



If annexation occurs, who would provide services in the potential annexation area?

If annexation occurs, there will be some changes in who provides services to residents of the Potential Annexation Area (PAA). This matrix provides an overview of who the service provider is currently and who the provider would be if annexation occurs. All services would not change immediately; rather they may be transitioned over a period of time. The exact time for transitioning services is currently unknown and depends on many factors including laws, procedures, type of service, and needs.

Service	Current Provider	If Annexed to the City of Kirkland	Notes/Comments
Administration (Executive and Legislative Branch)	King County Executive and Metropolitan King County Council	City of Kirkland (Elected 7 seat City Council with appointed City Manager)	Council seats elected "at large"
Police Services	King County Sheriff	City of Kirkland Police Department	
Court Services	King County District Court (felonies, misdemeanors, juvenile services, small claims, traffic and parking infractions)	City of Kirkland Municipal Court (misdemeanors, traffic and parking infractions) King County District Court (felonies, juvenile services, small claims)	
Fire Protection and Emergency Medical Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> King County Fire District #41 (currently contracting with the City of Kirkland) King County Fire District #34 (currently contracting with City of Redmond) Woodinville Fire and Life Safety District 	City of Kirkland Fire and Emergency Medical Services	No noticeable change for residents in the PAA
Land Use Planning and Zoning	King County Development and Environmental Services (DDES)	City of Kirkland Department of Planning and Community Development (PCD)	
Building Code Review and Inspection	King County DDES	City of Kirkland PCD	
Roads/Streets (Public Works)	King County Department of Transportation	City of Kirkland Public Works Department	
Surface Water Management	King County Water and Land Resources Division	City of Kirkland Public Works Department	



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Parks Maintenance:			
Big Finn Hill Park	King County	No Change	
O.O. Denny Park	Finn Hill Parks District	No Change	
Private Parks	Private Owners—Home Owner Associations	No Change	
All Other Parks	King County	City of Kirkland Parks and Community Services	
Recreation Programs	None	City of Kirkland Parks and Community Services	
Human Services	King County Human Services Department and private non-profit agencies	City of Kirkland Parks and Community Services through contracts with private non-profit agencies	
Garbage Collection	Private hauler—currently Allied Waste Services (Rabanco) or Waste Management	City of Kirkland contract hauler—currently Waste Management	Transition time to be determined
Yard Waste	Provided at an extra cost	Included in monthly garbage fees	
Recycling	Included in monthly garbage fees for those registered for pick up	Included in monthly garbage fees	
Cable	Comcast and Millennium Digital Media (King County franchise agreements)	No Change (City of Kirkland franchise agreements)	Transition time to be determined
Water and Sewer	Northshore Utility District and Woodinville Water District	No Change	
Gas/Electric Service	Puget Power	No Change	
Phone Service	Personal Choice	No Change	
Library	King County Library System	No Change	
K-12 Schools	Lake Washington School District and Northshore School District	No Change	
Transit/Bus Services	King County Metro and Sound Transit	No Change	
Animal control	King County Animal Control	No Change	