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## CHAPTER 5

### SOURCE WATER PROTECTION

#### 5.1 GENERAL

As identified in Chapters 1 through 4, the water distributed by King County Water District No. 49 is purchased from the SPU. SPU owns and operates the watersheds, the water treatment plants and the transmission system leading from the watersheds to the District's connection points.

Authority for development and implementation of source protection lies with SPU and other holders of water rights within the watershed areas. The District does not have its own Source Water Protection Program.

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