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Soil samples starting July 31 on West Lake Sammamish Parkway and 177th Ave NE

Crews working for King County's Lake Hills and NW Lake Sammamish Sewer Upgrade Project are continuing field work activities to support final design for the Lake Hills and NW Lake Sammamish Sewer Upgrade Project. Starting as early as July 31, crews will begin taking soil samples throughout the project area; this work will last about one day at each location.

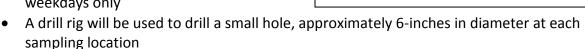
Location:

Crews will work on the shoulder, sidewalk or in travel lanes on West Lake Sammamish Parkway between SR 520 and Idylwood Beach Park. Two sampling locations are also planned for 177th Avenue NE. See map on reverse for specific locations.

Crews will conduct additional soil samples in other areas of the project into September. Visit kingcounty.gov/KCRedmondSewer for details.

What you can expect during soil investigations:

- Work will last up to one day per location
- Work hours 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily, weekdays only



- Increased noise when the drill rig is in use
- Sidewalk and/or single vehicle travel lane closures
- Flaggers, signage and cones will be in place to safely direct you around the work zone
- Each sampling location will be restored after work is complete

Please watch for equipment and signs in the area, travel slowly to stay safe, and follow direction from flaggers.



Crews will use a truck-mounted drill rig to take soil samples along the roadway.

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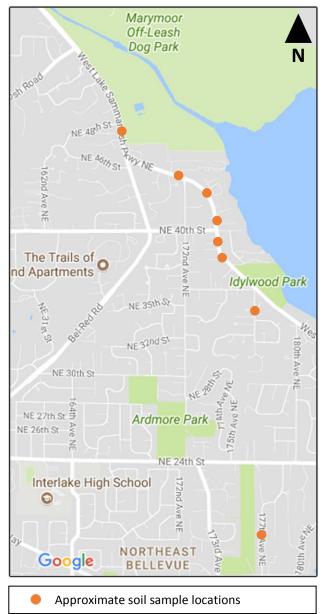


Upcoming fieldwork:

We plan to conduct additional field work this summer, including utility investigations and groundwater tests. We'll update the project website, send messages to the listserv, and distribute fliers to near neighbors in advance of all fieldwork activities.

About the project:

King County needs to upgrade about 4.5 miles of sewer line between NE 85th Street and the Idylwood neighborhood to meet the needs of the growing Redmond and Bellevue communities as the existing sewer line nears the end of its service life. Construction for the pipeline is scheduled to begin in 2020.



For more information

- Contact Kelly Foley at 206-477-8621 or kelly.foley@kingcounty.gov
- Sign up for text alerts. Text KING REDMONDSEWER to 468-311
- Visit the project web page at http://www.kingcounty.gov/KCRedmondSewer
- Follow King County Wastewater Treatment Division on social media

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