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Field investigations starting as early as April 16 on Mercer Island

King County Wastewater Treatment Division is continuing field investigations to inform design of a sewer upgrade project in Mercer Island and Bellevue. Beginning as early as April 16, crews will conduct survey and soil sampling work to evaluate soil and groundwater conditions along residential streets in the project area, adjacent to the I-90 Trail and the Mercer Island Boat Launch.

See map below for work locations.

What you can expect for survey work

- Work hours 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., weekdays only, beginning April 16.
- Work is expected to last half a day at each location, depending on field conditions.
- Flaggers will direct vehicle and pedestrian traffic around the work site, as necessary.
- Survey crews will use a tripod and handheld survey equipment at each location after potholes are dug.



Example of equipment used during survey work.

What to expect for soil sampling work

- Work hours 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., weekdays only, beginning April 16.
- Noise from the drill rig used to take soil samples, work equipment and trucks.
- When work is complete, each site will be restored according to City of Mercer Island standards.

For more information

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Mercer Island field work locations

