



KING COUNTY COUNCIL DISTRICT 3

Councilmember Kathy Lambert

A few ways King Conservation District supports on-the-ground work:

- 85% of our funding supports urban and rural conservation partnerships
- The annual assessment serves as match to leverage other funding
- Assessment funds cross boundaries and fund programs county-wide
- This funding covers costs and activities that many other sources cannot
- The **stability** of assessment funding has allowed multi-year projects

Do You Know?

Over the last 3 years approximately \$3 million assessment dollars were spent in District 3

Two examples of King CD at work in your district...



Community-Based Stewardship

Cory Huskinson is just one example of a landowner working with the King CD. With King CD assistance, Cory fenced livestock out of a creek and has improved wildlife habitat throughout his property. Cory was so pleased with the results that he started connecting his neighbors with the King CD. Three neighbors have completed creek planting projects with King CD assistance, and two others are planning creek planting projects for the coming year. King CD grant funding has also supported field trips to Cory's property, providing education to over 100 students. That's the power of community-based stewardship!

Zaccuse Creek

This King CD grant for **\$60,000** helped restore fish passage to upstream reaches by removing approximately 165 feet of culvert near the mouth of Zaccuse Creek. In three critical places, the old culverts were removed and the bottom of the channel was lined with a cobble-rich clean gravel mix. King CD staff and crews have also installed over 300 native trees and shrubs along 4,300 square feet of newly daylighted Zaccuse Creek.



The Zaccuse Creek Daylighting project successfully daylighted nearly 200 feet of stream at the mouth of Zaccuse Creek