

SW SEATTLE PAVING: 35TH/AVALON



Greetings,

We are wrapping up zone B demolition on the east half SW Avalon Way! This Saturday, May 4 and Monday, May 6, we are planning to pave the road base on the east side of SW Avalon Way from SW Genesee St to SW Yancy (Zone B). Please note that paving is weather dependent and may be postponed if the weather is wetter than anticipated. Once paving is complete, we plan to grind the sections of remaining existing pavement on Tuesday, May 7 and Wednesday, May 8. We will then move traffic to the east side of SW Avalon Way as we shift work to the west side of the street as early as Friday, May 10.

From Friday, May 3 through Sunday, May 5, we will be closing the east side of the intersection of SW Avalon Way and SW Genesee St to demolish existing pavement, grade, and pave the intersection. Crews will need to work across multiple lanes of traffic in the intersection. We plan to reopen this intersection as early as Monday, May 6.

Work on 35th Ave SW from SW Avalon Way to SW Alaska St (Zone E) will begin as soon as Tuesday, May 7. We will maintain **one lane of traffic in each direction on 35th Ave SW** between Fauntleroy Way SW and SW Alaska St. See below for more information about what to expect.

Please do not disturb traffic control. When you disrupt cones and signage, it endangers other drivers, travelers, and our crews. You can be held accountable if an accident occurs.

Please also follow posted speed limits, share the road with cyclists, and drive safely. We want everyone to move through the construction site and get home safely.

Overview of upcoming work

What to expect during paving:

- If you live on the east side of SW Avalon Way in Zone B, **you will not have access to your driveway during paving**; please plan ahead and park on side streets. **If you have concerns about accessibility, please reach out to the project team as soon as possible.**
- **Crews will be working this weekend from 7 AM to 7 PM Saturday, May 4 and Monday, May 6**
- Pedestrian access will be maintained at all times. **You will not be able to cross SW Avalon Way from SW Genesee St to SW Yancy St in our work zone**
- **Fresh asphalt pavement can be hazardous to walk on for people and pets.**

What you should expect this weekend and next week:

- **Lots of construction activity** including jackhammering, large trucks, machines, noise, dust, asphalt odors, and vibrations
- Traffic delays as construction vehicles enter or exit the work zone. For the safety of our crews, **please drive carefully and watch your speed through the construction zone.**
- **Uniformed police officers will typically be onsite**
- **Typical work hours from 7 AM - 7 PM**
- **Once traffic control switches to the east side of SW Avalon Way, expect uneven driving surfaces.** Cyclists should use extreme caution.
- Buses are making in-lane stops. Please follow the safe passageways set up for your safety. **The northbound stop at Genesee is temporarily closed.**
- The contractor is coordinating with King County Metro to reroute route 50 through Sunday, May 5.
- **Sign up for [Metro's Rider Alerts](#)** to stay up to date on stop relocations. If a stop is relocated or a bus is detoured, signs will also be posted along the corridor.

Traffic impacts and detours:

- **SW Genesee St will be closed through May 5** on the east side of SW Avalon Way. People driving west on SW Genesee St will not be able to access SW Avalon Way and will need to use alternate routes to access SW Genesee St east of the intersection. We plan to reopen the intersection as soon as Monday, May 6.
- **To access SW Avalon Way**, please head north on Delridge Way SW, turn left onto SW Andover St, left onto 28th Ave southwest, and right onto SW Yancy St.
- **30th Ave SW will be temporarily closed for construction staging.** You will not be able to access SW Avalon Way from 30th Ave SW. 30th Ave SW will be permanently closed at the completion of this project.
- **SW Snoqualmie St will be closed to 35th Ave SW for construction staging.** Local access will be maintained from 36th Ave SW.

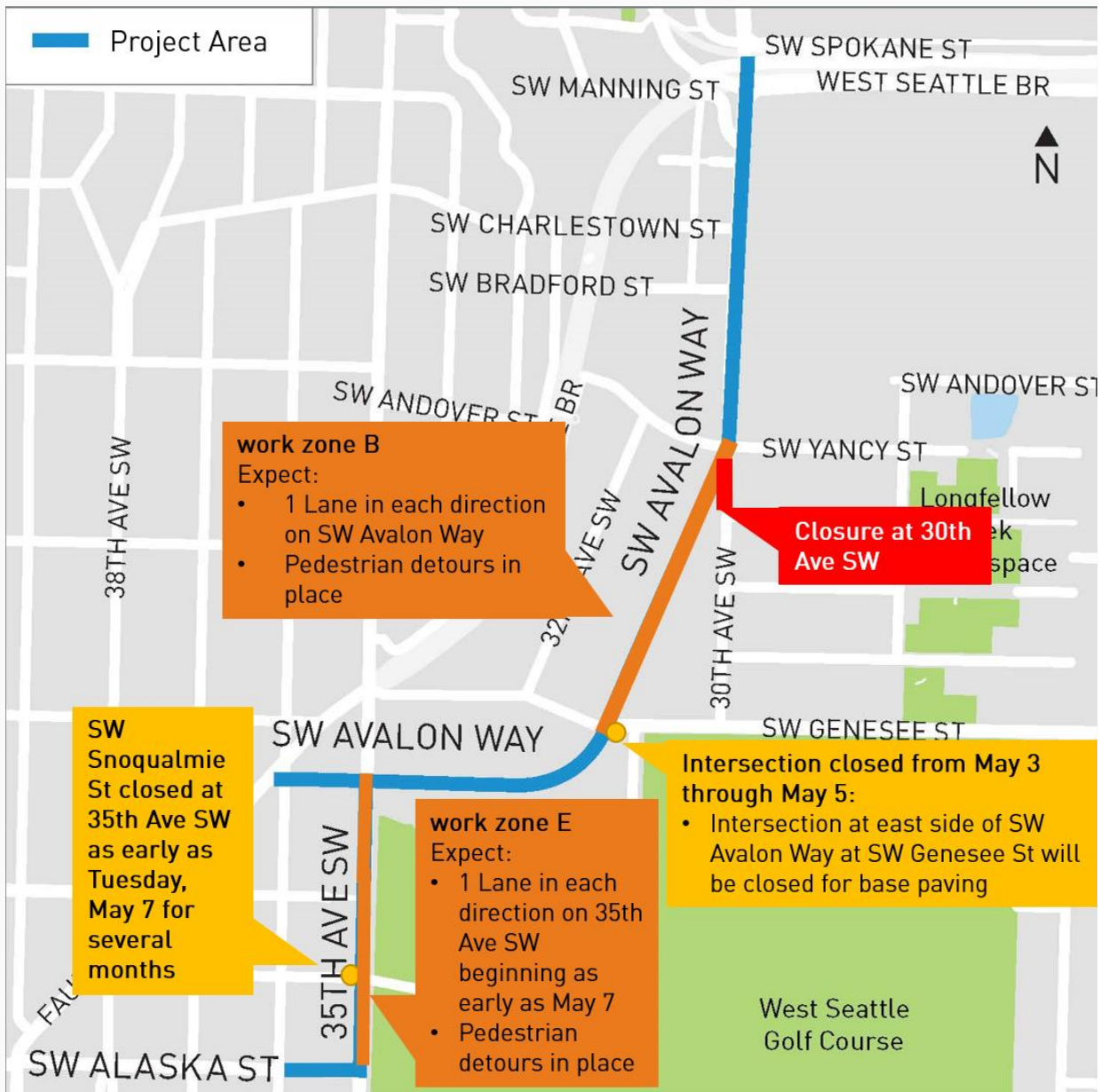
- **Right turns only on SW Avalon Way and 35th Ave SW.** For the safety of people driving and our crews, we are allowing right turns only throughout work zone B and E. People turning into their driveway will need to turn right into their driveways and will not be permitted to turn across traffic.
- **No Parking signs** throughout zones B and E to facilitate the traffic shift
- We will maintain **one lane of traffic in each direction on SW Avalon Way** between SW Genesee St and SW Yancy St
- We will maintain **one lane of traffic in each direction on 35th Ave SW** between Fauntleroy Way SW and SW Alaska St
- **We will maintain local access to driveways** on SW Genesee St near the SW Avalon Way intersection and on SW Snoqualmie St near the 35th Ave SW intersection

For people walking and biking along SW Avalon Way:

- **Bikers should use extreme caution on SW Avalon Way** and consider traveling on alternative routes
- **Sidewalk and crosswalk detours.** Please follow posted detours for walking when you see them.



Work in Zone B will take up to 3 months. Our goal is to work safely and efficiently to get this work completed. We know construction can be disruptive, thank you for your patience during construction!



Keeping in touch

Don't hesitate to get in touch with the project outreach team should you have any questions or concerns - you can reach us at avalonpaving@seattle.gov or call 206-900-8734.

Contact

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