



MERCER AREA CONSTRUCTION

- Full Road Closure
- Lane Reduction/Closures
- Nighttime Road Work
- Detour Route
- Special Event

Seattle Area Construction Look Ahead

As Of: December 15, 2011

SODO/DOWNTOWN CONSTRUCTION



Tolling to begin on the SR 520 Bridge Dec 29th at 5AM

Also available online at: <http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/constructionlookahead.htm>
 For an online map of these events, go to <http://www.seattle.gov/travelers>. Items will appear on the dates listed.

Highlights:

- Dec 15 and 21-22, the westbound lanes on the Spokane Street Viaduct will be closed each night.
- Dec 19-21, the Fauntleroy Expressway will be closed each night. This is the portion of the West Seattle Freeway west of the Delridge on/off-ramps and east of 35th Ave SW.
- Dec 29, electronic tolling will begin on the SR 520 Bridge.

Weekend of December 15-18			
Planned Construction			
Date(s) and Times	Project /Location	Description of Traffic Impacts	Location
Through Dec 15 9AM to 5PM	Paving on California Ave SW	Crews will be grinding and paving California Ave SW between SW Findlay St and SW Graham St each day. Two way traffic will be maintained. Sidewalks and crosswalks will remain open	West
Through Dec 15 7PM to 5AM	Closure of S Atlantic St overnights	S Atlantic St between East Frontage Rd and Alaskan Way S will be closed each night.	SODO
Through Dec 15 7PM to 5AM	Alaskan Way S closed overnights	Alaskan Way S will be closed between S Hanford St and S Atlantic St each night. Local access to S Massachusetts St will be maintained via S Hanford St.	SODO
Through Dec 15 11PM to 5AM	East Marginal Way S closed at S Spokane St	East Marginal Way will be closed at S Spokane St overnight. The southbound to westbound turn will be open. Southbound will be detoured under the elevated structure to continue south. Northbound will be detoured west at S Spokane St to continue north.	SODO/ West
Through Dec 15 9AM to 3PM	Northbound lane closure on the Fremont Bridge	The northbound right lane will be closed on the Fremont Bridge during the day.	North
Through Dec 15 10PM to 5AM	Westbound Spokane Street Viaduct closed each night	The westbound lanes on the Spokane Street Viaduct will be closed each night between I-5 and the SR 99 on-ramp. Traffic will be detoured to surface streets.	West/ I-5/ SODO
Dec 15 8PM to 6PM	Lane closures on Mercer St overnight	Up to two lanes of Mercer St will be closed overnight between 9th Ave N and Terry Ave N. Traffic will be maintained.	Downtown
Through Dec 16 8AM to 4PM	Parking lane and shoulder closures on Occidental Ave S	Crews will close the parking lanes and some shoulders on Occidental Ave S between S Lander St and S Holgate St each weekday, as well as Saturday, December 3.	SODO
Dec 17 8:30AM to 5PM	Lane closures on Lake Washington Blvd E	Crews will grind and pave Lake Washington Blvd E between Montlake Blvd E and E Miller St during the day. Westbound traffic will be maintained. Eastbound traffic will be detoured to E Boyer St.	East
Dec 17 7AM to 5PM	Railroad Way S closed	Railroad Way S will be closed during the day between S King St and 1st Ave S. Traffic will be detoured to S King St and 1st Ave S.	SODO
Through Dec 18 6AM to 10PM	Lane closure on 1st Ave S, north of Royal Brougham	Crews will close the southbound right lane on 1st Ave S, north of S Royal Brougham Way each day. A flagger will assist traffic traveling west on Royal Brougham at 1st Ave S.	SODO
Major Events			
Dec 16 7:30PM	Guns N' Roses	At Key Arena	Downtown
Dec 17 1PM	Battle in Seattle: Gonzaga versus Arizona	At Key Arena	Downtown
Dec 17 8PM	Tony Bennett	At the Paramount Theatre	Downtown
Dec 18 5PM	Jingle Bell Bash	At WaMu Theater	SODO

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Week of December 19-25			
Planned Construction			
Date(s) and Times	Project /Location	Description of Traffic Impacts	Location
Dec 19-21 9PM to 5AM	Fauntleroy Expressway to be closed overnight	The Fauntleroy Expressway will be closed each night. This is the portion of the West Seattle Freeway west of Delridge on/off-ramps and east of 35th Ave SW.	West/ SODO
Dec 19-22 7PM to 5AM	Closure of S Atlantic St overnights	S Atlantic St between East Frontage Rd and Alaskan Way S will be closed each night.	SODO
Dec 19-22 7PM to 5AM	Alaskan Way S closed overnights	Alaskan Way S will be closed between S Hanford St and S Atlantic St each night. Local access to S Massachusetts St will be maintained via S Hanford St.	SODO
Dec 19-22 9PM to 5AM	Closure of 1st Ave S at S Spokane St overnights	1st Ave S will be fully closed at S Spokane St each night. Traffic will be detoured around the closure.	SODO/ West
Dec 19-23 6AM	Pedestrian path closure on the east side of Alaskan Way between Washington and Yesler	The pedestrian path on the eastern side of Alaskan Way will be closed between Yesler Way and Washington St 24/7 for one week. Pedestrians, bicycles and other path users will be detoured to the western sidewalk.	SODO/ Downtown
Dec 19-23 7AM to 5PM	Southbound Taylor Ave N closed daily	Southbound Taylor Ave N between Thomas St and John St will close daily. Parking on the north side of the street will also close.	Downtown
Dec 19-23 7AM to 5PM	Taylor Ave N closed daily	Taylor Ave N between John St and the Best Western driveway will close daily. Some parking will be impacted.	Downtown
Through Dec 20 8:30AM to 3:30PM	Lane closures on 1st Ave S, south of Royal Brougham	The parking lane and southbound right driving lane will be closed on 1st Ave S between S Royal Brougham Way and S Massachusetts St each weekday.	SODO
Dec 21 7PM to 5AM	Alaskan Way S reduced to one shared lane overnight	Alaskan Way S will be reduced to one shared lane of traffic overnight between S King St and S Washington St. A flagger will assist traffic moving through the area.	SODO/ Downtown
Dec 21 7PM to 5AM	Roadway under the Viaduct closed overnight	The roadway under the Alaskan Way Viaduct will be closed between S Jackson St and S Main St overnight. Access to Alaskan Way S from S Jackson St will be restricted.	SODO/ Downtown
Dec 21 9PM to 5AM	Westbound Spokane Street Viaduct closed each night	The westbound lanes on the Spokane Street Viaduct will be closed each night between I-5 and the SR 99 on-ramp. Traffic will be detoured to surface streets.	West/ I-5/ SODO
Dec 22 10PM to 5AM	Westbound Spokane Street Viaduct closed overnight	The westbound lanes on the Spokane Street Viaduct will be closed overnight between I-5 and the SR 99 on-ramp. Traffic will be detoured to surface streets.	West/ I-5/ SODO
Dec 22 5AM	Alaskan Way S to close between S King St and S Main St	Alaskan Way S will close between S King St and S Main St until further notice. Two-way traffic will be re-routed under the Alaskan Way Viaduct between S King St and S Jackson St.	SODO/ Downtown
Major Events			
Dec 19-21	Salvation Army Toy N Joy	At CenturyLink East Hall	SODO
Dec 24 1:15PM	Seattle Seahawks versus San Francisco 49ers	At CenturyLink Field	SODO

Week of December 26 and beyond. . .			
Planned Construction			
Date(s) and Times	Project /Location	Description of Traffic Impacts	Location
Through Dec 27 24/7	Utah Ave S closed	Utah Ave S will be closed around the clock between S Atlantic St and S Massachusetts St. Local access will be maintained.	SODO
Dec 29 5AM	Electronic tolling to begin on the SR 520 Bridge	See website for tolling details, including how to get a Good To Go pass.	SR 520
Major Events			
Dec 31 7PM	Resolution New Years Eve	At WaMu Theater	SODO

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On-Going Construction			
Date(s) and Times	Project /Location	Description of Traffic Impacts	Location
Through Jan 2012 6AM to 2:30PM	Northbound lane closure and east sidewalk closure on the Ballard Bridge	Crews will close one northbound lane during the day to paint the eastern side of the Ballard Bridge. The eastern sidewalk may be closed around the clock for the six week duration of the work. See website for detour details.	Northwest
Through Fall 2012	Mercer Corridor Project Mercer East Construction	Mercer St is closed between Fairview Ave N and Minor Ave N for utility work.	Downtown/ I-5
Through early 2012		Westlake Ave N will close between Mercer St and Valley St until further notice.	
Through Feb 2012		Roy St will be closed between 9th Ave N and Dexter Ave N to accommodate underground utility work.	
Through Fall 2012		Eastbound Broad St is closed between 5th Ave N and 9th Ave N. Westbound Broad remains open.	
Through mid 2013		Terry Ave N is closed between Valley St and Mercer St. The streetcar will remain in operation.	
Through mid 2013		Boren Ave N is closed between Valley St and Mercer St until the end of the project.	
Dec 5 until further notice	Pedestrian path closure on the east side of Alaskan Way between Yesler and Marion	The pedestrian path on the eastern side of Alaskan Way will be closed between Yesler Way and Marion St 24/7. Pedestrians, bicycles and other path users will be detoured to the western sidewalk.	Downtown
Through Dec 2011	Lane closures near S Washington St and 2nd Ave Ext S	Crews will close lanes near the intersection of S Washington St and 2nd Ave Ext S to excavate for the installation of underground duct banks.	SODO
Through Dec 2011	Taylor Ave N closed between Broad St and Thomas St	SCL crews have Taylor Ave N closed between Broad St and Thomas St for utility work.	Downtown
Through Feb 2012 8:30AM to 3PM	Harrison St closed, west of SR 99	Harrison St will be closed each weekday between 6th Ave N and SR 99.	Downtown
Through March 2012	W Thomas St and 3rd Ave W closed	Crews have closed portions of W Thomas St and 3rd Ave W just east of Elliott Ave W for construction. Local access is being maintained. Pedestrian detours are in place.	Downtown
Through May 2012	Spokane Street Viaduct Widening Project	Westbound S Spokane St between 6th Ave S and East Marginal Way S is closed.	SODO/ West
Through Jan 31 24/7		1st Ave S will be reduced to one travel lane in each direction from approximately S Horton St to S Dakota St. The eastbound off-ramp from the Spokane St Viaduct to 1st Ave S is also reduced to one lane.	
Through Dec 2011	SR 99 Tunnel Project	The roadway underneath the Alaskan Way Viaduct is closed between S King St and S Jackson St.	SODO
Permanently		Parking under the Alaskan Way Viaduct is permanently closed between S King St and S Main St.	
Until Further Notice		The Alaskan Way S bike path is closed between S Jackson St and St Main St 24/7. Path users will follow a signed detour to the west side of Alaskan Way.	
Through early 2013 24/7	Closure of the Airport Way S over Argo Railroad Yard	The Airport over Argo Bridge will be closed for up to 14 months. Detours will be in place via 4th Ave S around the construction area.	South/ SODO

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