

Project update

June 19, 2017

Demolition work continues this week

Starting this week, King County's contractor Titan Earthwork will continue demolition work. These activities will prepare the site for construction.

Activities include:

- Installing a silt fence to capture sediment in stormwater runoff, protecting the Duwamish River during demolition
- Potholing to locate underground utilities by drilling shallow holes on site
- Installing dewatering equipment to pump groundwater out of the work area, allowing for upcoming excavation activities
- Installing a water treatment system, as part of the dewatering system to pre-treat water before it enters the sewer system
- Removing contaminated soil from the site

Once the above activities are complete, crews will begin excavating the site and breaking down remaining foundations.

King County will continue to maintain safe air and water quality through construction practices that the contractor is required to use. Building materials and contaminated soil will be disposed of following local, state, and federal regulations.

What to expect

- Work on weekdays from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. You will be notified in advance if work will occur on nights/weekends
- Increased noise from concrete breaking equipment only during work hours, for approximately 2 weeks
- You may hear noise close to the site from the dewatering pumps and generator, running 24/7 for about 4 weeks starting as early as Thursday this week
- Crews and increased truck traffic on the site and surrounding roads
- Employment of best management practices to protect public health and the environment



Dewatering equipment will stay in place until foundations are removed.



Trucks and equipment will access the treatment station site from Fourth Avenue South.

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