



## **King Conservation District**

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### **Sara Hemphill named interim Executive Director of the King Conservation District**

RENTON--Sara Hemphill has been named interim Executive Director of the King Conservation District (King CD) by the district's Board of Supervisors. She replaces Jeffrey Possinger, who resigned in December 2009.

Hemphill has been a consultant to the King CD for the past five years. During the interim period she will continue to serve as the district's lead legislative strategist, lobbyist, internal and external facilitator in addition to other management duties.

"Sara brings the unique blend of extensive career experience, and knowledge of the district, to this position," said King CD Board President Bill Knutsen. "She will play an important role in furthering the district's goals and objectives during this transition."

Hemphill has over 30 years experience working with both public and private sector clients to facilitate and promote resource related joint ventures and public/private regulatory compliance interface. As principal of Sustainable Solutions, she has consulted for the past 18 years on projects relating to water, land and natural resource management issues.

She has a J.D. degree from the University of Denver and L.L.M., and MBA degrees and Mediation certification from University of Washington.

#### **About the King Conservation District**

The King CD provides information and technical assistance programs that are available to all landowners within the district's boundaries on a voluntary, non-regulatory basis. It is hands-on, site specific, action and results oriented; and it initiates community outreach activities that include workshops, education programs, site visits, farm plans, and consultation on land, water, and wildlife management.

For more information on the King Conservation District, visit [www.kingcd.org](http://www.kingcd.org)

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