

Who is on SWAC?

- People who live outside the cities of Seattle and Milton and who use solid waste services - such as transfer station customers or people who have curbside collection of garbage and recyclables
- Recycling industry
- Labor unions' representatives
- Local elected officials
- A marketing expert
- Public interest groups
- A manufacturer located in King County
- Waste management industry

King County seeks to create an inclusive and accessible environment for individuals who wish to serve on King County board and committees and strives to ensure that King County board and commissions are reflective of the communities we serve.

What does SWAC do for King County?

- They give feedback to the County Executive and County Council on proposed council actions involving solid waste and recycling issues
- They assist the county in the development of solid waste and recycling programs and policies
- They read and provide comments on proposed policies, ordinances and plans before they are adopted

What does King County provide to SWAC?

- An orientation to solid waste and recycling issues
- Staff support at meetings

What abilities do we look for in a SWAC volunteer?

We look for qualities, not just credentials. We look for individuals who are:

- Interested in solid waste and recycling issues
- Able to regularly attend monthly meetings and read materials in preparation for meetings
- Willing to commit to a three-year term (limit of two consecutive terms)

How often are meetings and where are they held?

- Meetings are held on the third Friday of every month from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.
- Meetings are held in downtown Seattle, near the Seahawks Stadium. We provide free parking and snacks. Childcare is not provided.

More information about SWAC is available at:

Your.kingcounty.gov/solidwaste/about/swac.asp

For an application or to ask questions you may also contact the Solid Waste Division's SWAC Staff Liaison at: Diane.yates@kingcounty.gov or 206-477-5212

We welcome your involvement and look forward to hearing from you!



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