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Sewage Treatment Capacity Charge
Effective January 1, 2014

What is the Capacity Charge?
The sewage treatment capacity charge is a charge in addition to sewer service billed to those customers who connected to the sanitary sewage system on or after Feb. 1, 1990.

Why Do We Have a Capacity Charge?
To protect public health and the environment, King County's wastewater treatment system must keep pace with growth in our region. That means building more pipes, pump stations, and treatment plants.

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