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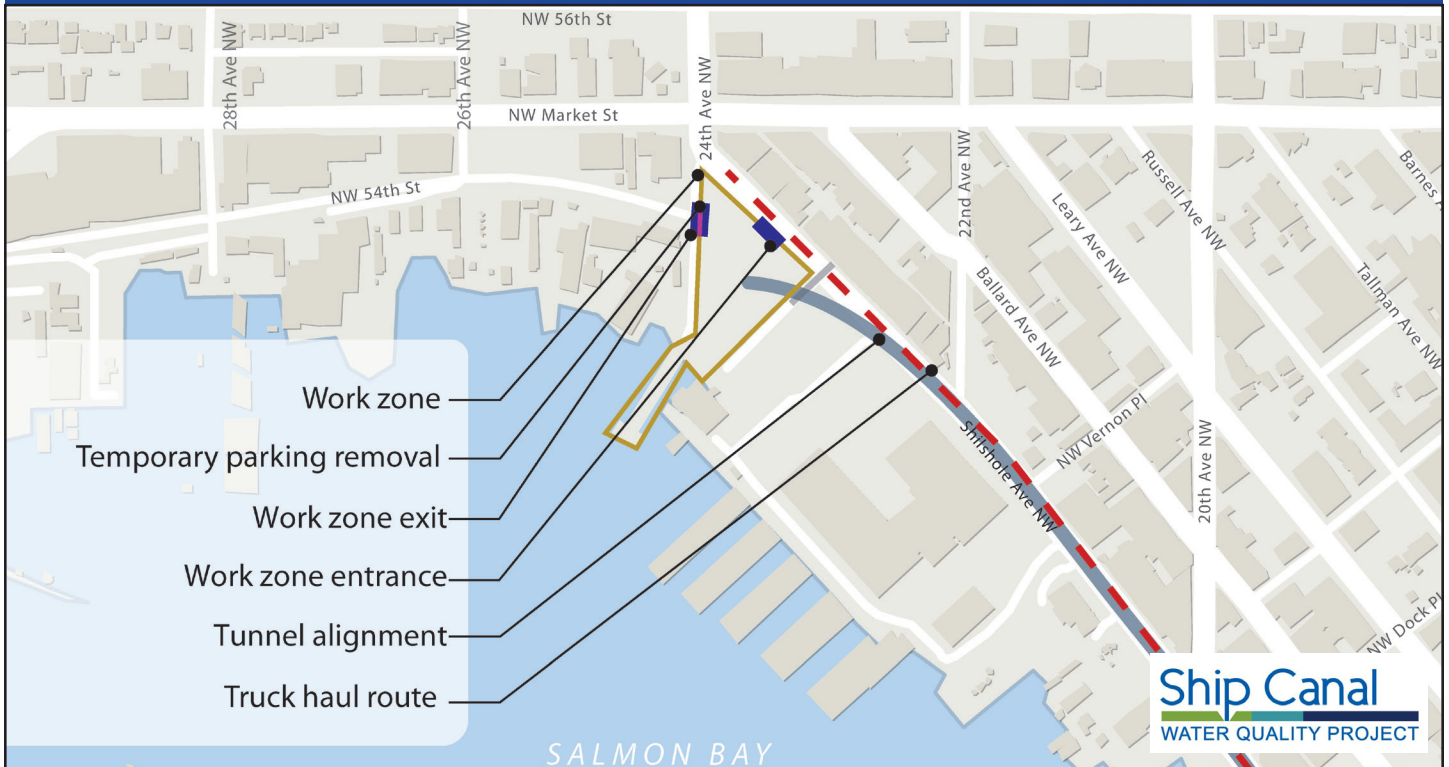
Ship Canal

WATER QUALITY PROJECT

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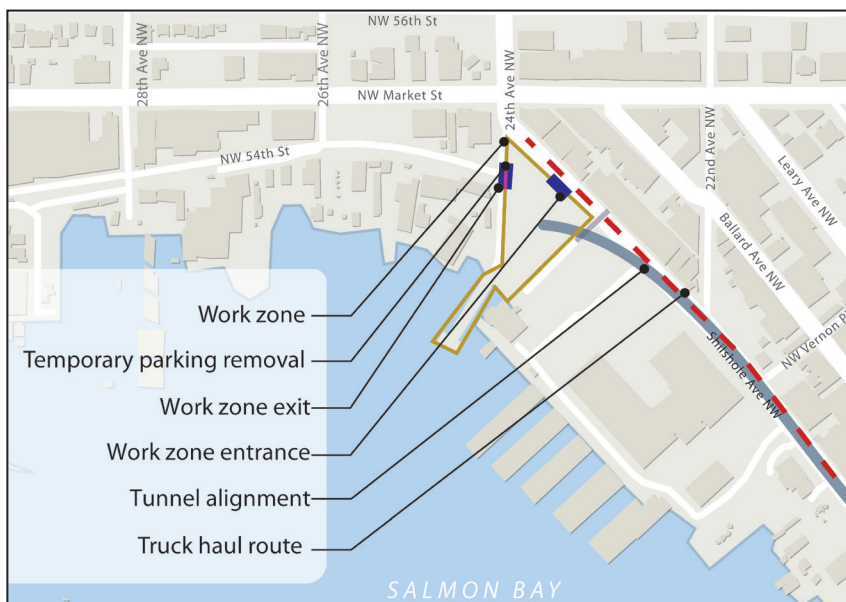
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Seattle Public Utilities (SPU) and King County Wastewater Treatment Division (WTD) are building an underground storage tunnel to reduce the amount of polluted stormwater and sewage that flows into the Lake Washington Ship Canal. Starting the week of February 20, crews will begin installing a 12' high sound wall, stormwater controls, and dewatering equipment at the Ballard site (see map). Stormwater controls will help prevent erosion and stormwater runoff during rainstorms. Dewatering removes groundwater from soil when preparing and working in an underground site.

We will send additional notices when shaft construction begins, starting with heavy equipment mobilization in April followed by underground support wall construction in May. **If you want to continue to receive construction updates, please sign up for our email updates at spushipcanal.participate.online.**

Work hours

- Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. with occasional overnight and weekend work

Pedestrian and vehicle access

- Short interruptions on Shilshole Ave NW for trucks entering the work zone, and on 24th Ave NW for trucks exiting; please pay attention to flaggers
- Parking restrictions along the east side of 24th Ave NW so trucks can exit the work site
- 24th Ave NW Pier will remain closed through 2024
- Access to all buildings and businesses will be maintained

What to expect over the next two months

- Possible one day lane closures on 24th Ave NW and Shilshole Ave NW for pipe work
- Trucks and large equipment moving in and out of the work zone
- Steel beam fence post installation by a track-mounted drill
- Installation of a 12' high plywood sound wall
- Artwork installation along the Shilshole Ave NW wall
- Preparing the site to support heavy machinery; this may include compacting soils, paving asphalt access roads, removing trees, and laying gravel
- Noise typical of a large construction site

We will notify the community by email in advance of work outside of typical work hours or expected impacts whenever possible. Please sign up for our email updates at spushipcanal.participate.online.

Questions?

If you have questions or would like more information about the Ship Canal Water Quality project, please call, email or visit our website. We also encourage you to sign up for our email updates for regular construction notifications.

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