



## One Road to 70% Recycling

Modeled Expected  
Increase  
in Recycling Rate

### Single Family Generator

4.4%

| <u>Tool</u>                   | <u>Status / Need</u>  |
|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>Infrastructure</b>         |   |
| Recycling collection          | Available county-wide   |
| Food collection               | Available county-wide, mixed with yard waste. 72% participation   |
| Embedded YW                   | 35% of cities have adopted. YW banned at curb in City/County  |
| Every-other-week              | Renton - only city to have implemented EOW garbage collection   |
| <b>Education</b>              |   |
| Regional/City/County/Hauler   | Focus has been on voluntary efforts<br>Many efforts implemented to try and increase recycling   |
| Regional education            | Develop stepped regional 2-5 year campaign leading to ban   |
| <b>Mandatory Requirements</b> |   |
| Ban disposal of recyclables   | Determine who enacts: City/County @ curb or County @ stations<br>Determine who will enforce: Hauler or City/County staff<br>Determine enforcement funding mechanism |
| Ban disposal of organics      |   |
| <b>Enforce Ban</b>            |   |
| New education focus           | Implement and enforce ban<br>- warnings, tags, fines  |

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### Multi-family Generator

3.6%

| <u>Tool</u>                   | <u>Status / Need</u>   |
|-------------------------------|--|
| <b>Infrastructure</b>         |  |
| Recycling collection          | Assess current code requirements<br>Amend code as needed<br>On site assessment City/County/Hauler:<br>space, container capacity, frequency, signage                          |
| Food Collection               | Minimal infrastructure in place. Build infrastructure<br>Issaquah and Bellevue only cities to embed rates<br>Kirkland and Redmond programmatic emphasis and/or subsidization |
| <b>Education</b>              |  |
| City/County outreach          | Focus has been on voluntary efforts<br>MF targeted efforts implemented with mixed results  |
| Regional education            | Develop stepped regional 2-5 year campaign leading to ban  |
| <b>Mandatory Requirements</b> |  |
| Ban disposal of recyclables   | Determine who enacts: City/County at curbside or County at stations<br>Determine who will enforce: Hauler or City/County staff<br>Determine enforcement funding mechanism    |
| Ban disposal of organics      | Ban timed with availability of collection infrastructure   |
| <b>Enforce Ban</b>            |  |
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| Non-Residential               |   | 7.9% |
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| <u>Tool</u>                   | <u>Status / Need</u>  |      |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>         |   |      |
| Recycling Collection          | Services widely available<br>49% of cities include in their recycling contracts   |      |
| Food Collection               | Developing infrastructure. Rely largely on private sector to implement<br>Bellevue only city to embed in recycling contract |      |
| <b>Education</b>              |   |      |
| City outreach                 | Focus has been on voluntary efforts<br>Some outreach and technical assistance   |      |
| Hauler outreach               | Provided to their customers   |      |
| Regional technical assistance | Implement regional/local Business Resource Venture outreach   |      |
| Regional education            | Develop stepped regional 2-5 year campaign leading to ban   |      |
| <b>Mandatory Requirements</b> |   |      |
| Ban disposal of recyclables   | Determine who will enforce: Hauler or City/County staff   |      |
| Ban disposal of organics      | Determine enforcement funding mechanism   |      |
| <b>Enforce Ban</b>            |   |      |
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| <b>Self-Haul</b>              |  | 4.9% |
|-------------------------------|--|------|
| <u>Tool</u>                   | <u>Status / Need</u>   |      |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>         |  |      |
| Collection where feasible     | Yardwaste (BL,CF,E, SH), wood (BL, E, SH)<br>metal ((BL,E, SH, V), cardboard (all except A, Fac)         |      |
| Recovery                      | Recovery of wood, metal, cardboard at Shoreline, Enumclaw  |      |
| Expand collection             | Additional materials - Styrofoam, mattress, tires at new and existing facilities where there is capacity |      |
| New infrastructure            | Yardwaste, wood, metal, cardboard at Factoria, SC, NE  |      |
| <b>Education</b>              |  |      |
| County outreach               | Low level outreach to self-haul customers  |      |
| County outreach               | Enhance education with self-haul customers   |      |
| Staff and Support training    | Train all SWD staff on recycling to enhance interaction with self-haul                                   |      |
| Ban Education                 | Develop station by station education campaign for ban  |      |
| <b>Mandatory Requirements</b> |  |      |
| Ban Phase 1 materials         | Wood, organics, curbside materials, metal  |      |
| Ban Phase 2 materials         | Mattress, carpet, asphalt shingles, tires as stations come on line                                       |      |
| <b>Enforce Ban</b>            |  |      |
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