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Construction activities on 32nd Avenue West Beginning September 2, 2014

King County's contractor is continuing work on 32nd Avenue West to prepare for installation of a new gravity sewer pipeline that is one component of a new combined sewer overflow (CSO) control facility in Magnolia. A 1.5-million gallon underground tank will store excess flows of stormwater and sewage when heavy rains fill pipes, reducing untreated overflows to Puget Sound.

On Tuesday, September 2, King County's contractor will begin installing shoring for a drill pit on the east side of 32nd Avenue West. This work can be noisy, and will last 3-5 days. You can expect construction activity on the street.

People will hear noise from drill pit preparation work, and may feel some vibration near the site. The contractor will be monitoring vibration levels. People are more sensitive to vibration than structures, and while you may feel vibration, it does not mean that problems will occur as a result.

The week of September 8, the contractor expects to begin delivering equipment for the Horizontal Directional Drilling operation.

What you can expect during this work

- Work will be carried out during normal working hours beginning at 7:00 a.m.; work may extend up until 8:00 p.m.
- Flaggers will direct traffic through work zone.
- Increased traffic activity as trucks haul excavated material.
- People should drive slowly through the project area and watch for workers, other pedestrians, bikes, and cars.

Questions or Concerns? Contact our 24-hour construction hotline at

206-205-0968 and leave a message. We will return your call.

For more information, visit www.kingcounty.gov and search "South Magnolia CSO".