



FACT SHEET

# HARBOR AVE SW & SW SPOKANE ST INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

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## PROJECT BACKGROUND

The Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) will improve safety for people walking, biking and driving at the intersection of Harbor Ave SW and SW Spokane Street in West Seattle. In 2016, the Harbor Ave SW and SW Spokane Street Intersection project was one of 12 selected by the Levy to Move Seattle Oversight Committee to be funded through the SDOT's Neighborhood Street Fund (NSF) program. The NSF program funds projects requested by the community.

## PROJECT ELEMENTS

- Adding a signal to give people biking a protected crossing from the northeast to the southwest corner of the intersection
- Adding a curb bulb to increase space to stand and visibility at the corner
- Removing segments of a jersey barrier along the Alki Trail approaching Harbor Ave SW
- Restriping the crosswalk
- Trimming overgrown landscaping on the northeast corner
- Adding bike ramps on SW Avalon Way
- Painting a bike turn lane on SW Manning St

Maintaining transit and freight access to Harbor Ave SW and SW Avalon Way is a key element of the project. Adding the protected bike signal will increase wait times at this intersection during some peak times of the day.

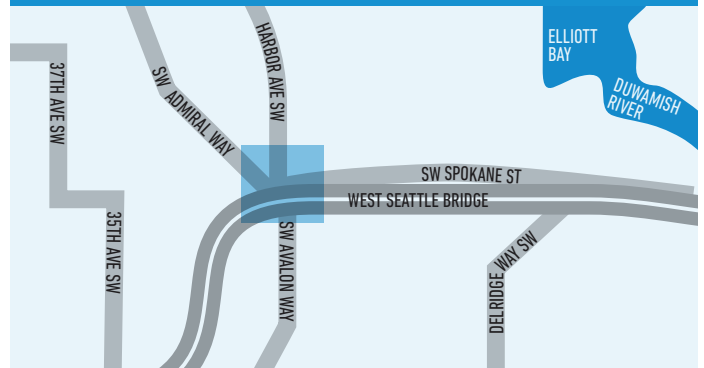
## PROJECT BENEFITS

- Increase visibility of and safety for people walking and biking across Harbor Ave SW and SW Spokane St
- Clarify a bike-only turning movement at SW Manning St and SW Avalon Way



People waiting to cross the intersection at Harbor Ave SW and SW Spokane St

## PROJECT LOCATION



## DO YOU NEED THIS IN ANOTHER FORMAT?

We are designing and building a transportation project proposed by your neighbors to make it safer for people walking and biking and to strengthen community. To learn more about the project or request translations call (206) 451-8191.

Estamos disenando y construyendo un proyecto de transporte propuesto por nuestros vecinos a fin de que sea mas seguro para que las personas caminen y monten bicicleta y asimismo fortalecer a la comunidad. Para obtener mayor informacion acerca del proyecto o para solicitar transporte llamar a: (206) 451-8191

## PROJECT INFORMATION AND CONTACT

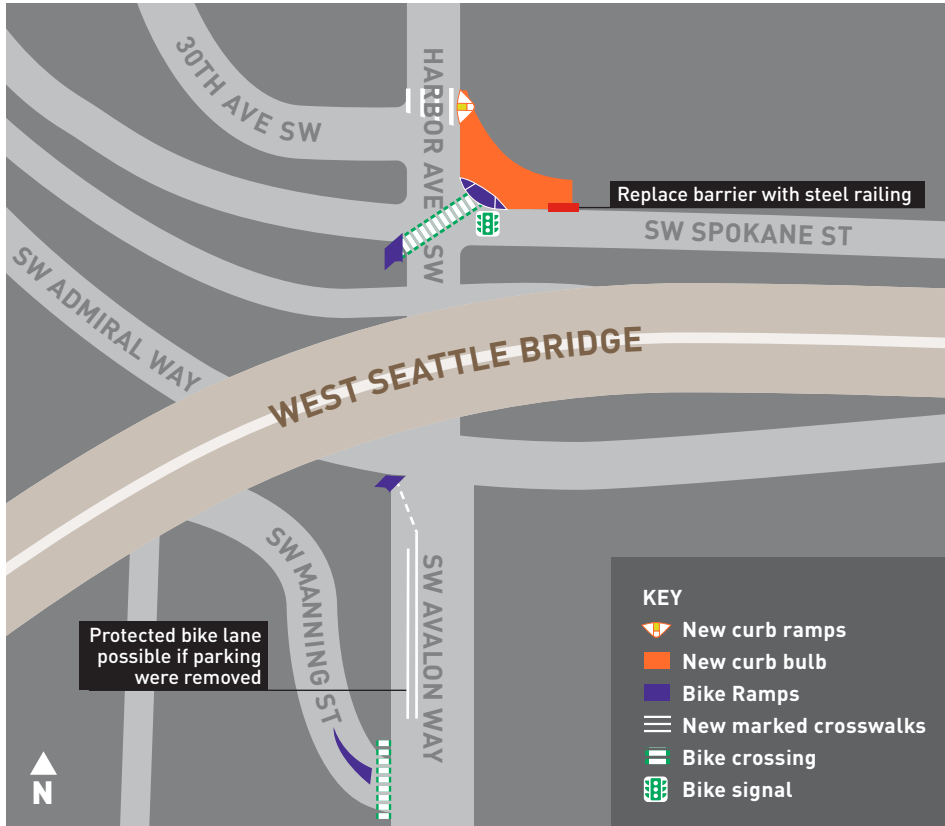
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## EARLY DESIGN OPTION

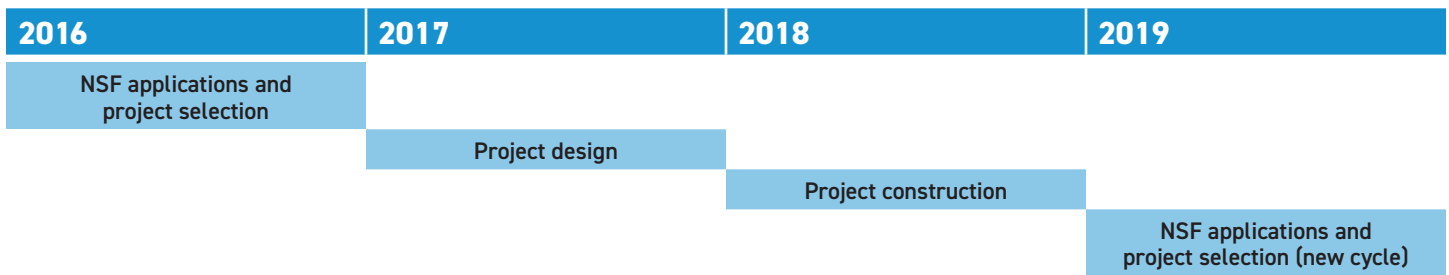


## WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Email us to let us know:

- What do you like about the design concept presented to the left? Do you have any concerns?
- Do the project elements address any issues you have about this intersection? What else should we know about your experiences here?
- What is your experience at this intersection when you are walking? Biking? Driving?
- Do you have recommendations for how to keep people informed about the project?

## SCHEDULE



## FUNDING

Funding comes from the 2015 voter-approved, nine-year Levy to Move Seattle, which will improve safety for all travelers, maintain streets and bridges, and invest in reliable, affordable travel options for a growing city. The levy includes \$24 million to continue the Neighborhood Street Fund program over the nine years.

## STAY INVOLVED!

We are committed to keeping you informed throughout the life of the project. Feel free to contact us, and be on the lookout for more information.

**Sign up to receive email updates:**  
**NSFHarborandSpokane@seattle.gov**

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