

## 2018 Project Review Sheet (2019 Construction)

#### City Council District 2 Ballot #2D

Project #	17-207
Project Title:	Install high visibility lighting infrastructure on
	the crosswalk spanning Beacon Ave S
Location:	Beacon Ave S north of Columbian Way, east of
	the VA Medical Center, and west of the Jefferson
	Golf Course.

#### SDOT Project Summary

SDOT approves project

 $\boxtimes$  Yes

 $\Box$  Yes, with revisions

□ No

Comments: If selected, all three crosswalks on Beacon Ave S between S Spokane St and S Columbian Way will be upgraded to rapid flash beacons.

There is an opportunity to partner with another program:

🛛 Yes

🗆 No

Partnering Program: Pedestrian Master Plan

# Total Project Cost: \$180,000 (\$90,000 YVYC, \$90,000 PMP)

### Solution and Comments:

This review has been completed for use in the 2018 Your Voice, Your Choice: Parks & Streets process.

Data collected shows high pedestrians volumes at all three locations and traffic speeds over 35mph. The mid-week Average Daily Traffic Volume on Beacon Ave is approximately 13,560 vehicles per day. The 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speed of motorists here is 37 mph (posted speed limit is 30 mph). Approximately 70-90 pedestrians cross at the south crossing during the PM peak hour. Similarly, 60-75 pedestrians crossing



at the middle crossing and 15-20 pedestrians cross at the north crossing during the PM peak hour. This project will install rapid flash beacons in place of the existing crossing improvements at all three crosswalk locations on Beacon Ave S between S Spokane St & S Columbian Way.



Image:

Figure 1: Proposed Locations



## **Information Provided by Community Members**

**Project Idea:** Button activated flashing warning lights to identify the existence of pedestrians crossing the street similar to the system installed outside the Beacon Hill Seattle Public Library at S Forest St. and Beacon Ave S.

**Need for Project:** Cars excessively speed past crosswalk without stopping for pedestrians in the marked walking zone as if drivers are totally unaware that the crosswalk exists which creates an unsafe environment which may result injury or worse.

**Community Benefit from Project:** Children going to and from Mercer Middle School; elderly, disabled, amputee wheelchair bound U.S. military service Veterans and/or their families, including VA employees, who elect utilize King County Metro public transportation-route36 whose bus stops are on opposite sides of the existing dangerous crosswalk.



# **Risk Registry:**

SDOT Review	Drainage impacts	Constructability	Community process
Low – SDOT Standard Plan	Low	Medium	Low

### Cost Estimate:

Design Phase	
Preliminary Engineering (Survey) Costs	\$
Project Management Costs (City Labor)	\$
Design Costs (Consultant Fees, if externally designed,	\$
internal labor otherwise) - use 10% of construction cost for	
in-house design of relative uncomplicated projects	
Subtotal – Design Phase Costs	\$
Design Contingency (10% of Design Phase Subtotal)	\$
Total Design Phase Costs	\$
Construction Phase	
Construction Costs (include urban forestry, signs &	\$
markings, traffic control, layout or construction staking as	
necessary)	
Drainage Costs	\$
Estimating Contingency (10-20%)	\$
Subtotal – Construction Costs	\$
Construction Management (10-25% of Construction Cost)	\$
Construction Contingency (20%)	\$
Total Construction Phase Costs	\$
Total Project Cost = Total Design and Construction	\$180,000
Phase Costs	(\$90k YVYC,
	\$90k PMP)