

Montlake Project

Monthly Construction Update

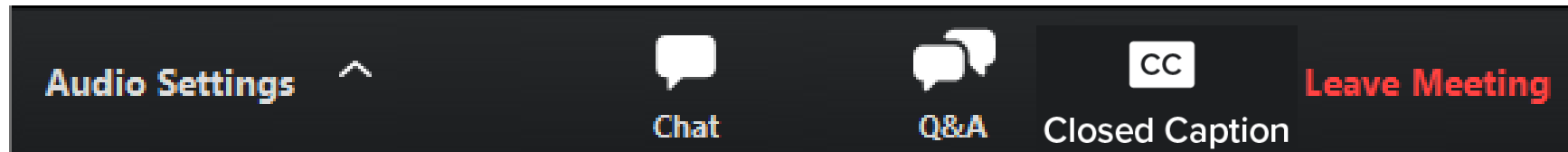
Jan. 17, 2024

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Agenda

- Current and upcoming work
- How to stay informed
- Comments and questions



Major project elements

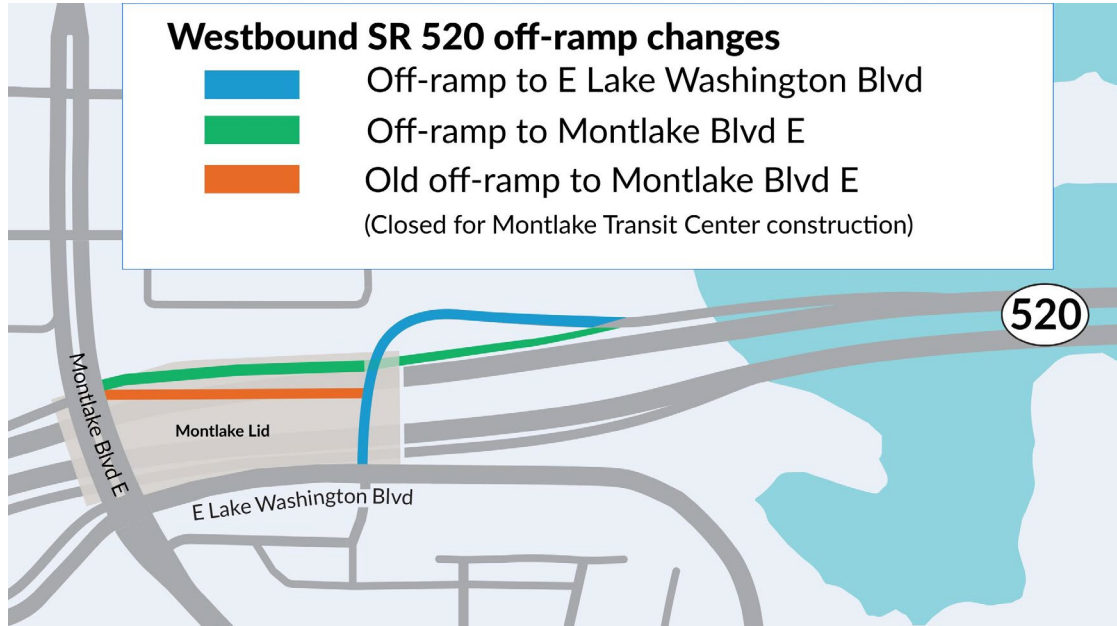
The Montlake Project will improve transportation for motorized and nonmotorized travel along the SR 520 corridor, including:

- A new eastbound bridge
- Montlake lid
 - HOV and bus lane
 - On and off ramps
- Bicycle and pedestrian bridge and connecting pathways



Winter 2023/2024 Project Milestones

December 2023 –Opened westbound off-ramp to Montlake Boulevard



SR 520-east side (Nov. 20)

Spring 2024 Project Milestones

April 2024 – Open to the public the bike and pedestrian bridge over SR 520 connecting Lake Washington Boulevard to East Park Drive.



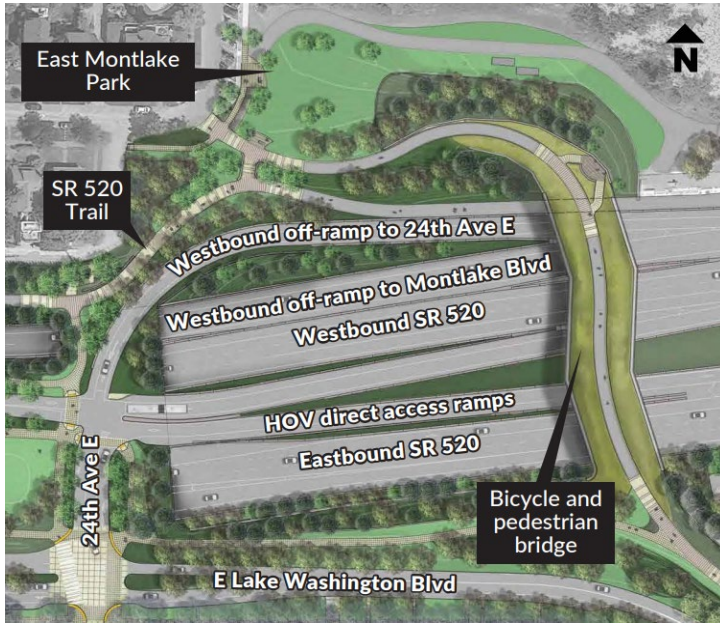
Visualization of bicycle and pedestrian bridge



Bicycle and pedestrian bridge deck (Nov. 20)

Spring 2024 Project Milestones

April 2024 – HOV direct access ramps will open to the public.



HOV direct access ramp work zone.



HOV direct access ramp paving. (Nov. 3)



On the left is the new eastbound SR 520 bridge. (Oct. 18)

Spring 2024 Project Milestones

April 2023 – Open to the public the shared-use tunnel under Montlake Boulevard connecting to the Bill Dawson Trail.



Eastbound entrance to the tunnel under Montlake Boulevard
(Oct. 18)

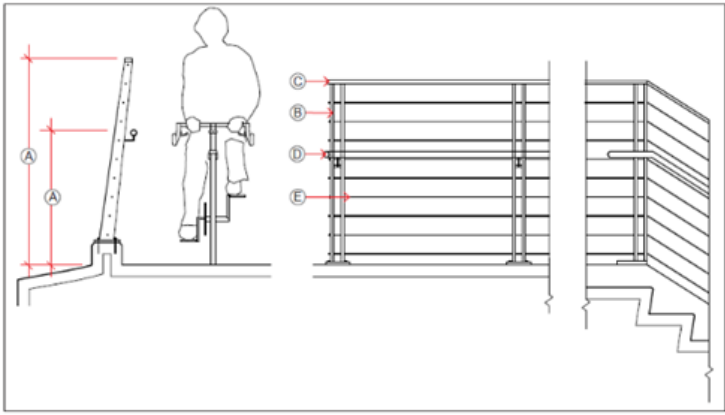
Spring 2024 Project Milestones

April 2024 – Complete sidewalks, trails, and landscaping on the Montlake lid and open to public.



Montlake lid – west end (Nov. 20)

Spring 2024 Project Milestones



Bicycle and pedestrian bridge railing



Montlake Boulevard



Lake Washington Blvd.



24th Ave & HOV lighting



SR520 Lighting



Achillea spp. (Yarrow)
3'-4' ht.



Agropyron spicatum (Bluebunch
Wheatgrass) 1.5'-4' ht.



Allium cernuum (Nodding
Onion) 1-3' ht.



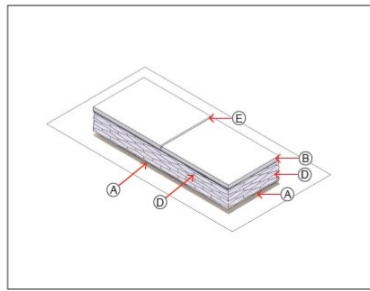
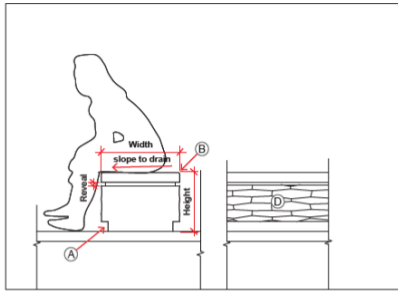
Clarkia amoena (Godetia 'Farewell to Spring')
0.5'-3' ht.



Coreopsis lanceolata (Lance-leaf Coreopsis)
2' ht.

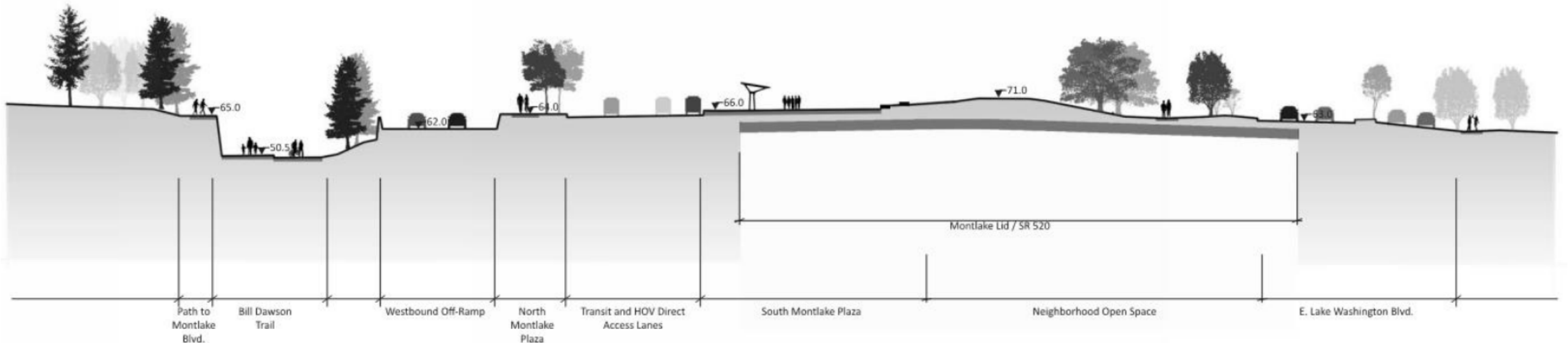
Note: Examples of fixtures only. Items may vary.

Spring 2024 Project Milestones



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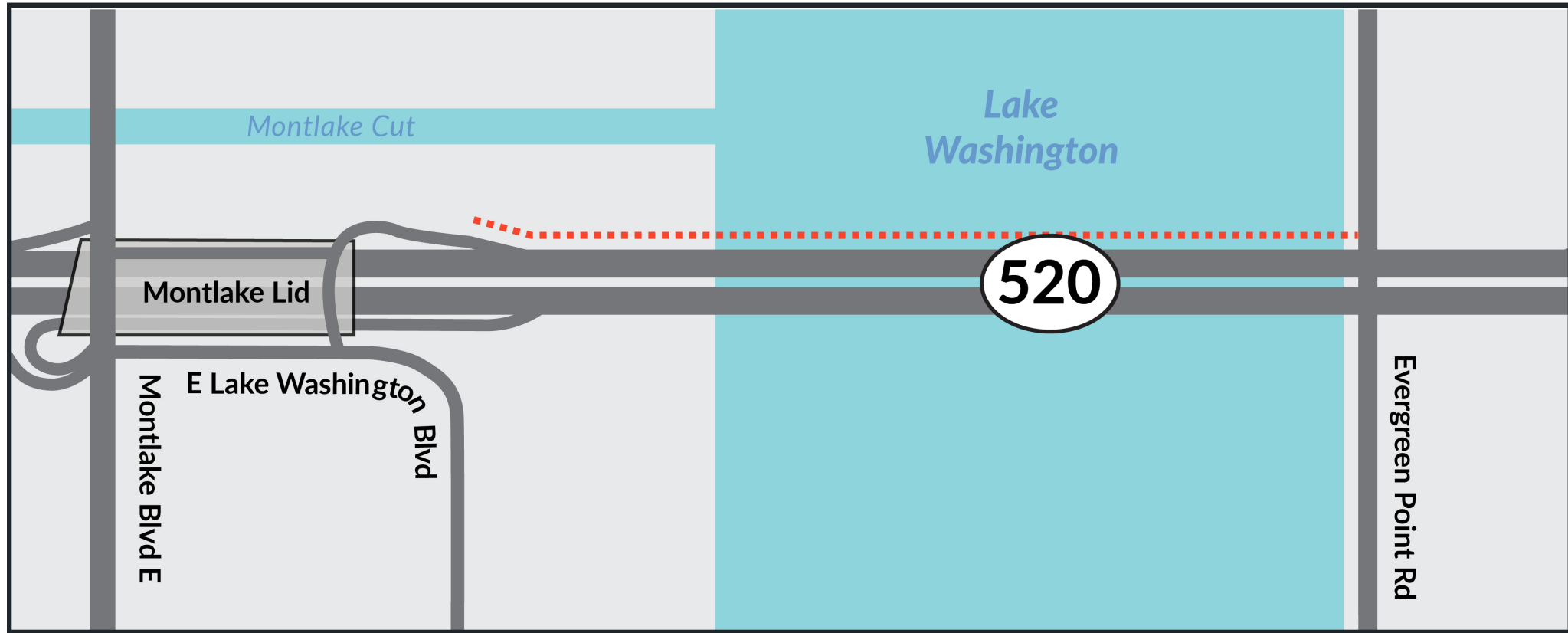
Cross section of Montlake lid, looking east



Upcoming closure: SR 520 Trail

Jan. 19 – Feb. 2: Full SR 520 Trail closure

- The trail is closed across Lake Washington for 15 Days



SR 520 trail closed across Lake Washington, January 19 to February 2

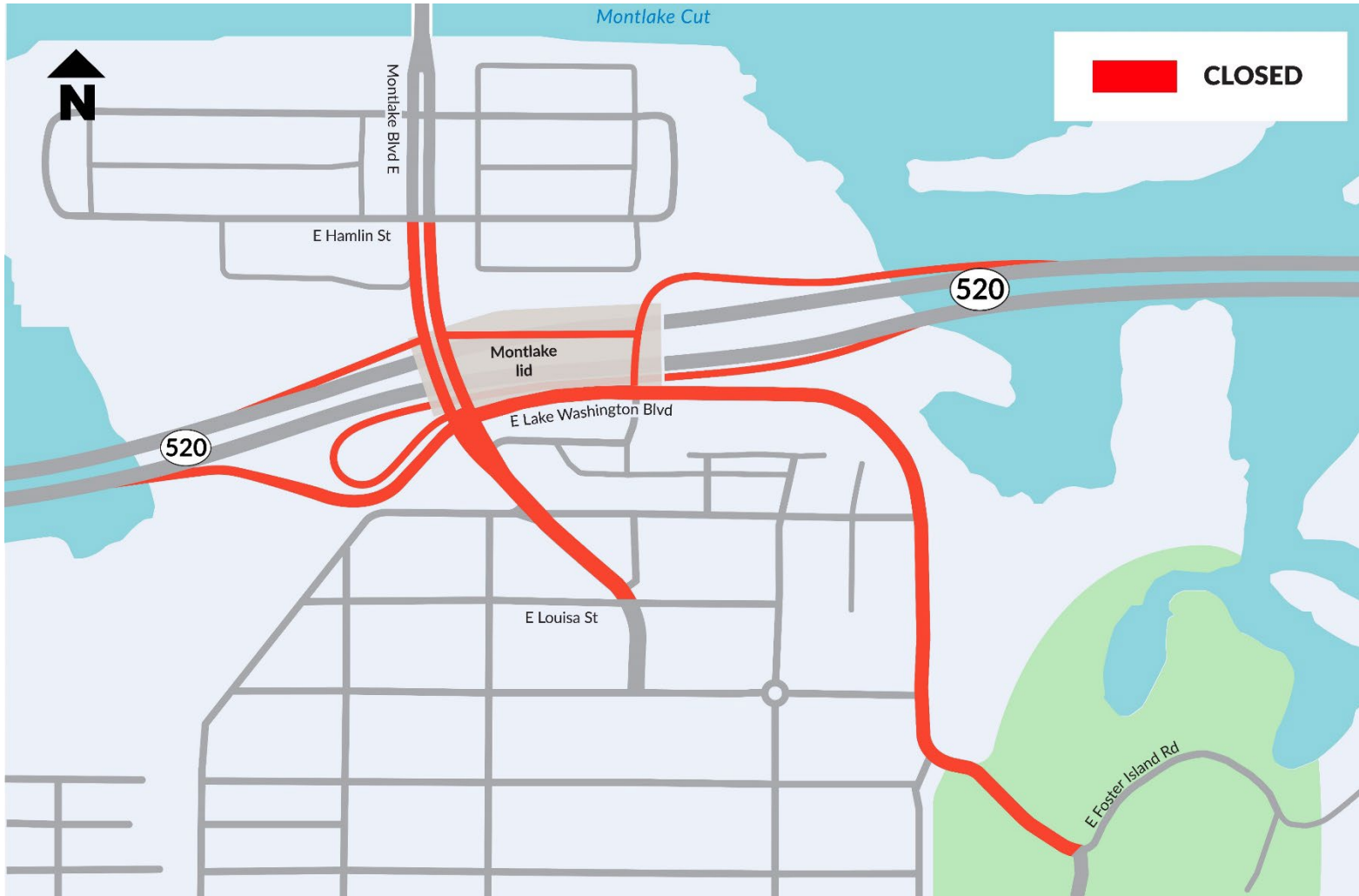
Upcoming closure: SR 520 Trail



SR 520 Trail closed to reconstruct a section of trail over utility vaults and adjacent to the westbound off-ramps.

- Trail users can use transit to get across SR 520.

Upcoming closure: Montlake Boulevard



Jan. 19 – 22 full closure of:

- Montlake Boulevard from East Hamlin Street to East Louisa Street
- SR 520 on & off-ramps
- Lake Washington Boulevard from Montlake Boulevard to East Foster Island Road

What to expect: Noise and vibration

- Different types of equipment result in different levels and kinds of noise and vibration.
- Electronic noise and vibration meters record levels throughout the project area.
- Vibration monitors collect data in the field and immediately alert the project team when readings are outside the set tolerances.
- Nighttime construction has stricter rules for noise levels and equipment use.
- We've received a Major Public Project Construction Noise Variance (MPPCNV) permitting higher than normal decibel levels between the hours of 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- Crews may work 24 hours a day, seven days a week throughout construction.
- Typical work hours for the loudest work:
 - 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. weekdays
 - 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. weekends and holidays
 - Impact pile driving has stricter work hours and will occur:
 - 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays
 - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends
- Independent noise monitors will be present for night work to ensure compliance with specified noise levels.

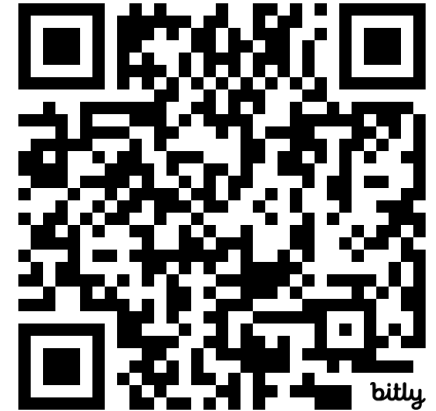
Our 24-hour hotline, **206-775-8885**, is the best way to report noise and vibration concerns and to have questions addressed in the moment.

Visit the SR 520 Construction Corner to view the MPPCNV, read up on the allowable nighttime decibel levels, or read our weekly noise report:
www.sr520construction.com/ManagingConstructionEffects

Montlake Boulevard signage community meeting #2

- **Date:** Wednesday, Jan. 31
- **Time:** 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. (doors open at 5:15 p.m.)
- **Location:** Queen City Yacht Club ([2608 Boyer Ave. E](#))
- **Parking:** Attendees can park in the QCYC parking lot or on the street. Please be advised that the gates to QCYC will close after the meeting.
- **Public transit:** Buses 48, 49, 70; [King County Metro trip planner](#)
- **Masks:** Common colds and Covid-19 are on the rise. We encourage you to take precautions and attend virtually if you are feeling sick. Masks are optional and will be available at the welcome table.
- **In-person registration:** [Please register here](#) to attend the in-person meeting.
- **Virtual option:** [Please register here](#) to attend the meeting virtually. You will receive an email from Zoom with a link to the meeting after you register.

***In-person
registration:***



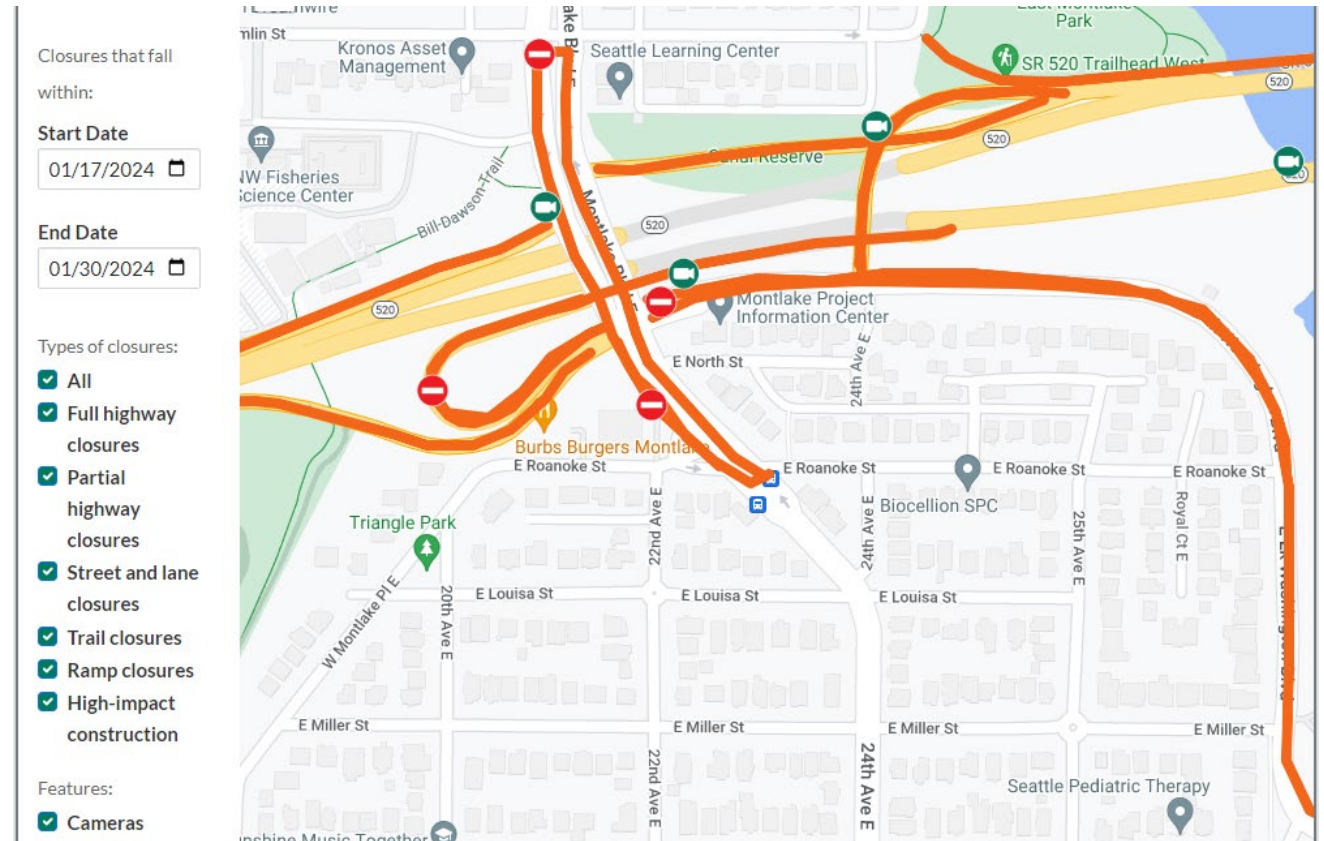
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***Virtual
registration:***



How to stay informed

- Call our 24-hour hotline: [206-775-8885](tel:206-775-8885)
- Email us with questions: sr520bridge@wsdot.wa.gov
- Visit the Montlake Project website: https://bit.ly/520montlake_program
- Visit the SR 520 Construction Corner to learn more about upcoming construction: www.sr520construction.com
- Follow us on Twitter: [@wsdot_520](https://twitter.com/wsdot_520)
- Sign up to receive our email updates at sr520bridge@wsdot.wa.gov
- Watch construction in “real time” on construction cameras: <http://bit.ly/520cams>
- Participate in our online meetings and events



Example of Construction Corner map



Comments and questions?

