



GREEN LAKE AND WALLINGFORD PAVING AND MULTI-MODAL IMPROVEMENTS

Safer streets for people walking, biking, driving, or taking transit

CONSTRUCTION QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Fall 2020

SCHEDULE

Q. When will you be starting work on N 80th St?

A. We anticipate starting work on N 80th St in late summer/early fall 2020. We will be sure to provide updates on our [website](#) and [weekly listserv update](#) as we have more detailed schedule information.

Q. When will you finish work on N 40th St?

A. We wrapped up significant work on N 40th St in July 2020. You may see some crews along N 40th St as they wrap up final repairs and restoration.

Q. When will you finish work on N 50th St?

A. We wrapped up significant work on N 50th St in July 2020. You may see some crews along N 50th St as they wrap up final repairs and restoration.

Q. When will work wrap up on Green Lake Way?

A. We are currently repairing sidewalks, curb ramps and road panels on Green Lake Way. We anticipate completing final paving on this roadway in Spring 2021.

Q. What time of the day does work typically take place?

A. Work to typically take place 5 days a week (with occasional weekend work), from 7 AM - 7 PM. Impact construction work (pile driving, jackhammering, etc.) is limited to 8 AM – 5 PM on weekdays or 9 AM – 5 PM on weekends.

CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS

Q. When will you restore the planting strip around the new sidewalk near my property?

A. Once work in an area is completed, our landscaping team will come out to fill these areas with topsoil. They will later reseed the area and monitor to ensure new grass grows. Please reach out if you have questions about a specific area.

Q. Will trees be removed during this project?

A. We do our best to preserve and protect the trees in our project area, but occasionally there are situations where one does have to be removed to complete our work. Since we have started construction, we have removed 2 trees. Anytime a tree needs to be removed for our work, we will plant two additional trees to replace it during restoration.

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Q. Will my bus route be impacted by construction?

We will do our best to provide notice about any upcoming bus service changes due to construction, but we also recommend you [sign up for King County Metro's Rider Alerts](#) to stay up to date on the latest information

Q. Will access be restricted to Green Lake Park when work starts on the Green Lake Loop?

A. Access will be maintained to Green Lake Park as we start work in this area. Please continue to follow our [updates](#) to receive any information about future detours or impacts in the area.

Q. What do we do in case of an emergency near the project?

A. If there are any emergency situations that arise in our project area, please call 911. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times during our work.

Q. Will my driveway be impacted by construction?

A. Access to your driveway may be temporarily restricted due to curb ramp and sidewalk replacement work. At least several days before our work begins, we'll deliver fliers, email, and/or call to notify any residents and businesses of upcoming driveway impacts so that those who are impacted can plan ahead.

Q. Why are there no-parking signs out when crews aren't working?

A. No-parking signs are required to go out onto the roadway at least 72 hours before they go into the effect. Sometimes they will be placed on the roadway for longer periods to allow us to do work with flexibility as we continue through Seattle's rainy fall weather, which impacts our ability to complete portions of our work (i.e., pouring concrete, paving, etc.). Please check the permits on no-parking signs for exact dates and times that the restriction will be in effect.

Q. Why are there loud metal plates on the road?

A. We use metal plates to cover excavated areas of the road and sidewalk to maintain service as we prepare to fill them. We understand that these may be noisy and impactful at times and thank you for your patience as we make necessary repairs to the roadway.

OTHER

Q. Why is the road closed at the intersection of W Green Lake Way N and E Green Lake Way N, near the Pitch n Putt?

A. This road closure is a part of SDOT's [Stay Healthy Streets Program](#). It's unrelated to our project. If you'd like more information, you can contact the program team at:

Phone: 206-684-7623

Email: StayHealthyStreets@Seattle.gov

Q. What are the yellow bumps on the end of curb ramps?

A. The yellow bumps serve as detectable warnings for pedestrians who are blind or have low vision as they cross the street. More information on sidewalk ramp requirements can be found on the [ADA website](#).

Q. Why are curb ramps being updated?

A. We are upgrading curb ramps throughout our project areas to ensure that they are compliant with

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the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and allow for all road users to travel safely. More information on sidewalk ramp requirements can be found on the [ADA website](#).