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NORTHEAST SAMMAMISH DRINKING WATER NAMED BEST TASTING IN THE NORTHWEST

Northeast Sammamish Water District's drinking water has been named the best tasting water in the Pacific Northwest by the American Water Works Association.

The District won the AWWA "Best of the Northwest Taste Contest" held in Tacoma after facing off against competing water districts from across Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

The Northeast Sammamish Water District advanced to the Northwest competition after being named King County's best tasting drinking water in March by a panel of drinking water specialists at the AWWA local competition.

This is the second time the Northeast Sammamish Water District has been named the best tasting water in the Northwest and the fifth time it has been named the best tasting drinking water in King County.

"We are proud of the high quality of our drinking water and honored to be considered the best in King County and the Northwest," said Paul Robinett, President of the District's Board of Commissioners. "We are committed to protecting this resource and providing our customers with safe, reliable and great tasting drinking water at a reasonable cost."

The District will move on and compete in the national competition in San Antonio, Texas in June. The Northeast Sammamish Sewer and Water District was formed by a vote of local citizens in 1969 and has been operating independently for over 50 years. They are governed by an elected 3-member Board of Commissioners and currently serve around 12,000 citizens.

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