

Shoring removal on 32nd Avenue West beginning week of September 17; early hours equipment delivery Friday, September 14

King County's contractor is continuing to make progress on restoration throughout the Magnolia project area. Pipe connections are being completed, structures are being restored, and crews are preparing for operations later this fall.

Project neighbors have observed less activity than usual due to regional labor issues, which you have probably seen in the news. Now that the operators' strike is over, the next step in restoration work on 32nd Avenue West can continue. The contractor will be working full days to backfill the excavation and remove shoring now that the labor issue is resolved.

The County's contractor will pour a concrete wall on the upper diversion structure wall this week. Then work will begin to remove the shoring that has protected the excavation. This work will take about two weeks, and will generate noise and vibration in the work area. The contractor will perform vibration monitoring during this work.

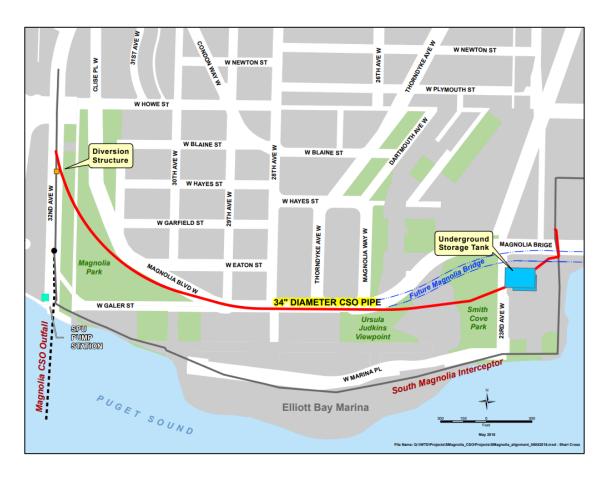
We appreciate your patience; we know this has been a long project for the neighborhood, and this work will be very noticeable. Restoration will continue after shoring removal. We will keep you up to date on activities.

Excavator delivery for this work will occur at about 3 a.m. Friday, Sept. 14.

The excavator needed for shoring removal must be delivered outside of work hours due to City of Seattle requirements for oversize loads. The contractor has obtained a noise variance from the City, and is committed to limit noise as much as possible during the delivery.

What you can expect

- Concrete pour at the diversion structure Thursday, Sept. 13. Neighbors will see a pump truck and 1 concrete truck during this operation.
- Equipment delivery at about 3 a.m. Friday, Sept 14. Once the delivery is complete, no work will begin until regular construction hours.
- Work hours: From 7:00 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. No work on weekends is anticipated.
- Noise during shoring removal, and vibration in the work area.
- Traffic flow past the work site will be maintained. Watch for flaggers and please drive slowly to protect crews, other drivers, and pedestrians. The extended hours are to accommodate he pipe connection, pressure test and backfill of excavations.



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