

**SEPA DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS)
SEATTLE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
3RD AVENUE ARTERIAL ASPHALT AND CONCRETE PAVING (AAC) PROJECT**

Description of proposal: The Seattle Department of Transportation will repave most of about two-thirds of a mile of 3rd Avenue. Existing asphalt composite pavement, its associated base course (aggregate), and concrete driveway aprons will be removed and replaced with appropriate base course, concrete paving, sidewalk, and concrete driveway aprons. The project will also repave with asphalt a small portion of several streets adjacent to their intersection with 3rd Avenue. ADA-compliant curb ramps, several curb bulbs, several pedestrian-scale luminaires, and possibly several small signs will also be installed. About 9 parking spaces will be replaced by bus zones between Virginia and Lenora Streets. Traffic sensor loops and street signs removed during project construction will be replaced. Road lanes and cross walks will be striped to match pre-project striping. The project will also perform utility work in the project corridor, including the installation of approximately three 60-inch diameter, 100-foot long, stormwater detention pipes; several stormwater inlets; and electrical conduit and junction boxes.

Location of proposal including street address, if any: The project is located on 3rd Avenue, between Virginia and Broad Streets, in northwest downtown Seattle, Washington.

**Proposal Proponent
and Lead Agency:** **City of Seattle, Department of Transportation (SDOT)**
Seattle Municipal Tower
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SDOT has determined that this proposal would not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information may be examined in the Seattle Department of Construction & Inspections Public Resource Center at 700 Fifth Ave., Suite 2000, Seattle, WA 98124. Documents are also at the Seattle Central Library at 1000 Fourth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104.

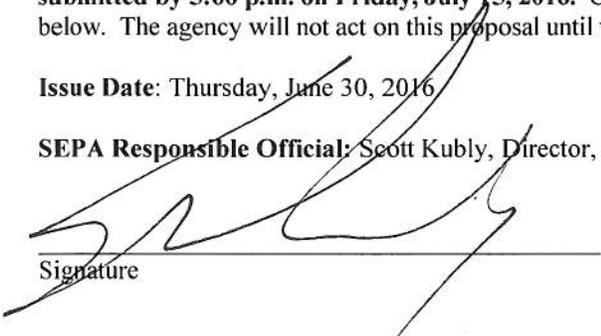
There is no comment period.

This DNS is issued after using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355 and Seattle Municipal Code (SNC) 25.05.355. There is no further comment period on the DNS.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2) and Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) 25.05.340. **Comments must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 15, 2016.** Comments may be submitted to the Agency Contact identified below. The agency will not act on this proposal until the comment period is over

Issue Date: Thursday, June 30, 2016

SEPA Responsible Official: Scott Kubly, Director, SDOT



Signature



Date

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Any interested person may appeal this DNS by submitting a Notice of Appeal and a \$85.00 filing fee to the Office of the Hearing Examiner located at 700 Fifth Ave, Suite 4000, Seattle; mailing address: P.O. Box 94729, Seattle, WA 98124-4729; telephone: (206) 684-0521. **The appeal must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. Friday, July 22, 2016.** The appellant should be prepared to make specific factual objections. See SMC 25.05.680 A(2)(a)(ii) for SEPA appeal procedures.