We’re planning to close 30th Ave SW at SW Avalon Way to people driving. This closure will happen along with adjacent paving on SW Avalon Way, which is scheduled to start this spring and wrap up next year.
We’re closing the street end because we heard from residents on 30th Ave SW that people driving use their local street as a high-speed cut-through route to bypass traffic signals on SW Avalon Way. The closure will be made with plastic posts and paint, which allows emergency access and first responders to get to homes quickly. Access to all homes will be maintained.

Safety is our top priority. We have a Vision Zero goal to eliminate serious injuries and traffic fatalities on Seattle streets. This means we design streets for the safety of everyone, focusing on our most vulnerable users. With people walking and biking on SW Avalon Way and to get to and from the bus, we can also make this complex, five-leg intersection more manageable and predictable by closing one leg.

Please let us know if you have any questions or comments. We will share more information when we’re closer to installing the street end closure. Thank you.

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