

# Road Closure Notice

## Northeast Ravenna Boulevard Paving Project 2012 Arterial Asphalt Concrete

March 16, 2012

### Street Grinding begins March 22<sup>nd</sup>

Westbound lanes closed between N.E. 65<sup>th</sup> St and N.E. 71<sup>st</sup> St on  
March 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>

Starting on March 22<sup>nd</sup> SDOT will grind and remove the existing asphalt pavement on the westbound lanes of Northeast Ravenna Boulevard between 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue N.E. and N.E. 71<sup>st</sup> Street.

This work will take three to four days to complete. On March 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>, N.E. Ravenna Blvd. between N.E. 71<sup>st</sup> St. and N.E. 65<sup>th</sup> St. will be closed during the day while asphalt grinding takes place. The eastbound lanes of N.E. Ravenna Blvd. will remain open, and a signed detour route will direct motorists around the work zone.

Local access on northbound N.E. Ravenna Blvd. will be maintained.

#### What to Expect During Grinding:

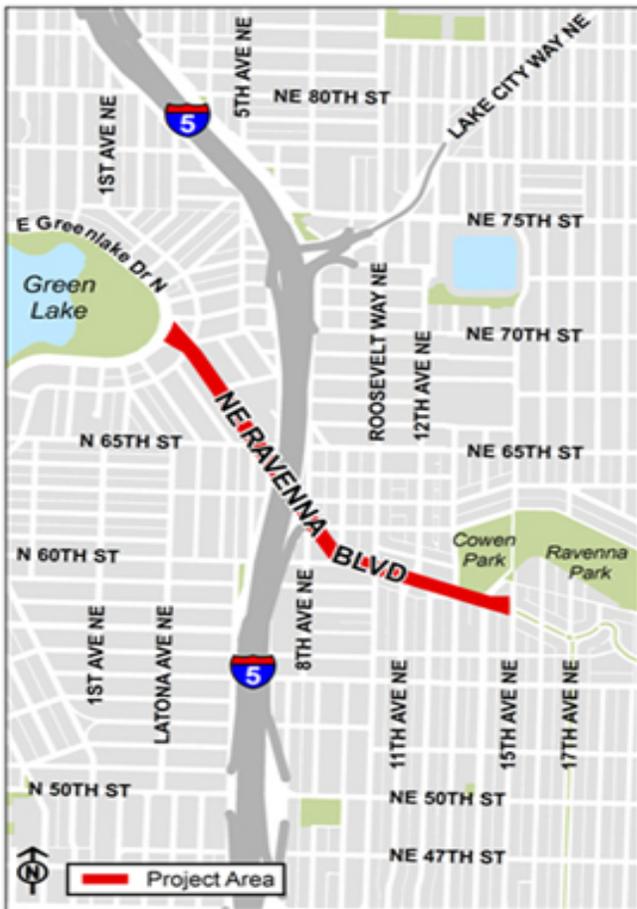
- 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. work hours
- Lane restrictions and some daytime street closures
- Parking and loading restrictions near the work zone
  - Please note, vehicles parked on the street in *No Parking* zones will be ticketed and towed
- Short-term cross street and driveway restrictions
- Construction noise and dust
- Uniformed police officers to keep traffic moving

#### What to Expect After Grinding:

- Grooved pavement and raised utility castings
- Temporary traffic channelization
- Roadway base repairs
- On-street parking restrictions 24 hours a day, seven (7) days a week
- One travel lane in each direction

Weather permitting, final paving is scheduled to take place late May.

***When near work zone all travelers should use caution, reduce speeds and keep a safe distance from construction equipment.***



#### What Bicyclists Can Expect During & After Grinding

- Advance warning signs
- Signed bike detour around the work zone(s)
- Grinding will result in grooved pavement and loose asphalt
- Closed bike lane – if deciding to travel on N.E. Ravenna Blvd. bicyclists will merge and share lane with vehicles
- Raised utility casting and man holes in the street
- Increased construction truck traffic

***Consider utilizing alternate routes***

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