Stormwater Utility Briefing



Agenda Topics

1. Century Agenda Goal

To meet or exceed agency requirements for stormwater leaving Port-owned or operated facilities

2. Permits

- **Stormwater Permits:**
- Phase I Municipal General Permit (Seaport and Real Estate)
- Industrial General Permits (Port and Tenants)
- **3. Stormwater Costs and Fees**
- 4. Utility Next Steps

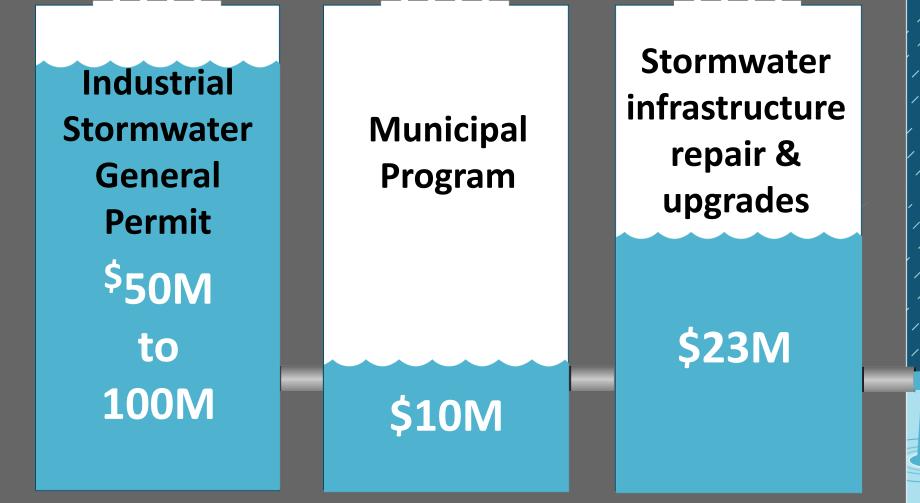
Glossary

AKART All Known, Available and Reasonable methods of prevention, control, and Treatment BMP **Best Management Practices ISGP** Industrial Stormwater General Permit **NPDES** National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System SWM **Storm Water Management**



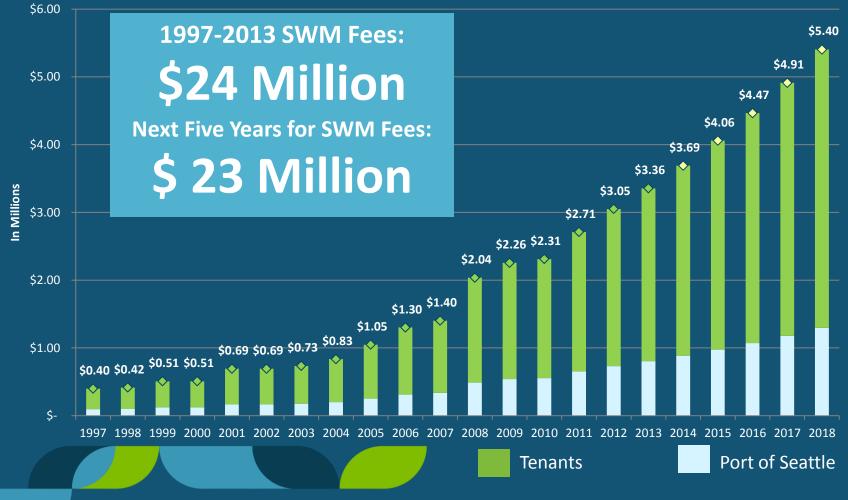
Future Stormwater Costs

(5-year estimate)



City of Seattle Stormwater Fees

SWM Fees to City: 1997 - 2018



Total Stormwater Requirements Next 5 years (2014-2018)

\$85 to \$135 Million in SW Requirements Plus



\$23 Million in SWM fees

to the City of Seattle

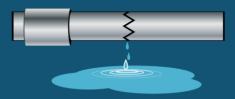


\$23 million could be used to repair and replace **16 miles** of Port-owned stormwater pipes.



City Stormwater Fees

If the Port retained SWM fees, we would :



Repair and upgrade stormwater lines



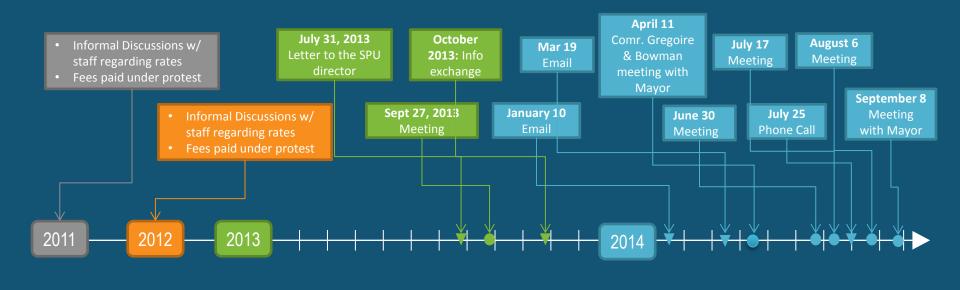
Improve Puget Sound water quality



Facilitate tenant compliance with ISGP permits

Currently this work is <u>unfunded</u>.

Summary of Communications with City re: stormwater fees



Face-to-face Meeting

▼ Other Communication

Port has the same obligations and authority as the City of Seattle.

Obligations:

• Both the City and Port have a Phase 1 municipal permit that governs our Stormwater programs.

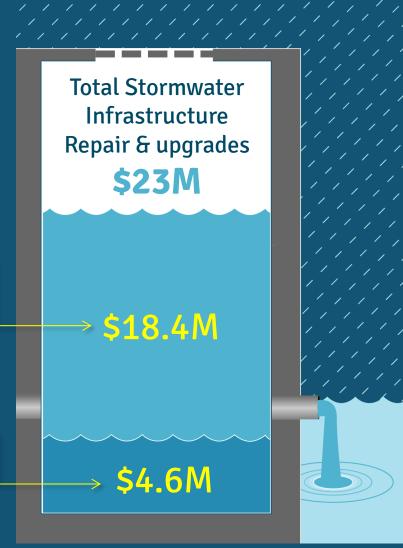
Authority

 RCW 53.08.043 expressly grants port districts "all of the powers relating to systems of sewerage" authorized by RCW 35.67.010 and 35.67.020 [utility statutes for Cities]."



Port SWM Fees and Expenditures

- Commission approved rates and budget
- Utility spending includes:
 - 80% SIRUP
 Stormwater Infrastructure
 Repair & Upgrades
 - 20% Phase I Permit Compliance & Administration



Next Steps

- Commission considers Resolution

 Today
 - September 30
- Complete Preparing for Utility Set Up
- Propose Utility go live January 1, 2015

