WASTEWATER TREATMENT DIVISION
Project Updates
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Overview of sample capital projects

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North Beach CSO Project

- Purpose – Improve water quality and complete commitments to CSO control
- Constructing 325 feet of pipe storage – 0.33 million gallons (MG)
- Construction 5% complete
- Substantial completion August 22, 2015
- Construction contract $9.6m
Contractor trailer mobilized within the pump station perimeter.

One way traffic bypass around project location installed by Sound Transit
South Magnolia CSO Project

- Purpose – Improve water quality and complete commitments to CSO control
- 1.8 MG storage tank, 2700 ft gravity pipeline
- Construction 2% complete
- Substantial completion October 23, 2015
- Construction contracts: Storage $12.5m, pipeline $9.4m
Murray CSO Project

- Purpose – Improve water quality and complete commitments to CSO control
- 1 MG storage tank
- Construction 10% complete
- Substantial completion August 31, 2016
- Construction contract $20.8m
Checking secant pile casing for ‘plumbness’ with a hand level.
Purpose – Improve water quality and complete commitments to CSO control

Removes 5.88 MG/year of flow from the combined sewer system

Construction 5% complete

Substantial completion November 30, 2015

Construction contract $5.5m
Barton GSI – Installation of swales
Landscaped swales during plant establishment period
Sunset/Heathfield Pump Station

- **Project Purpose:** Upgrade existing pump stations and forcemain capacity from 21 mgd to 30 mgd, improve station reliability. Increased pumping capacity to meet growth projections and improve reliability in conveying S. Lake Sammamish basin flows to South Plant.

- **Alternative Selected:** Construct two separate pump stations with four single stage pumps at each facility

- **Schedule:** Baseline 4th Qtr 2014, construction start 2nd Qtr 2016, substantial completion 2nd Qtr 2019

- **Total Project Cost:** $90 million

- **Agency Coordination:** City of Bellevue, Army Corps, USFWS, WDFW, Ecology, DAHP, WSDOT
Project Purpose: Prevent seawater from entering the pump station wet well during high tides. Reduce volume of seawater pumped to West Point and reserve wet well capacity for combined sewer flow.

Alternative Selected: Install flap gate on overflow pipe

Schedule: Construction August – October 2014

Total Project Cost: $286,000

Agency Coordination: City of Seattle
63rd Ave. Pump Station
North Mercer/Enatai Interceptor Upgrades

- Project Purpose: Increase capacity in the North Mercer Island and Enatai Interceptors to meet the 20-year peak flows projected through 2060. Reduces the potential for sanitary sewer overflows.
- Status: Alternative analysis
- Schedule: Baseline 1st Qtr 2016, construction 2019, substantial completion 2022
- Total Project Cost: $64M
- Agency Coordination: Cities of Bellevue, Beaux Arts and Mercer Island, Ecology, WSDOT, Parks (Luther Burbank Park, Enatai Beach Park, and Mercer Slough Nature Park), Sound Transit, Tribes
Lake Hills Trunk

- Project Purpose: Increase capacity of the 4.5 mile Lake Hills Trunk and NW Lake Sammamish Interceptor to convey 20–year peak flows projected through the year 2060. Also improves reliability – this is the oldest pipe in the system (1959).

- Project status: Alternative analysis

- Schedule: Baseline 1st Qtr 2016, construction 2018

- Total Project Cost: Planning level estimate $47M – $94M

- Agency Coordination: Cities of Redmond and Bellevue and King County Parks (Marymoor Park)
Project Purpose: Improve the community wastewater septic drain field on Vashon Island. Ensures service for 60 homes, eliminates surface ponding and permit violations, and improves water quality.

Alternative Selected: Replace the drip irrigation drain system

Schedule: Baseline 3\textsuperscript{rd} Qtr 2014, construction 2\textsuperscript{nd} Qtr 2015, substantial completion Oct 2015

Total Project Cost: $700,000

Agency Coordination: King County Health Dept. and DDES.
Beulah Park Wastewater Treatment System

This drain field is in your care.

This drain field is a delicate part of an expensive wastewater treatment system that is paid for by the residents it serves.

Do: Enjoy the community green space for passive recreational use like walking and sitting by Beulah Park residents.

Don't: Do anything that could puncture the surface of the drain field (like digging drive stakes, wear shoes with cleats, play team sports, bike or plow anything). Grass has been planted on the drain field to keep it intact.

King County mows the grass periodically.

Dog etiquette on the drain field. If you let your dog on the drain field, be sure to scoop up the poop and dispose of it properly. Also, keep your dog from digging.

Help keep ivy and other plants from invading the drain field. Keep the plants on your property under control and off the drainage field! Maintain vegetation to prevent encroachment of trees, shrubs, and invasive weeds whose roots may clog the drain field.

Report problems. Other, wet spots in dry weather or exposed pipes may be an early sign of a problem. Report any problems by calling the King County 24-hour plant emergency number at 206-684-2404.

Thanks for helping to protect your community system.
North Interceptor Bifurcation Structure

- **Project Purpose:** Rehabilitate the flow splitting structure that conveys all flows to West Point. Extends the useful life of the flow structure and protects downstream assets.
- **Alternative Selected:** Install new concrete lining system, replace lift slabs, grating, handrails and ladder
- **Schedule:** Construction start June 2014, Substantial completion September 2014
- **Total Project Cost:** $1.4M
- **Agency Coordination:** City of Seattle, DOT
Project Purpose: Repair or replace 8 aging bubbler level measuring devices. Improves the quality of data used to control and optimize system flows.

Alternative Selected: Combination of repair and replacement in-kind with existing bubbler technology.

Schedule: All work completed March 2014

Total Project Cost: $850,000

Agency Coordination: City of Seattle, SDOT, WSDOT SR99 Contractor, CenturyLink, Seattle Parks Dept.
Black Diamond Air Gap Tank

- Project Purpose: Replace existing air gap tank to meet current code requirements. Alternative Selected: Install an air gap tank and booster pump. Will prevent any potential for potable water contamination.
- Install air gap tank on platform in generator room
- Schedule: Construction August – October 2014
- Total Project Cost: $84,000
- Agency Coordination: King County DDES
Relocate PRV, RPBA, & gages

Need to maintain clearance for pig launcher
West Point Influent Screenings Improvements

- **Project Purpose:**
  - Meet recent state biosolids regulations (WAC 173–308–205)
  - Replace aging headworks infrastructure at West Point
  - Improves biosolids quality and reduces downstream maintenance

- **Project Status:** Construction 80 percent complete

- **Schedule:** Construction started Feb 2013; substantial completion Oct 2014

- **Project Budget:** Baseline budget $27,045,670; Estimate at completion $22,975,857
Influent Screenings Improvements

New screenings handling building nearly complete

Washer-compactors and grinders (on mezzanine) in new screenings handling building

Electrical room for equipment in new screenings handling building
Influent Screenings Improvements

Bar screens to be replaced in the existing screenings building. New channel gates already installed in front of screens.

Successful transport and Installation of first new 3/8-inch bar screen
Questions?

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