

Urban Forestry Commission
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Our vision, mission, and core values

Vision: Seattle is a thriving equitable community powered by dependable transportation

Mission: to deliver a transportation system that provides safe and affordable access to places and opportunities

Committed to 6 core values:

- Equity
- Safety
- Mobility
- Sustainability
- Livability
- Excellence



Presentation overview

- Background
- Examples of Recent Projects
- Future Projects
- Your Questions / Ideas



What Is Safe Routes to School?

- Safety improvements on the walking and biking routes to school
- Urban Forestry is one of several tools we use to calm traffic and make routes more comfortable for families to walk and bike





What are Neighborhood Greenways?

- Safer, calm residential streets where walking and biking is prioritized.
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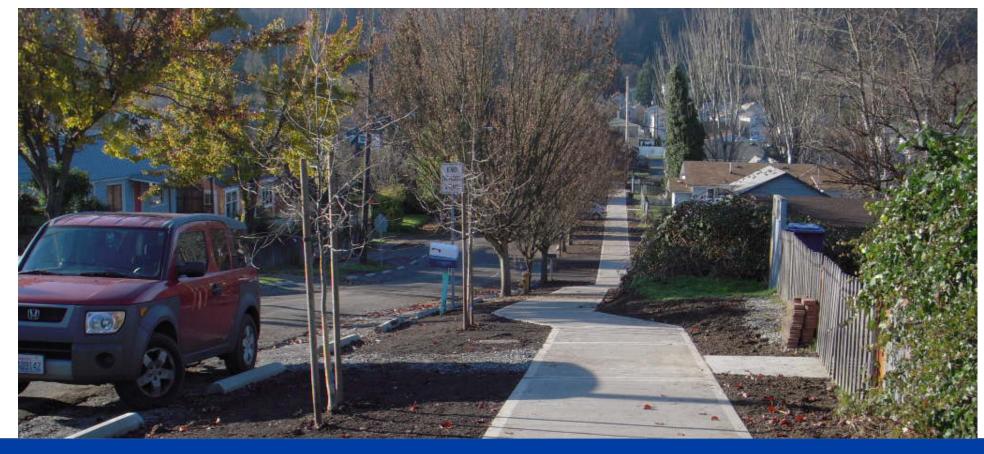
Mercer Middle School - Before



Mercer Middle School - After



Concord Elementary





Beacon Hill Neighborhood Greenway





30th Ave SW Neighborhood Greenway

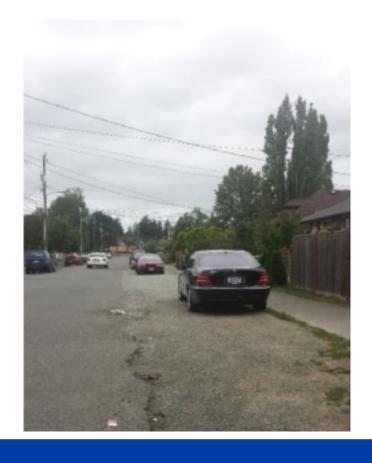


Roxhill Elementary





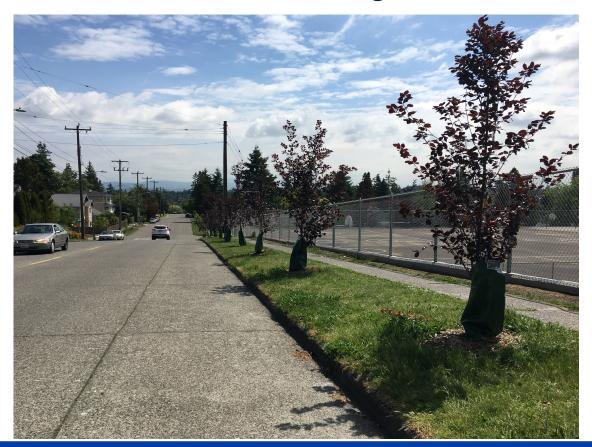
Rainier Beach High School





Roxhill and Wing Luke Elementary

• 35 frontier elms and 14 snowbells planted in 2019



Future Projects

- Pathfinder K-8 in West Seattle
- More trees for Concord in South Park





Comments and Questions

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