



King County



DEPARTMENT OF
ECOLOGY
State of Washington

BALLARD SIPHON Replacement Project

Department of Natural Resources and Parks • Wastewater Treatment Division

North Site Project Update – January 24, 2012 (see reverse for South Site)

North site: Shoring installation will continue through the beginning of February. Shaft excavation to follow. *El sitio del norte: La instalación de la columna continuará a principios de febrero. Excavación del eje a seguir.*

Typical work hours:

7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. weekdays

24-hour project hotline/Para más información*:

206-296-3848

(*Señale su idioma y llamaremos a un intérprete. El servicio es gratuito.)

NORTH SITE ACTIVITIES:

Shoring installation continues at the Ballard Siphon project north site on Shilshole Avenue Northwest through early February. Noise reduction efforts continue during this period of high-level activity.

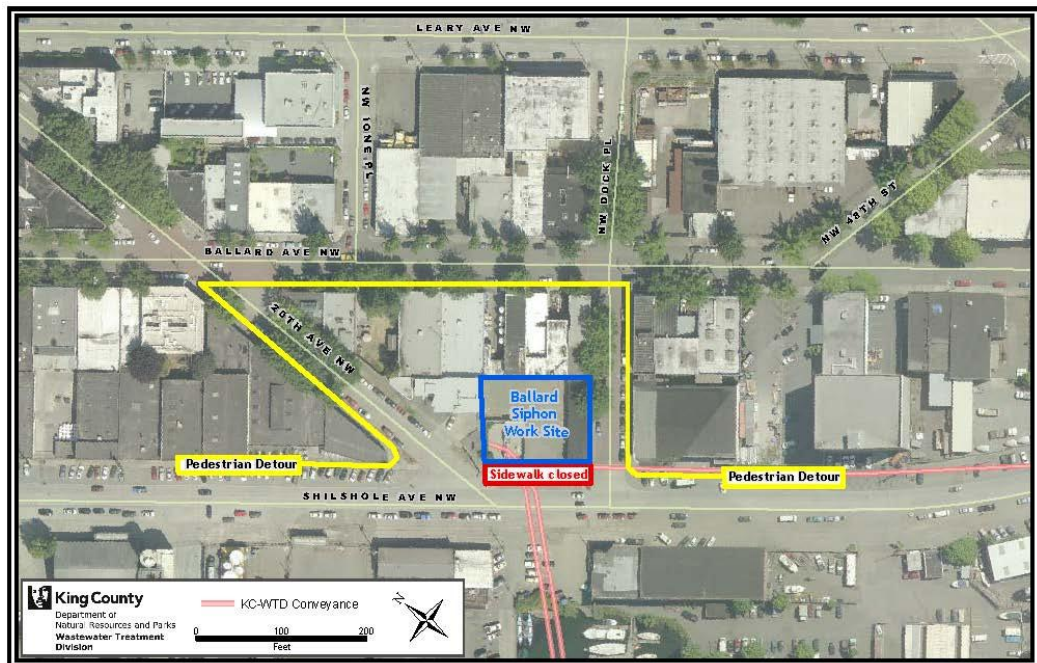
After the shoring is in place, the crews will begin excavating the tunnel boring machine retrieval shaft, roughly 80 feet below ground. Excavation equipment will be brought to the site. Neighbors can expect to continue to see activity and increased truck traffic at the site.

King County urges drivers and bicyclists to continue to use caution near the site. Pedestrians in Ballard should follow sidewalk detour signs around the north site.

WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE NORTH SITE THROUGH FEBRUARY:

- High levels of activity involving crews, cranes, drill rigs, excavators, and trucks
- Increased truck traffic on and around Shilshole Avenue Northwest
- Shilshole Avenue Northwest sidewalk remains closed in front of the project site

North Site
Project Area
and Pedestrian
Detour



Alternate formats available: call 206-684-1235 or TTY Relay: 711

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South Site Project Update – January 24, 2012 (see reverse for North Site)

South site: Onsite activity will increase as equipment is mobilized and shaft construction begins. *El sitio del sur: Actividad en el sitio aumentará a medida que se moviliza el equipo y la construcción del eje comienza.*

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SOUTH SITE ACTIVITIES:

King County contractors continue to prepare the project south site at West Commodore Way for tunnel excavation. Crews are finishing constructing a separation facility onsite and will begin shaft excavation in February.

There will be increased activity on site and truck traffic around the project area. King County urges community members to follow traffic control personnel directions and take extreme caution when passing through the 24th Avenue West and West Commodore Way intersection.

Seattle Public Utilities (SPU) will be working on West Commodore Way in early-to-mid February to relocate utilities in preparation for installation of a diversion structure connecting the new siphon to the existing conveyance system. Please use caution in this area and follow posted traffic signs and flaggers.

WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE SOUTH SITE THROUGH FEBRUARY:

- High levels of activity involving crews, cranes, drill rigs and trucks
- Increased truck traffic on and around West Commodore Way

South
Site
Project
Area



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

For 24-hour project information call/
Para más información: **206-296-3848**

Visit the project website at:

[http://www.kingcounty.gov/environment/
wtd/Construction/Seattle/BallardSiphon.aspx](http://www.kingcounty.gov/environment/wtd/Construction/Seattle/BallardSiphon.aspx)