

Lake Hills and NW Lake Sammamish Sewer Upgrade Project

July 25, 2016

Geotechnical work this week, WTD's GoGreen booth a hit, and Pokemon, don't Go here!

Field investigation update

King County's team will continue field work and geotechnical borings in Redmond through August. You may see crews wearing bright safety vests and using metal rods to do field work near King County's Marymoor Park entrance and near the Sammamish River Trail from Marymoor Park to NE 85th Street by Redmond City Hall.

On July 25 and 26, crews will complete geotechnical borings on NE 24th Street and 177th Avenue NE. To complete this work, crews will close a portion of the east sidewalk on 177th Avenue NE at the intersection of 177th Avenue and West Lake Sammamish Parkway and reduce NE 24th Street near 179th Avenue NE to one lane. Drivers, pedestrians, and bicyclists may see cones, signage, construction equipment, and flaggers.

From July 26 to 29, crews will complete four geotechnical borings near the Sammamish River Trail in King County's Marymoor Park to evaluate soil and groundwater conditions. No borings will be completed on the trail itself, but trail users may see the trail narrowed at times when equipment is moved down the trail. Moving drill rigs and support equipment will take about 10-15 minutes. Crews will use signage, cones, and caution tape to give trail users notice about work ahead. Please pay attention to all signs and travel slowly through the work areas.

King County's GoGreen Night at Movies@Marymoor

Thank you to everyone who stopped by to visit King County's Lake Hills/NW Lake Sammamish project team at the GoGreen Movie Night on July 13. More than 150 people stopped by the project booth to discuss the project, dinosaur poop, and gross things found in our sewers before this year's screening of *Jurassic World*.

We also asked booth visitors to tell us what clean water means to them. We know that in the Puget Sound, our waterways are part of everyone's life. We hope you'll <u>share your</u> <u>clean water stories</u>, pictures, and artwork from here or far away.



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For the good of the order: Pokémon don't Go here! King County is spreading the word about staying safe while playing Pokémon Go. At the Wastewater Treatment Division, we're letting users know that our facilities and construction sites aren't places to nab creatures. Stumbling into a treatment plant didn't work out so well for one person pre-Pokémon, to learn more visit this link!



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