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Ship Canal Water Quality Project

Ballard

Project overview

Seattle Public Utilities and King County started work near 24th and Shilshole avenues NW to prepare for upcoming Ship Canal Water Quality Project tunnel construction.

Current work in Ballard:

- Preparing the site for construction including soil remediation, utility relocation and replacing combined sewer outfall pipes
- Replacing the 24th Ave NW public access pier

Upcoming work in Ballard:

- Building the western end of the tunnel where tunnel boring will begin
- Building new pipes along NW 56th St, 28th Ave NW and 24th Ave NW to convey flows from Ballard's existing pipes to the tunnel
- Building a pump station to pump flows from the tunnel
- Planning for long-term use of Ballard site

What to expect during construction

- Construction-related noise, dust and vibrations
- 24th Avenue Pedestrian Pier closure through 2024
- Increased truck traffic
- Marine and in-water construction activities in the Ship Canal and Salmon Bay

Background

The Ship Canal Water Quality Project builds a storage tunnel to reduce polluted water overflows into the Ship Canal from Ballard, Fremont, Wallingford, and north Queen Anne. The 2.7-mile, 18'10"-diameter tunnel will temporarily hold more than 29 million gallons of stormwater and sewage during heavy rains. When the storm passes, flows will be sent to King County's West Point Wastewater Treatment Plant.



Projected timeline

Construction in Ballard began in 2018 and is expected to last through 2024.

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