

## July Project Update

King County's Wastewater Treatment Division (WTD) is building a new wet weather treatment station in Georgetown at the corner of Fourth Avenue South and South Michigan Street. As part of the Wet Weather Treatment Station project, WTD is also building a new outfall structure under the First Avenue South Bridge and connecting pipes from the station to the outfall. Read below for updates, highlights from the past month, and information about upcoming work.

### Conveyance Pipes

You may remember back in February when we shared that South River Street will be closed to complete work in that area. Work was postponed and now has begun. **South River Street underneath the First Avenue Bridge will be closed for approximately three months.** Crews will complete necessary work to build the conveyance pipes, including surveying in the roadway, moving utilities, trenching, placing pipe, and backfilling. A detour route for trucks and commuters is shown in blue on the map below. The detour uses Occidental Avenue South and South Michigan Street.



Crews also started working on South Brandon Street including pre-construction surveying.

Work on South Michigan Street and East Marginal Way South continues. Construction activities are done overnight during permitted hours from 8 p.m. – 5 a.m.

Take a look at our [Spring 2019 newsletter](#) to review traffic, bus, and pedestrian detours that are in place during these overnight work hours.

## Treatment Station

Crews continue to complete activities underground and aboveground as they form rebar and pour concrete for pipe-supporting structures and to construct various buildings on-site. Take a look at our treatment station [Flickr page](#) for construction progress photos to see what crews have been working on!

### What to expect during construction:

- Project team available to brief and update community groups, business owners, and residents about construction activities and next steps for construction
- Active 24/7 construction hotline: 206-205-9286
- Security fencing and erosion and sediment control around the project sites
- Large trucks and equipment moving in and out of the project areas
- There may be traffic impacts as pipes are installed in roadways
- Increased noise, typical of a construction site

**Visit the project website:** [www.kingcounty.gov/GeorgetownWWTS](http://www.kingcounty.gov/GeorgetownWWTS)

**Call:** 24/7 Project hotline at 206-205-9286

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