King County
Department of Natural Resources and Parks
Wastewater Treatment Division

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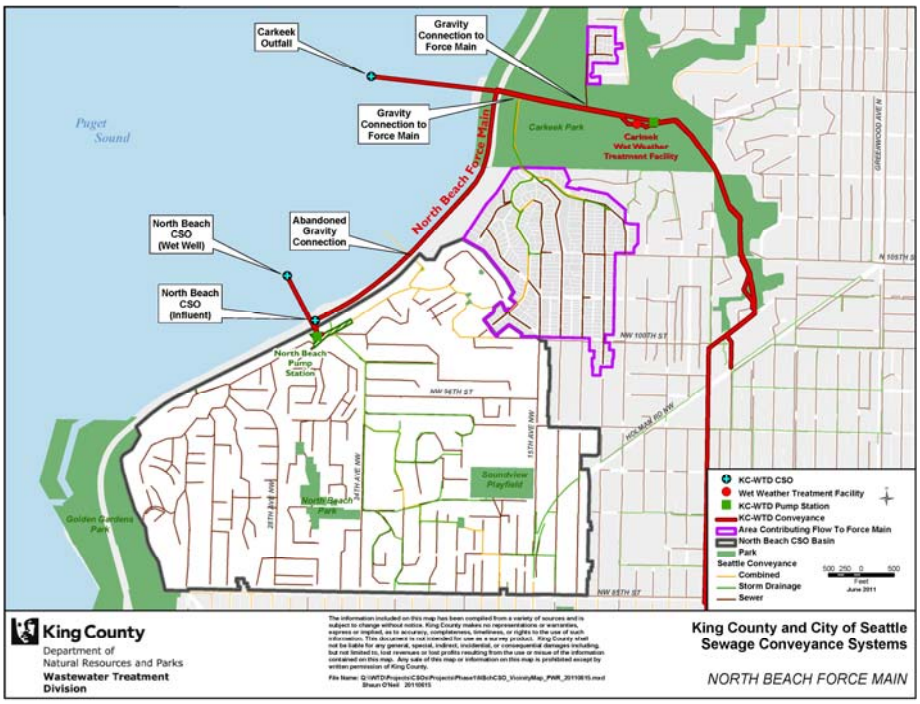
Maintenance work at the North Beach Pump Station beginning week of July 25

Beginning the week of July 25, King County will carry out work to establish access for maintenance and evaluation of the North Beach Force Main. An access point will be installed on King County's pump station property. This type of facility access is installed routinely as part of facility construction under current design guidelines; however, when the North Beach Pump Station was built, it was not a part of project design.

The access point will be created by removing concrete on the driveway, excavating earth below, and installing a manhole and valve. Work to create the access point is expected to take about three days, with an additional half day required to install a temporary valve. Work hours are expected to be from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. but may change if needed. Equipment will remain overnight during this work on the County's property. King County staff will conduct system tests after access is established. We will keep neighbors up to date on facility maintenance activities.

What Neighbors Can Expect

- Work hours are between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- An excavator, dump truck and two work trucks will be on site
- Crews will park at the site
- Noise will occur as crews remove concrete and dirt
- Excavated dirt will be stored on site under cover and used to backfill the excavation



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