

LANDER ST BRIDGE PROJECT

FACT SHEET

Spring 2018

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Lander St is an essential east-west corridor in SODO serving traffic from freight, daily commuters, pedestrians, and bicycles, as well as King County Metro and the Port of Seattle. The Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) will build a bridge over the train tracks on Lander St between 1st Ave S and 3rd Ave S to improve local traffic circulation, rail operations, and safety in the SODO neighborhood.

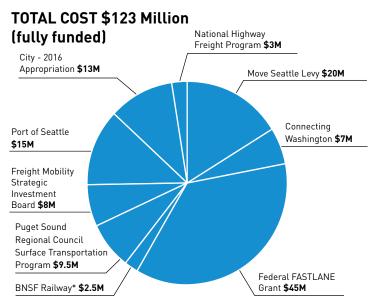
BENEFITS

- Improved safety: Conflicts between cars, bikes, trains, and pedestrians at this site have led to several fatalities
- Better access to jobs: Lander St creates direct connections to Port of Seattle facilities and freight operational support centers, which contribute to 75,000 existing jobs and an additional 25,000 jobs that are forecasted by 2040
- Reduced traffic congestion: Train crossings create more than 4.5 hours of delay for commuters and freight each day, impacting the mobility of tens of thousands of people and affecting access to port and manufacturing facilities critical to our economy

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- Construction is anticipated to begin in early 2018.
- Lander St will be closed between 1st Ave S and 4th Ave S during construction. Improvements to nearby streets and signals will help keep traffic moving during the closure
- Continual customer access to adjacent businesses as well as pedestrian and bicycle access on Lander St will be maintained throughout construction

COST AND FUNDING



^{*}Pursuant to 23 CRF 666.210

PROJECT TIMELINE

2016-2017 2018

- Project design
- Public outreach, feedback incorporated into design
- Project bid and awarded
- Pre-construction outreach

January - April

- Pre-construction outreach continues
- Construction begins (early work)
- Utility relocation
- Temporary signal modifications at Horton/1st, Hanford/1st Holgate/1st

May - August

- New signal at Forest/4th
- Traffic revisions in place
- Lander road closure through early 2020
- Water main work

2019-2020

September -December

• Begin footings and bridgework

2019

- Bridge work continues
- Build approaches to 1st Ave and 4th Ave
- Build approaches to 3rd Ave

Early 2020

Lander bridge open to traffic

ONGOING INFORMATION AND OUTREACH

PROJECT INFORMATION & CONTACT

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Gathering public input at a project open house



Conceptual rendering of the new Lander St Bridge



Amtrak train traveling across Lander St

HOW TO STAY INFORMED

- Visit our website: www.seattle.gov/transportation/lander bridge.htm
- Call us: 206-256-5450
- Email us with questions or to sign up for construction updates: lander bridge@seattle.gov

