Project update February 13, 2017

Landscaping on King County site nearly complete as restoration continues in Lowman Beach Park

King County's contractor is nearly finished with landscaping on the County's facility building site, including a green roof on the facility building and a rain garden north of the public staircase. Grading is also underway in Lowman Beach Park in preparation for landscaping installation.

When complete, the green roof on the facility building will absorb rainwater and improve the building's energy efficiency. Excess water from the green roof and other parts of the facility will be directed to the rain garden, reducing runoff to nearby storm drains.

Schedule update

Landscaping and restoration activities on site are expected to be complete by the end of the month. Once restoration is complete, the project artist, Robert Horner, will install the remaining project art.



Landscaping on the King County site is nearly complete.

The contractor will wait to plant grass in Lowman Beach Park until the weather is warmer, likely during the month of March. Fencing will remain in place around the park until grass is established.

The County anticipates the public staircase to be open to the public by early April. To celebrate completion of the project, the County will host a ribbon cutting event and facility tours this spring. Keep an eye out for an invite in the mail!

Updated hotline hours

Now that major construction is complete, the project hotline hours have changed. The project hotline will now be staffed from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you call outside of these times, we will return your call on the next business day. For operational concerns or complaints, please call West Point Treatment Plant's 24-hour phone line at 206-263-3801.

What to expect:

- Work to occur on weekdays from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on some Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- All work contained to project site near the facility building and in Lowman Beach Park
- Hotline hours: 9 a.m. 5 p.m. Monday through Friday
- For your safety, please do not enter the fenced areas at any time. Fences will be removed when work is complete.

Alternative Formats Available 206-477-5371 / TTY Relay: 711

For more information:

Call the 24-hour project information hotline: 206-205-9186 Email kelly.foley@kingcounty.gov or visit http://www.kingcounty.gov/murraytank