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Construction Update: *Pipe installation continues; full road closure resumed on 164th PI SE at Vasa Creek*

Crews continue to install pipe under 164th via two different methods: open cut and jackand-bore trenchless installation.

Open cut

The open cut pipe installation on 164th PI SE is now underway. Due to open trenches, **this work requires resuming a full road closure of 164th PI SE near Vasa Creek** (this area had been temporarily re-opened last week). To access SE 35th St from 164th PI SE, drivers should use West Lake Sammamish Pkwy SE.

We anticipate that the open cut work will last several weeks. After crews finish open cut pipe installation, they will restore access to SE 35th St from 164th PI SE near Vasa Creek. This part of the road will be closed again for final restoration work in mid-2019.

Jack-and-bore

Crews continue to make progress on jack-and-bore pipe installation, and are currently installing pipe between Heathfield Pump Station and 164th PI SE. Crews continue excavating and installing shoring at the shaft near the intersection of 164th PI SE and at the shaft at the corner of SE 35th PI. We'll provide more information as this work progresses.

Project Map



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.

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For more information about ongoing road closures in the area, please visit the <u>project</u> <u>website</u>.

What to expect during construction

- Work hours
 - Mondays through Fridays, 6:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.
 - **Please note:** Equipment will not start until 7 a.m., per the City of Bellevue Noise Ordinance
- Closures
 - 164th PI SE: Two full 24-hour road closures near SE 35th St and 163rd Ave SE
 - **SE 35th PI:** Single-lane closures, as needed for restoration work
 - 163rd Ave SE: Intermittent single-lane closures
 - W Lake Sammamish Pkwy SE: Intermittent single-lane closures on weekdays, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.
 - **Please note:** Flaggers and signage will assist drivers in detouring around closures. Access to homes and driveways will be maintained and prioritized for the duration of the closures.
- **Increased noise and vibrations:** Neighbors can expect noise and vibrations from excavation for pit creation, shoring, boring machines, vacuum trucks, pipe installation, and generators.
- **Parking impacts:** Select street parking will be removed during this phase of work. Please adhere to the no parking signs posted by the contractor.
- Access maintained for services: Access will be maintained for emergency services, waste pickup, and mail delivery.

For more information

- Visit www.kingcounty.gov/sunsetheathfield
- Call the project hotline at **206-296-7800**
- Email Caryn Sengupta at caryn.sengupta@kingcounty.gov

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