

**KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 125
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 15-02-25-466

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Commissioners of Water District No. 125, King County, Washington, providing for a reduced water rate for customers providing proof of lost water caused by a leak; repealing and superseding resolution 01-12-13-337

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has determined it to be appropriate to provide a one-time reduced rate to customers whose bills reflect water lost through a leak; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of King County Water District No. 125 hereby adopts the following policy which shall be applicable to all customer requests for credits to their account due to water leaks;

1. The customer must request an adjustment by submitting a completed and signed District Leak Adjustment Application form and present documented proof that as soon as reasonable practicable following discovery of the leak, the customer had the leak repaired;
2. The specially-reduced rate for the lost water shall be the wholesale rate (Seattle Public Utilities rate) paid by the District applied to that amount of water over the most recent three-year average on the customer's bill;
3. Such specially-reduced rate will require the approval of the General Manager and will be applied to only one two-month billing related to the documented leak;
4. Customers may pay the specially-reduced rate for water lost because of a documented leak in installment payments without penalty by making an agreement with the approval of the General Manager and performing the terms of the installment payment agreement;
5. The District's General Manager shall have authority to make an adjustment to the customers' bills limited to one adjustment per property owner in any five year period;
6. No adjustments will be granted for internal plumbing leaks including faucets and toilets, which are considered household maintenance responsibility;
7. The customer must take action to repair the leak within thirty (30) days of when the District employees notify the customer regarding the possibility


of a leak or when a customer discovers the leak or such a time period as approved by the General Manager; and


8. Only the Board of Commissioners can approve additional adjustments if the Board determines in its discretion to do so.

Resolution No. 01-12-337 is hereby repealed and superseded effective the date set forth below.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of King County Water District No. 125 at the regular open public meeting thereof held the 25th day of February, 2015.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT NO. 125

By:  _____
Jerry Thornton, President

By:  _____
Jim Rick, Secretary

By:  _____
John Thompson, Commissioner