

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

Road Improvements Coming Soon

West Marginal Way SW

SAFETY CORRIDOR PROJECT

The West Marginal Way SW Safety Corridor Improvement Project increases awareness of driveways crossing the Duwamish Trail and separates people biking from driving for nearly half-mile by adding a protected bike lane (PBL). The PBL is between Marginal Pl SW and the existing Duwamish Trail signalized crossing near SW Idaho St and closes a crucial gap in the regional walking and biking network. When complete, West Marginal Way SW will be a more predictable space for all travelers and speeds will be closer to the 30MPH posted speed limit.



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Making West Marginal Way SW safer and more accessible for all travelers

We will be installing a 0.4-mile two-way protected bike lane (PBL) and striping on the western side of the corridor between SW Marginal Pl and Duwamish Longhouse and updating all 17 Duwamish Trail / driveway crossings on the east side of the corridor with signs and pavement markings.

In July 2021, we announced the construction of a new bike lane when the West Seattle Bridge reopened. Our approach to designing this project is data-driven and incorporates the input of the various travelers who use West Marginal Way SW. We collected traffic data multiple times, both before and after the West Seattle Bridge reopened and determined the project would have little to no travel time impacts, and positive safety effects for people walking and biking.

Construction starts in early April and is weather dependent. Construction will be on a weekend for the bike lane and on both weekday and weekends for the Duwamish Trail driveway crossing treatments. Trail detours in short sections will be noted on signs. Please dismount bikes and walk around wet paint near driveways.

To learn more visit SDOT’s website, email or call us WestMarginalWay@seattle.gov or 206-400-7511.



A similar protected bike lane as seen on SR-99 / Green Lake Outer Loop project

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WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

- Work begins in April and will last approximately a month.
- Work hours are approximately 7 AM – 3 PM.
- Expect reduced lanes or lane shifts on the west side of the corridor and trail disruptions
- Parking may not be allowed during construction.
- Neighbors will be notified in advance of temporary driveway closures.
- Expect typical construction equipment, materials, noise, dust, and activity in the work area.



Project map