



King County

# Best Starts for **KIDS**

**Bellevue City Council**

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# Happy Healthy Safe Thriving

*We want to see babies born healthy, kids thrive, and young people grow up to be happy, healthy, successful adults.*

## RENEWAL PROPOSAL

# MAINTAIN

## Current Levy Strategies

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- **Invest Early** - Prenatal to Five
- **Sustain the Gain** - Five to 24
- **Communities of Opportunity**
- **Youth and Family Homelessness Prevention**





# P-5 INVESTMENTS

- **Public Health Services** for New Parents and Babies
- **Home-Based Services** for New Families
- **Developmental Health Services** and **Early Support** for Delays
- **Community-Based and Peer Support** for Parents
- **Child Care Consultation**
- **System Supports:** Workforce Development, Infant Mental Health, Help Me Grow



# 5-24 INVESTMENTS

## **Youth Development**

Mentoring, Positive Identity Development, Leadership, Healthy Relationships

## **School Partnerships**

School Based Health Centers, SBIRT, Trauma-Informed and Restorative Practices, Out of School Time (Extended Learning)

## **Family and Community Connections**

Family Engagement, Healthy and Safe Environments

## **Transitions to Adulthood**

Education, Employment, Socio-Emotional Support

## **Stopping the School to Prison Pipeline**

Mentoring, Community Supports



# BUILD UPON

## Current Levy Strategies

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*Deepen investments in school age children, youth and young adults*

- *Out of School Time (Extended Learning) programs*
- *School-Based Health Centers*
- *Transitions to Adulthood*



## ADDITIONAL NEW INVESTMENTS

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- Child Care Subsidy Program
- Child Care Worker Wage Enhancement Project
- Capital Projects for children and youth serving organizations



# —● BSK PROPOSED LEVY RENEWAL



**Child Care — ~\$200M**

**Capital Projects — up to \$50M**

**Capacity Building — ~\$12M**

**Homelessness Prevention - ~ \$30M**

**Investing Early (P-5) — 50% of remaining levy**

**Sustaining the Gain (5-24) — 37% of remaining levy**

**Communities Matter — 8% of remaining levy**

**Data and Evaluation — 5% of remaining levy**





# By The Numbers

6-year property tax levy

19 cents per \$1000  
assessed value

Average cost: \$114  
for 600K home

March OEFA projected revenue:  
\$872M (up from \$811M)