



Stairway reconstruction at S Alaska Pl begins April 2016

PROJECT OVERVIEW

Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) crews are reconstructing the stairway at S Alaska Pl and Mountain View Dr S to meet current accessibility standards.

CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

Beginning as soon as early April, crews will begin preliminary work at the site. Construction is expected to last approximately 6 weeks. However, we will keep the existing stairway open while we build the new stairway. After the new stairway is open, we will remove the current stairway.

PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS

As part of this rehabilitation work, crews will:

- Remove and replace the existing stairs with a 5-foot-wide staircase made of reinforced concrete that meet current City of Seattle standards
- Install new handrails on each side, with a second handrail at a lower height to accommodate both adults and children
- Ensure all steps have uniform riser heights and tread widths

If the project budget allows, some landscaping improvements may be included as part of the project.

PROJECT MAP



WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

During stairway reconstruction, neighbors should expect:

- Daytime construction activities between 7 AM and 3:30 PM
- Noisy work activities, including concrete breaking and backup alarms required for safety.
- No parking at bottom of stairway

Thank you for your patience as we work to complete these improvements in your neighborhood.

This project is funded by a partnership between SDOT's Stairway Rehabilitation Fund and the Seattle Department of Neighborhoods' Neighborhood Park and Street Fund.

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