

Jeffrey Kent

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Jeff Kent is the Financial Manager of the Fairfax County Wastewater Management Program. He has worked for Fairfax County for 26 years, specifically in the Wastewater Management Program for 24 years in various levels of the organization. He has been involved with the financial planning aspect of the program for more than 22 years.

Mr. Kent is responsible for the annual financial planning report which includes review of the rate structure, Capital Improvement Program (CIP) and financial forecast for a planning period covering ten years. Over the last few years, he has implemented the use of financial measures to benchmark the Program's financial position. The use of these measures has helped the Program demonstrate the need for rate increases, improve bond ratings outlook and improve the overall financial position of the Program. Although the Wastewater Management Program has maintained an AAA/Aa1 bond rating, he was instrumental in implementing the financial plan that reaffirmed the bond rating with a stable outlook during the bond sale last August and reduced the Program's reliance on bond proceeds to fund their CIP.

Mr. Kent has a BA in Political Science with a minor in Economics from Northeastern University and a MPA from the University of North Carolina.