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## PROJECTS

**13** Capital Improvement Program Projects  
**9** Vacations and Right-of-Way Permits  
**5** Major Projects  
**2** Plans

**7** transportation projects

**6** vacations

**2** bridges

**11** parks and open spaces

**2** public facilities



**\$4.2 BILLION** ESTIMATED VALUE OF PROJECTS REVIEWED

**91 HOURS** TOTAL TIME SPENT ON REVIEWS AND MEETINGS

## HIGHLIGHTS

- 1** Held our bi-annual Design Excellence Awards, recognizing 4 projects - Fire Station 20 - Interbay, Seattle Bicycle Master Plan, UW Light Rail Station, Mapes Creek Restoration - for their excellence in design. Also include honorable mention for Leaves of Remembrance.
- 2** Completed our review of proposed improvements to the Seattle Waterfront - Main Corridor project in a two day session.
- 3** Completed our work on the WSSC expansion project, which requested 3 alley vacations as well as 2 subterranean vacations below Olive and Terry Ave
- 4** Completed consultations with WSDOT to develop an urban design manual guiding the proposed Montlake Lid project and related investments

The Seattle Design Commission champions design excellence in the public realm; promotes design practices that serve as a catalyst for innovative sustainable development, equal opportunity, and social inclusion; and ensures that the city's built environment makes Seattle a world-class example of sustainable urban design that strengthens community, public life, and economic prosperity.

