

# Georgetown Healthy Street Update

March 16, 2026: Georgetown Community Council Briefing



# Our Vision

*Seattle is an equitable, vibrant, and diverse city where moving around is safe, fair, and sustainable. All people and businesses can access their daily needs and feel connected to their community.*

## Values & Goals

- Safety
- Equity
- Sustainability
- Mobility & Economic Vitality
- Livability
- Maintenance & Modernization
- Excellence





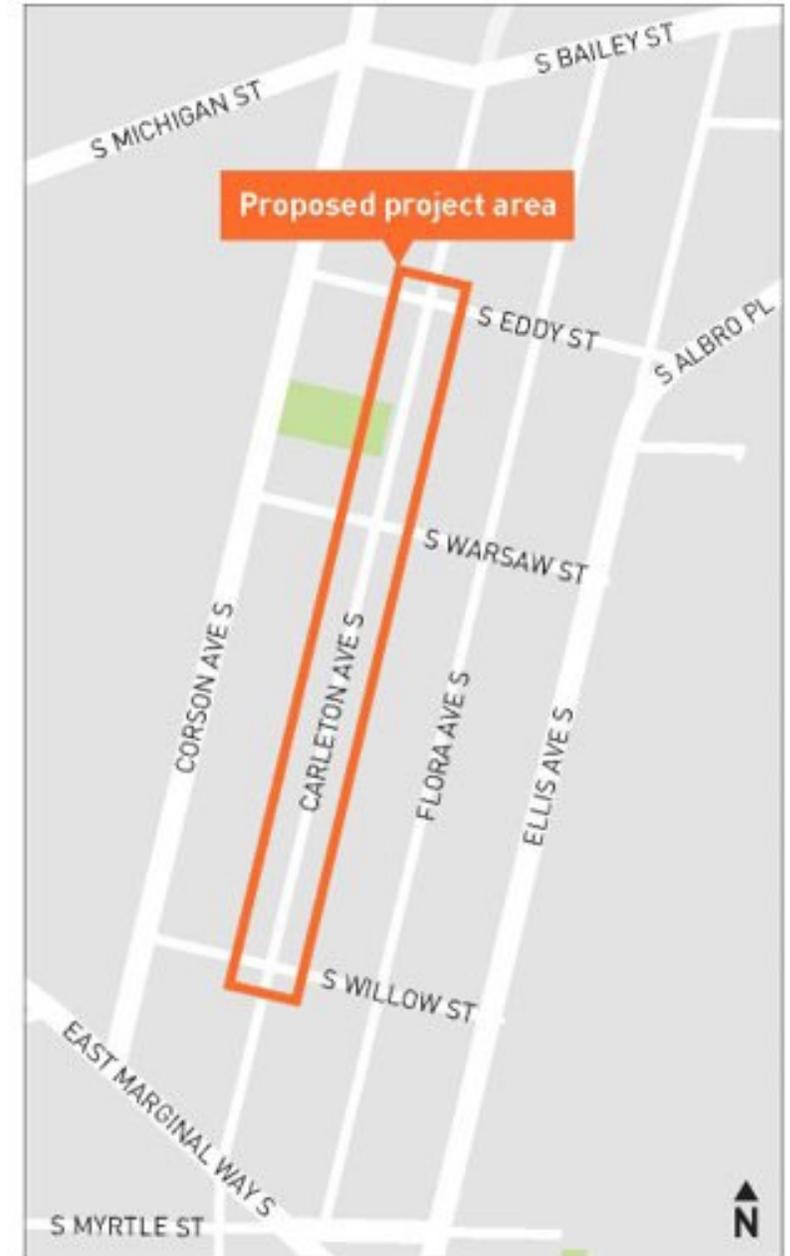
# Georgetown Healthy Street

- Pilot project to mitigate traffic impacts due to closure of West Seattle Bridge in 2020
- Goal to reduce cut through traffic, more space for people, more livable
- Permanent Healthy Street completed summer 2025
- Includes speed humps, Healthy Street signs and planters, and painted curb bulbs at intersections
- Heard community support to narrow Carleton Ave S to add trees and expand Oxbow Park



# Carleton Ave S Upgrades

- Funded by Seattle Transportation Levy
- Goals:
  - Better align street with city standards
  - Grow urban tree canopy and provide shade and cleaner air
  - Provide community-requested greenspace
  - Further calm traffic
  - Make the street more enjoyable and livable
- Project elements:
  - Add large street trees
  - Potentially expand Oxbow Park
  - Potentially reconfigure some street parking
  - Narrow roadway in sections
  - Maintain street parking and two-way traffic



# Carleton Ave S

- Wider than typical Neighborhood Yield Street
  - Standard width: 25 feet curb to curb
  - Carleton Ave S: 42 feet curb to curb
  - Flora Ave S: 29 feet curb to curb
- Lacks tree cover compared to other neighborhood streets



**Carleton Ave S**



**Flora Ave S**

# Oxbow Park Potential Expansion

- Streets to Parks partnerships between Seattle Parks and SDOT
- Goal to expand public space next to existing parks
- Collecting feedback on community priorities and desired uses



# Examples



*University Street, E Union St, and  
Boylston Ave in First Hill*

## *Summit Slope Park in Capitol Hill*



# We Want to Hear From You!

Your feedback will help shape early design concepts

**Take our survey  
by March 31**



# Next Steps

- Share early design concepts this spring/summer
- Continue coordinating with Seattle Parks
- May begin implementing project elements as soon as this year
- Ongoing outreach



# Questions?

## Stay in touch:



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**From the entire SDOT Team:  
Thank you!**