



Dear Neighbor,

The City of Seattle's Department of Transportation (SDOT) plans to repave S Columbian Way and S Alaska St between Beacon Ave S and Martin Luther King Jr Way S. We are also planning to put in a new protected bike lane and make other pedestrian, traffic, and drainage upgrades. We are still in the design process and expect construction to start next spring.

Project Overview

Pavement on S Columbian Way and S Alaska St is marked by cracks and potholes and needs repair. To make these repairs we plan to grind off the top layer of old road and pave a new layer of asphalt. Once paved, we will then repaint the existing pavement markings to maintain the current street operation.

In addition, we will also be putting in a new protected bike lane on both sides of S Columbian Way and S Alaska St to make travel safer for all who use this stretch of road. As part of the design of this project, parking along the arterial will be restricted.

There will also be other pedestrian and ADA improvements. These improvements include building a new refuge island at S Alaska St and Mountain View Dr S, installing and upgrading curb ramps to be compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act and improving the intersection of S Alaska Pl and S Alaska St.

Project timeline – What's next?

We are still in design and expect construction to start in early 2018. This fall we will be in the neighborhood talking to residents about some of the expected changes along S Columbian Way and S Alaska St.

As we get closer to construction, we will start working with you to understand your needs during construction. In the meantime, please contact me if you have questions or concerns.

Sincerely,
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http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/pave_ColumbianWay.htm

The City of Seattle is planning to make street improvements on S Columbian Way and S Alaska St between Beacon Ave S and Martin Luther King Jr Way. For more information and translation, please call: (206) 256-5112

Chinese: 5 月份, 西雅圖市將免費修剪街道上的樹木, 以為鄰近地區的步行和自行車專案做準備。請致電要求翻譯: (206) 256-5112

Spanish: En mayo, la Ciudad de Seattle podará los árboles de su calle sin costo alguno en la preparación de un proyecto de ciclismo y caminata en su vecindario. Por favor, llamar para servicios de traducción al: (206) 256-5112

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Vietnamese: Vào tháng Năm, Thành Phố Seattle sẽ tỉa các cây trên con đường của nhà quý vị miễn phí để chuẩn bị cho dự án làm đường đi bộ và đi xe đạp cho khu phố của quý vị. Xin gọi phiên dịch số: (206) 256-5112

Somali: Bisha May, Magaalada Seattle waxay geedaha ka qusayn doonaan waddadaada iyadoo lacag la'aan ah si ay xaafadda ugu diyaariyaan barnaamijka lugaynta iyo baaskiiladda. Fadlan ka wac turjumaanidda: (206) 256-5112