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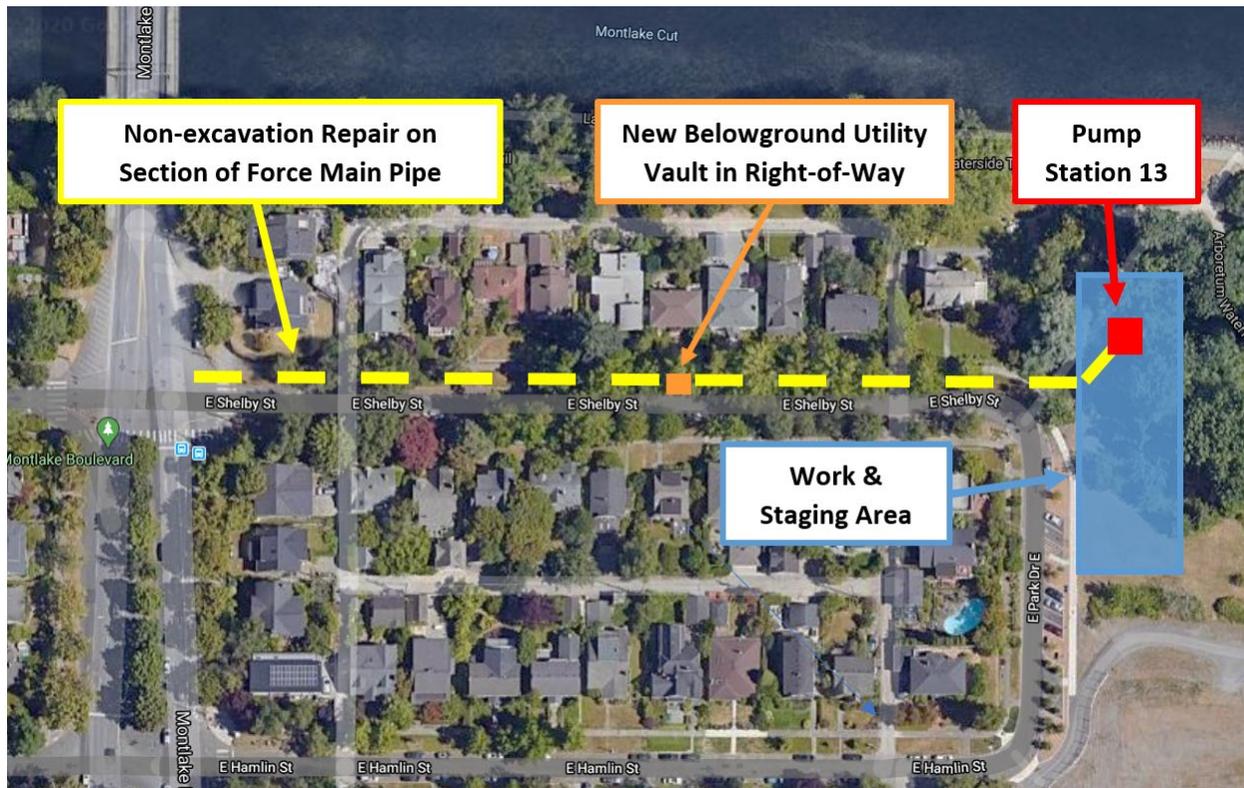
UPGRADING THE PUMP STATION IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Seattle Public Utilities (SPU) is upgrading a wastewater pump station in your area as part of a citywide pump station improvement effort. This project will improve pump station operations with the goal of reducing combined sewer overflows (CSOs) into the Montlake Cut, which can occur when heavy rains overwhelm the existing sewer system.

LOCATION

Construction will take place in East Montlake Park near the intersection of E Shelby St and E Park Dr E. Crews will also rehabilitate a force main pipe that runs along E Shelby St between Montlake Blvd E and E Park Dr E.



SCHEDULE

Construction crews are expected to begin mobilizing in mid-April, with construction activities beginning in late April or early May. This project will take 6 to 10 months to complete. Start date and duration are dependent on permitting and other factors. Crews will work 8-10 hour days Monday through Friday. Work hours and days may fluctuate based on work being performed, and some night work may be required later in construction.

Seattle Public Utilities provides essential services — pure mountain drinking water, recycling and composting that lead the nation, and sewer and drainage systems to protect our local waterways — that safeguard your health and our shared environment, and help keep Seattle the best place to live.

ANTICIPATED IMPACTS

Much of the work will occur within the pump station. However, you can expect:

- Construction noise, dust, dirt, and vibrations
- Increased construction traffic and staging of large equipment and materials near the pump station
- Intermittent lane closures near the construction area
- Street parking in or near the work area may be prohibited. Please pay attention to onsite signage.
- Closure of pedestrian path near pump station during construction. Detours will be in place.
- During non-excavation repair on the force main, crews will install a pipe liner via maintenance structures
- Crews will install a belowground facility vault in the right-of-way along the north side of E Shelby St. This work will involve some excavation and will take about 3-5 weeks.
- After work is complete, the contractor will perform surface restoration

STAY INFORMED DURING CONSTRUCTION

Our email list will be the primary means of sharing timely information once construction begins. Sign up for project email updates online at www.seattle.gov/utilities/environment-and-conservation/projects/east-montlake-pump-station.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION

At the City, we continue to follow guidance from our partners at Public Health – Seattle & King County (PHSKC), Washington State Department of Health (DOH), and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) regarding COVID-19. We're working round-the-clock to ensure our communities and our workforce can stay safe and healthy.

Currently, [Seattle Public Utilities](http://www.seattlepublicutilities.com) is planning to continue with construction in your area. We are working closely with our [Public Health — Seattle & King County](http://www.seattlepublicutilities.com/public-health) partners, our construction management teams, and private contractors to ensure that everyone supporting this project is cautious and safe. If there are changes to the construction schedule or planned work, we will notify you once public information is available.

The City of Seattle and King County are taking steps to protect the health of our community by making recommendations that are meant to slow the spread of novel coronavirus and reduce the number of people infected. Please learn more about COVID-19 at www.kingcounty.gov/covid.