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Burke-Gilman Trail Locks to NW 60th Construction Update

For the next couple of weeks the construction crews will be doing preparation work to build and pour the new curb and sidewalk northbound on the west side of NW 54th / Seaview Ave NW between 32nd Ave NW and 60th Ave NW.

The crews are also working on the reconfiguration of the Chittenden Locks parking lot, after which work will begin on the actual trail northbound on Seaview from the Locks up to the trestle. You may notice that bright green signs have been attached to three trees on the street side of the Locks parking lot; these trees must be removed later next week, but eventually 12 trees will be planted in their place.

Also Seattle City Light (SCL) has begun work installing 14 new power poles between 60th and the trestle along Seaview. Once the poles are in place, the SCL crews will begin stringing the wires at the intersection of 60th Ave NW and NW Seaview. That work should be finished around the beginning of March.

For more information:

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If you have specific questions about construction activities as they are occurring, please contact the City's Resident Engineer, Mark Sliger, at (206) 423-2593 or Mid Mountain Construction's Community Liaison, Robert Bellefeuille, at (425) 202-3608 or (206) 779-9158 or robert@midmtn.com

