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How New T12 Lighting Standards Will Impact Utilities

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Greg Whiting, Manager, Conservation Resources, Seattle Light
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