

**Bobbi Wallace**

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**Bobbi Wallace** is the Maintenance and Operations Manager for the Storm and Wastewater Divisions for the City of Kirkland, Public Works Department. She chaired the American Public Works Association (APWA) WA Chapter, Wastewater Committee for 5 years and supported the Washington State Pretreatment Professional Group to join with APWA, significantly increasing the number of wastewater professionals working together in APWA. She led the committee to establish the first *APWA - Grease Summit* and has been working to establish the Washington State Preferred Pumper Program.

Ms. Wallace started her employment with the City of Kirkland in 2006. Prior to that, she was the Maintenance and Facilities Manager for the King County, Wash. Parks and Recreation Department for 10 years. She worked for the City of Seattle for 14 years in various positions including managing the North Division Parks Systems, Resources Section and supervising concrete crews and street maintenance for the Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT). She was appointed by the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture to sit on the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council and has received various awards, including the *Seattle Management Awards* (SMA) for Innovation; *Kirkland Director Embodiment Award* for Efficiency and her Division received the *King County Dr. Martin Luther King Award* for valuing diversity in the workplace.

Ms. Wallace received her certificate for completion of the Cascade Public Executive Program with the University of Washington's Cascade Center for Public Service.