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Dear Ballard Water & Sewer District resident,

Ballard City is currently conducting a study in efforts to update the City’s wastewater system master plan. A sanitary sewer master plan evaluates the system facilities, practices, programs, policies and improvements needed to provide and maintain adequate sewer service now and in the future.

There are several maintenance projects and programs to ensure the sanitary sewer system continues to operate effectively and efficiently, and to renew the aging infrastructure.

On-site wastewater treatment systems in the Ballard Water and Sewer District (BWSD) area are of concern. Soil conditions within the BWSD area are known to be highly susceptible to cause failure in leach fields due to low percolating soils, high ground water tables, and shallow sandstone/bedrock.

As a result, the BWSD is conducting the following survey to identify problematic on-site wastewater treatment systems, which could possibly be solved by expansion of the District’s gravity sanitary sewer system.

The following survey is voluntary and will be used for the sole purpose of identifying capital improvement projects within the District. Please complete the survey and return in the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

BWSD appreciates your assistance in this matter. Thank you for your interest in maintaining healthy solutions in BWSD wastewater disposal methods. If feasible, participation in the survey could possibly promote construction of a gravity sewer system near your home and/or business!

Best regards,

Mark Reidhead, Chairman

Ballard Water & Sewer Improvement District

1. Is there a septic system on your property?

🞎 Yes 🞎 No

1. How old is your septic system (in years)?

🞎 1-10 🞎 10-15 🞎 15-20 🞎 20 – 25 🞎 I don’t know

1. Approximately how many feet from a gravity sewer system is your septic system located?

🞎 50-75 🞎 75-100 🞎 100-200 🞎 200-300 🞎 300-600 🞎 600 – 1000 🞎 Greater than 1000 feet

1. Is the property used year-round or seasonally?

🞎 Year-Round 🞎 Seasonal

1. If you are a seasonal Ballard resident, how many months out of the year do you spend in your home?

🞎 1 🞎 2 🞎 3 🞎 4 🞎 5 🞎 6 🞎 7 🞎 8 🞎 9 🞎 10 🞎 11 🞎 12

1. In what condition is your septic system?

🞎 Good 🞎 Moderate 🞎 Poor 🞎 I don’t know

1. Do you have any problems with your septic system (odors, surface discharge, clogging)?

🞎 Yes 🞎 No

1. Have you made any repairs to your septic system?

🞎 Yes 🞎 No 🞎 If yes, how frequent are you making repairs?

🞎 Monthly 🞎 Twice Annually 🞎 Annually 🞎 Bi-Annually

🞎 More than every 5 years

1. How often do you have your septic system tank pumped?

🞎 Every 1-3 years 🞎 Every 3-5 years 🞎 Every 10 years 🞎 Never

1. What size lot do you own?

🞎 ¼ acre 🞎 ½ acre 🞎 1 acre 🞎 greater than 1 acre

1. How far from a lake, pond, river course, or irrigation ditch is your on-site system located?

🞎 10-20 feet 🞎 20-50 feet 🞎 50-75 feet 🞎 75-100 feet 🞎 greater than 100 feet

1. What is your drinking water source?

🞎 Dug Well 🞎 Drilled Well 🞎 Public Water 🞎 Bottled Water 🞎 I don’t know

1. How many bedrooms does your home/cottage have?

🞎 1 🞎 2 🞎 3 🞎 More than 3

1. How many people typically occupy your lot? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Which of the following water-using machines do you have in your dwelling?

🞎 Washing Machine 🞎 Garbage Disposal 🞎 Dishwasher 🞎 Water Softener

Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you have a reserve location on your property, in the event the systems fails, that could be reconstructed in a new location? \_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Other Comments (optional):
3. Home or Business Address (optional):

Note: Disclosing the address of problem on-site wastewater disposal system may influence capital sanitary sewer projects within various locations within the BWSD boundary.