



Sunset and Heathfield Pump Stations and Force Main Upgrade

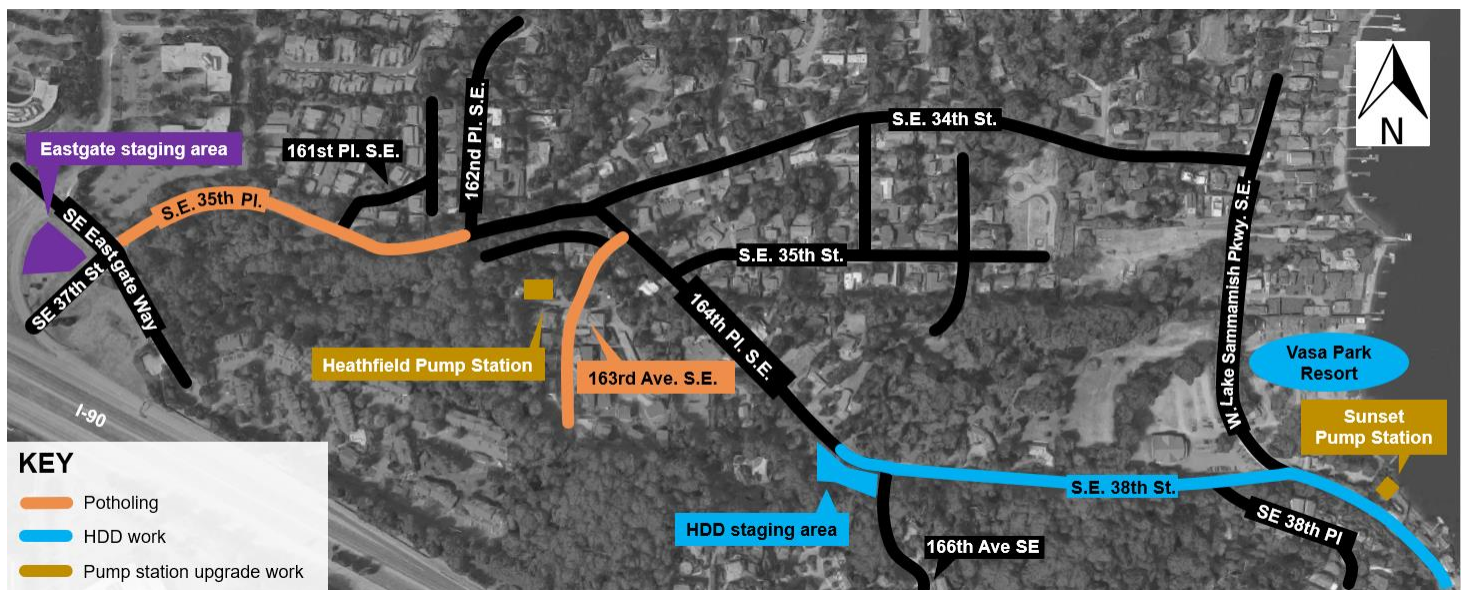
Construction Update – Jan. 19, 2018

HDD work continues weekdays and weekends at the HDD staging area and near Vasa Park; other work continues during the week in various locations

Please note, King County’s contractor for the Sunset and Heathfield Pump Stations and Force Main Upgrade project plans to work on both Saturday and Sunday from this weekend through late February to continue pipe installation via horizontal directional drilling (HDD).

Crews will be moving between locations as they continue to install the pipe and upgrade the pump stations.

Work area map



Upcoming work

Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD)

Work hours: weekdays and weekends 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Crews are continuing to prepare for pipe installation using HDD. For more information about HDD activities and timing, see page two of our [FAQ document](#) on our website. You can expect:

- Weekend work at the HDD staging area and at Vasa Park/Sunset Pump Station on Saturdays and Sundays through late February
- To see drill rigs onsite near 164th Place Southeast and in Vasa Park. Crews will use these drill rigs to excavate around the launch pit and drill the pilot bore.
- Crews continuing to drill the pilot bore from Vasa Park to create an underground pathway through which the pipe will be pulled.
- A generator to run during work hours at the project staging area on 164th Pl. S.E. to dewater. Dewatering removes underground water by pumping it out of a set work area to allow for underground construction.

Potholing

Work hours: weekdays 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Crews continue to prepare for pipe installation by excavating potholes along Southeast 35th Place and near the pump station along 163rd Avenue Southeast. You can expect intermittent single-lane closures while this work is completed.

Sunset and Heathfield pump station work

Work hours: weekdays 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Crews continue construction activities at the Sunset and Heathfield Pump Stations. You can expect the following:

- Continued electrical work at both pump stations
- Crews continuing to install a retaining wall at the Sunset Pump Station

Eastgate staging area activities

Work hours: weekdays 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Construction activities may include concrete pouring and curing at the Eastgate staging area (at the intersection of S.E. Eastgate Way and S.E. 37th St.). You can expect equipment, noise and dust typical of a construction site while this work is completed.

What to expect throughout construction:

- Noise during work hours
- The fused pipe to float on Lake Sammamish until it is pulled through the underground pathway on Southeast 38th Street in February 2018. For more information, see our [boater flier](#) on our website.
- Truck traffic and traffic impacts on West Lake Sammamish Parkway Southeast and 164th Pl. S.E. during working hours
- Intermittent single-lane closures on West Lake Sammamish Parkway Southeast near the Vasa Park Resort and the Sunset Pump Station for delivery of equipment
- Signs and flaggers to direct traffic around work or to detour routes
- Equipment, dust, and vibrations close to the work areas
- Temporary roadway patches so that crews can re-open affected lanes to traffic when they are not working

The schedule and duration for construction is tentative and is subject to change as work progresses. We will continue to provide email notices with updates on timing of specific construction activities.

For more information

- Visit www.kingcounty.gov/sunsetheathfield
- Call the project hotline at **206-296-7800**
- Email De'Sean Quinn at desean.quinn@kingcounty.gov

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