

# RAINIER VALLEY NEIGHBORHOOD GREENWAY CENTRAL SECTION

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#### WHAT IS A NEIGHBORHOOD GREENWAY?

Neighborhood greenways are safer, calmer residential streets for you, your family, and neighbors that make people walking and biking the priority. We will add signs and pavement markings to help people find their way and make it easier to cross busy streets with curb ramps, crosswalks, and flashing lights.

#### WHAT IS THE ROUTE?

Our planning team worked with community members to determine the best north – south route in Rainier Valley. Hundreds of people gave feedback through public meetings, site visits with community members, an online survey, and direct communication. Based on that input, we selected residential streets that have lower car volumes and speeds, aren't too steep, and connect people to destinations like schools, libraries, local businesses, community centers, and parks.

# See map on reverse.



Example: microsurfacing pavement repair work.

### **PAVEMENT REPAIR**

Crews will complete "microsurfacing" on about half of the streets along the neighborhood greenway route. Microsurfacing is a cost-effective method to maintain roads by coating them with a top layer of asphalt mix that extends the life of the pavement. The streets that are being microsurfaced are shown on the map in orange. If your street is being microsurfaced, you will receive a mailer with more details on what to expect.



Example: neighborhood greenway improvements help people cross busy streets

These projects are funded by the 9-year Levy to Move Seattle, approved by voters in 2015. Learn more about the levy at: www.seattle.gov/LevytoMoveSeattle

## **PROJECT INFORMATION & CONTACT**

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