GEORGETOWN
Wet Weather Treatment Station

King County
Protecting Our Waters
Doing our part on rainy days

January 29, 2015

Geotechnical investigations starting Monday, February 2

Expect temporary lane closures, parking restrictions and pedestrian detours

King County Wastewater Treatment Division is considering locations to build the Georgetown Wet Weather Treatment Station. This station will clean sewage and stormwater before returning it to the Duwamish River. To help inform the project, we will conduct investigations in your neighborhood to evaluate soil and groundwater conditions. We expect the investigations to start as early as Monday, February 2, and last about four weeks (approximately one day at each location along E. Marginal Way S. and four days at the S. Front Street location).

Crews will drill holes in ten locations along South Michigan Street, East Marginal Way and South Front Street. Two types of drilling trucks will be used during this work. A medium-size truck-mounted drill rig will drill eight holes to about 20 feet below the surface. A full-size truck-mounted drill rig will drill two holes up to 200 feet below the surface. Soil and groundwater samples will be collected to allow us to analyze ground conditions.

● Approximate drilling location

Work will occur in eight locations along S. Michigan St., E. Marginal Way S. and 4th Ave. S.

What to expect:

- Work hours typically between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
- Work for about four weeks starting Monday, February 2.
- Work will occur within public right-of-way, potentially including on-street parking areas, planting strips, sidewalks, and/or the roadway depending on features of each specific site.
- Temporary parking restrictions, shoulder, sidewalk and/or lane closures, and pedestrian detours. Flaggers will direct traffic through the work site if work in the roadway is required.
- Noise close to the work area.
- When the work is complete, the site will be restored according to City of Seattle standards.

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