

WAC 135-100-070 Public lands may be assessed. Two kinds of public lands are subject to the special assessment: Lands owned by local governments, and lands owned by the state.

Public lands owned by local governmental entities are subject to the special assessment if such lands will receive special benefits from the district's authorized conservation program.

Public lands owned by state governmental entities are subject to the special assessment if such lands will receive special benefits from the district's authorized conservation program. In addition, the county legislative authority must follow the requirements described in chapter 79.44 RCW when assessing such lands. The conservation district may provide such assistance as needed for the county legislative authority to comply with chapter 79.44 RCW.

If public lands will not benefit from the conservation district's conservation program, they must be identified in the system of assessments as a class of land not receiving special benefits.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 89.08.040 and [89.08.]070. WSR 07-10-071, § 135-100-070, filed 5/1/07, effective 6/1/07.]