab: Various Future Stations                        | 40            | 0%       | 8,000,000     |              | 500,000      | 1,500,000    | 1,500,000    | 1,500,000    |
|    | 38th Ave PS Rehab (at Oak & at Penn)                     | 40            | 0%       | 2,094,000     | 1,047,000    | 1,047,000    | -            | -            | -            |
|    | Wonderware Upgrade to 2017 Version                       | 10            | 0%       | 102,500       | 102,500      | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | SCADA Phase 2 - Resolve Telemetry                        | 20            | 0%       | 406,000       | 406,000      |              |              | -            | -            |
|    | SCADA Implementation - Additional Sites                  | 40            | 0%       | 800,000       |              | 200,000      | 200,000      | 200,000      | 200,000      |
|    | Lagoons - Fill per DOE; 1-foot minimum; One-Half of Area | 40            | 0%       | 3,200,000     | -            | 200,000      | 1,500,000    | 1,500,000    | -            |
|    | Mint Farm PS Odor Control                                | 20            | 0%       | 90,000        | 90,000       | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | OB #4 Odor Control Tank/Filter Replacement               | 20            | 0%       | 35,000        | 35,000       | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | Operations Center Upgrades (Sewer 50%)                   | 40            | 0%       | 900,000       | -            | 450,000      | 450,000      | -            | -            |
|    | Vehicle Depreciation Shortfall                           | 15            | 0%       | 20,000        | 20,000       | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | New Pickup - Cross Connection/Pretreatment (50%)         | 15            | 0%       | 21,000        | 21,000       |              |              | -            | -            |
|    | New Vacuum Truck - Medium Chassis                        | 15            | 0%       | 205,000       | 205,000      | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | Walk Behind Concrete Saw Replacement                     | 15            | 0%       | 8,500         | 8,500        | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    |                                                          |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | Total Capital Projects in Current Dollars                |               |          | \$ 26,357,000 | \$ 3,335,000 | \$ 3,772,000 | \$ 5,050,000 | \$ 4,500,000 | \$ 2,900,000 |
|    | Total Growth Related Project Costs                       |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | Total Repair & Replacement Project Costs                 |               |          | 26,357,000    | 3,335,000    | 3,772,000    | 5,050,000    | 4,500,000    | 2,900,000    |
|    | Total Capital Projects in Escalated Dollars              |               |          | \$ 68,596,000 | \$ 3,335,000 | \$ 3,979,460 | \$ 5,620,776 | \$ 5,284,086 | \$ 3,592,591 |
|    | Total Growth Related Project Costs                       |               |          | -             | -            | -            | -            | -            | -            |
|    | Total Repair & Replacement Project Costs                 |               |          | 31,085,360    | 3,335,000    | 3,979,460    | 5,620,776    | 5,284,086    | 3,592,591    |

|                                                      |       |       |        |        |        |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Cumulative Construction Cost Inflation ==&gt;</b> | 0.00% | 5.50% | 11.30% | 17.42% | 23.88% |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|

**City of Longview  
Sewer Utility  
Capital Funding Analysis**

| <b>Summary of Expenditures</b>               | <b>2020</b>         | <b>2021</b>         | <b>2022</b>         | <b>2023</b>         | <b>2024</b>         |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>CAPITAL PROJECTS</b>                      |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Growth Related Project Costs                 | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                | \$ -                |
| Repair and Replacement Project Costs         | <u>3,335,000</u>    | <u>3,979,460</u>    | <u>5,620,776</u>    | <u>5,284,086</u>    | <u>3,592,591</u>    |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL SPENDING</b>                | <b>\$ 3,335,000</b> | <b>\$ 3,979,460</b> | <b>\$ 5,620,776</b> | <b>\$ 5,284,086</b> | <b>\$ 3,592,591</b> |
| <b>Capital Financing Plan</b>                | <b>2020</b>         | <b>2021</b>         | <b>2022</b>         | <b>2023</b>         | <b>2024</b>         |
| Other Outside Sources                        |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| PWTF Loan Proceeds - 1                       |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| PWTF Loan Proceeds - 2                       |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Other Loan Proceeds - 1                      |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Other Loan Proceeds - 2                      |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| Capital Fund Balance                         | 3,335,000           | 3,979,460           | 4,384,484           | 5,284,086           | 2,330,745           |
| Revenue Bond Proceeds                        | -                   | -                   | 1,236,292           | -                   | 1,261,846           |
| Rates                                        | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            | <u>-</u>            |
| <b>TOTAL CAPITAL RESOURCES</b>               | <b>\$ 3,335,000</b> | <b>\$ 3,979,460</b> | <b>\$ 5,620,776</b> | <b>\$ 5,284,086</b> | <b>\$ 3,592,591</b> |
| <i>Info: Capital Contingency Deficit</i>     | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   | -                   |
| <b>INPUT REVENUE BOND PROCEEDS =====&gt;</b> | <b>\$ -</b>         | <b>\$ -</b>         | <b>\$ 4,760,000</b> | <b>\$ -</b>         | <b>\$ 2,770,000</b> |

## STORMWATER UTILITY RATE MODEL 2019-24 -- NEW UF CREW AND PROGRAM ENHANCEMENTS

| <u>Program Enhancements</u>                                     |  | 2020               | 2021               | 2022               | 2023               | 2024               |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Additional Stormwater (Sidewalk) Maintenance Crew               |  | 346,294            | 356,683            | 367,383            | 378,405            | 389,757            |
| Merit Step for Mike Ward                                        |  | 3,300              | 3,300              | 3,300              | 3,300              | 3,300              |
| New Urban Forestry Crew (Labor)                                 |  | 261,611            | 269,459            | 277,543            | 285,869            | 294,445            |
| New Urban Forestry Crew (Supplies)                              |  | 52,000             | 53,560             | 55,167             | 56,822             | 58,526             |
| New Urban Forestry Crew (Services)                              |  | 123,090            | 126,783            | 130,586            | 134,504            | 138,539            |
| Stormwater Utility Review Contract                              |  | 100,000            |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Watershed Planning Permit Requirement                           |  |                    | 100,000            | 100,000            |                    |                    |
| Stormwater Infrastructure Master Plan                           |  |                    |                    | 200,000            |                    |                    |
| TOTAL PROGRAM ENHANCEMENTS                                      |  | 886,295            | 909,785            | 1,133,979          | 858,900            | 884,568            |
| <u>CIP List</u>                                                 |  | 2020               | 2021               | 2022               | 2023               | 2024               |
| <del>CIP 1978 Beech Street Culvert Replacement (CIP 1978)</del> |  | <del>249,463</del> | <del>249,463</del> | <del>249,463</del> | <del>249,463</del> | <del>249,463</del> |
| Misc Stormwater Capital                                         |  | 100,000            | 103,000            | 106,090            | 109,273            | 112,551            |
| Mint Valley PS Open Channel                                     |  |                    | 140,000            |                    |                    |                    |
| SCADA System Phase 2                                            |  |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| SCADA for Pump Stations                                         |  |                    | 50,000             | 50,000             | 50,000             |                    |
| Vehicle Replacement Supplemental Funding                        |  | 47,000             |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Street Sweeper Replacement                                      |  |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Add'l Crew Equipment                                            |  |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| New Urban Forestry Crew (Equipment)                             |  | 45,815             | 45,815             | 45,815             | 45,815             | 45,815             |
| Stormwater Specialist Vehicle                                   |  | 35,000             |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Beech Street Box Culvert Maintenance                            |  | 25,000             | 25,750             | 26,523             | 27,318             | 28,138             |
| TOTAL CIP PROJECTS                                              |  | 252,815            | 364,565            | 228,428            | 232,406            | 186,504            |