

FACT SHEET

PHASE 2 – RENTON AVE S REPAVING PROJECT

Winter 2016

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Renton Ave S is a minor arterial serving approximately 8,800 Southeast Seattle commuters, bike riders, transit users and commercial vehicles daily. To improve safety for these users, the Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) is installing new curb ramps and curb bulbs between 51st Ave S and S 112th Pl. SDOT will also repave this section of the roadway to address seams and cracks in the surface and to reduce future maintenance costs.

PROJECT FEATURES

- Repave the street surface curb to curb with new asphalt including localized base repairs where needed.
- Install 11 new curb bulbs.
- Install 112 new curb ramps.
- Upgrade and relocate pedestrian push button poles and crossing signs.
- Install new stop signs at the Renton Ave S, 51st Ave S and S Roxbury St intersection.
- Add new pavement markings at intersections and restripe the roadway.

PROJECT BENEFITS

- Improve safety for all users
- Increase compliance with current American with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards
- Repair roadway
- Reduce future maintenance costs

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- A bicycle lane will be added in each direction on Renton Ave S. This will connect to existing bike lanes north of 51st Ave S on Renton Ave S and on 51st Ave S. It will also connect to existing bike lanes on Renton Ave S, south of Fountain Pl, leading to Bryn Mawr-Skyway and Renton.
- We will remove approximately 200 parking spaces to accommodate the new bike lane.
- We will change how the intersection is marked for directing traffic at the intersection of Renton Ave S and S Bangor St to improve pedestrian safety.
- From 51st Ave S to S Hazel St, resurfacing will consist of grinding off the existing asphalt pavement and installing new asphalt pavement. From S Hazel St to S 112th Pl, resurfacing will consist of diamond grinding the concrete panels that make up the road surface.

PROJECT SCHEDULE Improvements to Renton Ave S are being implemented in two phases.

PHASE 1 – S Holden St to 51st Ave S

Phase 1 work includes new curb ramps, curb bulbs, roadway resurfacing and new bike lane striping. Construction began in September 2015 and will be completed in Spring 2016. More information on this project is available on the project webpage at:

www.seattle.gov/transportation/pave_renton.htm1

PHASE 2 – 51st Ave S to S 112th Pl

Phase 2 construction is scheduled to begin in summer 2016 and is expected to take six months to complete. Approximately 11 new curb bulbs and 112 new curb ramps will be installed. SDOT will also repave the roadway from curb to curb with new asphalt.

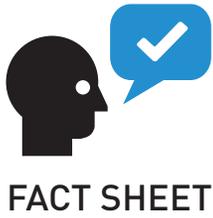
Phase 2 work is being funded by the voter-approved Transportation Levy to Move Seattle.

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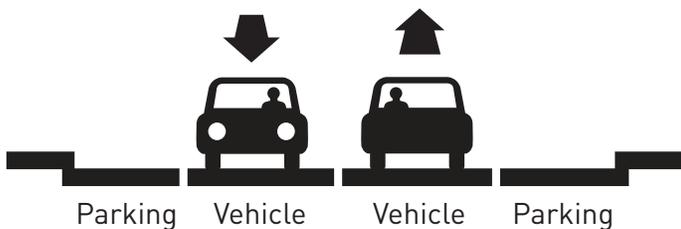
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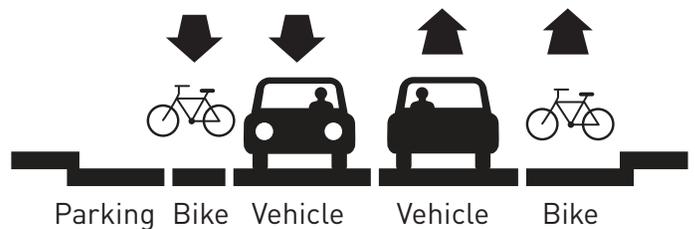
EXISTING

Typical two-lane cross section on Renton Ave S



FUTURE

Typical two-lane cross section on Renton Ave S



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