



State of Washington

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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March 4, 2021

MARK RIGOS
NORTH BEND, CITY OF
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NORTH BEND WA 98045

RE: North Bend, City of ID# 60100
King County
Water System Plan Approval
Submittal #20-0303

Dear Mr. Rigos:

The City of North Bend water system plan (WSP), received in this office on March 18, 2020, with subsequent submittals on September 23, 2020, December 23, 2020, and February 24, 2021 have been reviewed and in accordance with the provisions of WAC 246-290-100, is hereby **APPROVED**.

Approval of this WSP is valid as it relates to current standards outlined in Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 246-290 revised January 2017, WAC 246-293 revised September 1997, RCW 70.116, and is subject to the qualifications herein. Future revisions in the rules and statutes may be more stringent and require facility modification or corrective action. This document requested and received approval for a period of not more than 5 years. An approved update of this WSP is required on or before **March 4, 2026** unless ODW requests an update or plan amendment pursuant to WAC 246-290-100(9).

APPROVED NUMBER OF CONNECTIONS

The analysis provided in this WSP shows the water system has sufficient capacity to meet the growth projections during this planning period. The City of North Bend water system can support an “**unspecified**” designation for its approved number of connections. A specific number of approved connections will not be applied at this time. Development may occur in compliance with the schedule and information provided in this WSP. This designation may be rescinded (and replaced with a specified number of approved connections) if ODW determines that the WSP is no longer representative of system activities.



LOCAL GOVERNMENT CONSISTENCY

This document meets local government consistency requirements of the City of North Bend and King County for WSP approval pursuant to RCW 90.03.386 and RCW 43.20. The WSP was adopted by the King County Council on February 12, 2021 and King County Utilities Technical Review Committee affirmed that subsequent noted above and did not indicate a need to change their previous ordinance or local government consistency statement.

SERVICE AREA AND DUTY TO SERVE

Pursuant to RCW 90.03.386(2), the service area identified in this WSP service area map may now represent an expanded “place of use” for this system’s water rights. Changes in service area should be made through a WSP amendment.

The City of North Bend has a duty to provide new water service within its retail service area. This WSP includes service policies to describe how your system plans to provide new service within your retail service area.

CONSTRUCTION WAIVERS

Standard Construction Specifications for distribution main extensions in this WSP are approved. Consistent with WAC 246-290-125(2), this system may proceed with the installation of distribution main extensions provided this system completes and keeps on file the enclosed construction completion report form in accordance with WAC 246-290-125(2) and WAC 246-290-120(5) and makes it available for review upon request by ODW.

WATER RESOURCES

Below is the general regulatory language that applies to all water system approvals:

The department’s review of your water system plan will not confer or guarantee any right to a specific quantity of water. The plan identifies growth projections and plans using a five-year development schedule. The plan indicates your water system has adequate water quantity to fulfill this growth. The Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) has reviewed the plan, including all subsequent submittals noted above, for water resource availability. However, if Ecology, a local planning agency, or other authority responsible for determining water rights and water system adequacy determines that you have use of less water than you represented, the planned growth may need to be reduced or delayed commensurate with the actual amount of available water and your legal right to use it.

The department’s review of your water system plan will not confer or guarantee any right to a specific quantity of water. The approved number of service connections is based on your representation of available water quantity. If the Washington Department of Ecology, a local planning agency, or other authority responsible for determining water rights and water system

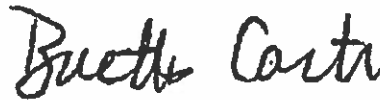
adequacy determines that you have use of less water than you represented, the number of approved connections may be reduced commensurate with the actual amount of water and your legal right to use it.

Thank you for your cooperation. King County is being notified of the terms and requirements of this approval and the determination of the approved number of connections. If you have any questions or wish to check our records, you may contact either of us at the numbers listed below.

Sincerely,



Richard Rodriguez
Regional Planner
(253) 395-6771



Brietta Carter, P.E.
Regional Engineer
(253) 395-6770

Encl: Construction Completion Report

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CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION REPORT FOR DISTRIBUTION MAIN PROJECTS

In accordance with WAC 246-290-120(5), a *Construction Completion Report* is required for all construction projects. Under the submittal exception process for distribution main projects, designed by a professional engineer but not submitted to DOH for approval, the report does not need to be submitted. **However, the purveyor must keep the Construction Completion Report on file and make it available for review upon request by DOH in accordance with WAC 246-290-125 (2)(b).** Furthermore:

- (1) The report form must bear the seal, date and signature of a professional engineer (PE) licensed in the state of Washington; and
- (2) Per WAC 246-290-120(5)(c), the amount of change in the physical capacity of a system must be documented, if the project results in a change in physical capacity.

NORTH BEND, CITY OF

Name of Water System

KRAIG KRAMER

Name of Purveyor (Owner or System Contact)

PO BOX 896

Mailing Address

NORTHBEND, WA 98045

City State Zip

DOH System ID No.: **60100**

Date Water System Plan that includes

Standard Construction Specifications

Date Standard Specifications

Approved by DOH: **3/4/2021**

PROJECT NAME AND DESCRIPTIVE TITLE:

(Include the name of any development project and number of services.) Date Project or Portions Thereof Completed

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The undersigned professional engineer (PE), or his/her authorized agent, has inspected the above-described project that, as to layout, size and type of pipe, valves and materials, and other designed physical facilities, has been constructed and is substantially completed in accordance with construction documents reviewed by the purveyor's engineer. In the opinion of the undersigned engineer, the installation, physical testing procedures, water quality tests, and disinfection practices were carried out in accordance with state regulations and principles of standard engineering practice.

I have reviewed the disinfection procedures, pressure test results, and results of the bacteriological test(s) for this project and certify that they comply with the requirements of the construction standards/specifications approved by DOH.



Date Signed _____

Name of Engineering Firm _____

Name of PE Acknowledging Construction _____

Mailing Address _____

City State Zip

Engineer's Signature _____

State/Federal Funding Type (if any) _____

Please keep a completed, signed, and stamped copy on file.

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