

The Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) received requests to evaluate residential, on-street parking in Wallingford. We studied parking in the area, shared our findings, considered public input and are now issuing a decision to create a new Restricted Parking Zone (RPZ) 34, remove RPZ 5, and to split and expand RPZ 22 into two zones at N 40th St. **See inside for a map of where parking restrictions are changing.**

**Zone 34** signs will be installed in fall 2018. Signs will limit parking for vehicles without Zone 34 permits to 2-hour parking, Monday – Friday, 7 AM – 6 PM.

**Zone 5** signs will be removed in late June 2018 and parking will become unrestricted on those blocks.

**Zone 33** signs will be installed in summer 2018. Zone 33 signs will replace existing Zone 22 signs north of N 40th St and will also be installed on currently unrestricted blocks just north of N 45th St. Zone 33 signs will limit parking for vehicles without Zone 33 permits to 2-hour parking, Monday – Friday, 7 AM – 6 PM.

Thank you to all who participated in this process.



## Restricted Parking Zone (RPZ) Changes

### Notice of Decision

See inside for a map of where parking restrictions are changing.

#### Why are we making parking changes in Wallingford?

SDOT received requests from the Wallingford Community Council to evaluate parking in residential areas in Wallingford. We studied on-street parking in the area in May 2017, presented results in September 2017 and then asked the community for feedback in late 2017. This spring, we developed a proposal based on the results of the parking study and feedback and took public comments on the proposal, including holding a public hearing April 4, 2018. After considering the data we collected and comments we received, we have decided to implement the plan outlined inside.

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## What we are planning

### New RPZ 34 west of I-5

- Based on comments we received, we modified the plan to include the blocks of Latona Ave NE, 4th Ave NE and 5th Ave NE between NE 42nd and NE 40th St in Zone 34.
- Residents in the blue-shaded area will be eligible for Zone 34 permits.
- Permits are currently \$65 per vehicle for a two-year cycle. A \$10 permit for qualified low-income households is available. Each household is eligible to purchase up to four decal permits and one guest permit.
- We will send information on purchasing permits to residents in the blue-shaded area prior to sign installation.
- RPZ signs on the blue-lined blocks will limit vehicles without Zone 34 permits to 2-hour parking, Monday – Friday, 7 AM – 6 PM. Vehicles with Zone 34 permits would be able to park up to 72 hours.
- RPZ signs will be installed in fall 2018.

### Removing Zone 5

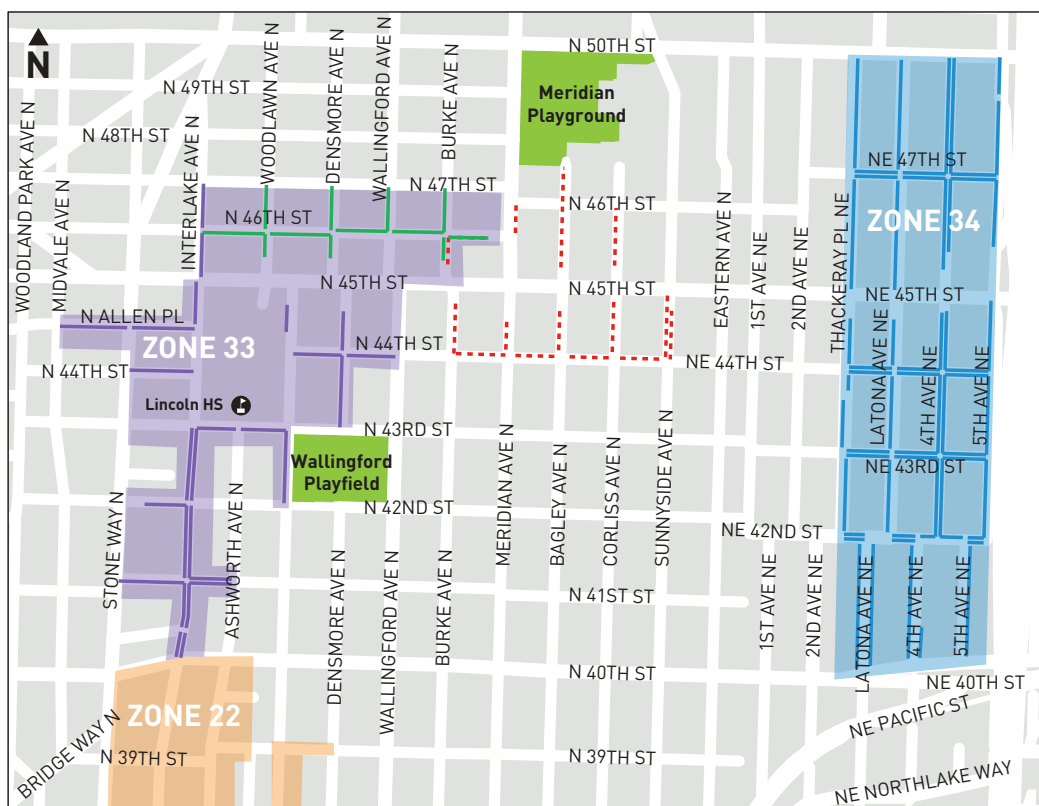
- RPZ 5 signs on the red-dashed blocks will be removed in late June 2018. We are doing so for several reasons:
  - The initial generator of the RPZ, the Guild 45th Theater, has closed.
  - The data we collected showed there are not enough contiguous blocks of high parking demand in the daytime or evening to justify an RPZ.
  - Only about one-third of the eligible households within Zone 5 currently purchase Zone 5 permits.
- Parking on the red-dashed blocks will become unrestricted when Zone 5 signs are removed.

### Revising Zone 22/Creating new Zone 33

- In July 2018, we are splitting and expanding the current Zone 22 into two separate RPZs – Zone 22 and Zone 33 – at N 40th St.
- Residents in the purple-shaded Zone 33 area will be eligible for Zone 33 permits, while residents in the orange-shaded Zone 22 area will continue to be eligible for Zone 22 permits. Zone 22 and Zone 33 permits will renew in July 2018.
- Permits are currently \$65 per vehicle for a two-year cycle. A \$10 permit for qualified low-income households is available. Each household is eligible to purchase up to four decal permits and one guest permit.
- Zone 33 signs will be expanded to the green-lined blocks in summer 2018. We will send information on purchasing permits to residents on the green-lined blocks prior to sign installation.
- Zone 33 hours will be changed to 7 AM – 6 PM, Monday – Friday, limiting vehicles without Zone 33 permits to 2-hour parking. Vehicles with Zone 33 permits would be able to park up to 72 hours.
- Hours will remain as they currently are in Zone 22, but we will be evaluating the area within the next year as part of an additional RPZ study request.

### Questions?

Find more information on the changes on our website, [www.seattle.gov/transportation/NewAndChangingRPZs](http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/NewAndChangingRPZs), or contact SDOT's Ruth Harper at [WallingfordParking@seattle.gov](mailto:WallingfordParking@seattle.gov) or by phone at (206) 684-4103.



### Changes

- New Zone 34 signed blocks
- Residents eligible for Zone 34 permits
- - - Remove current Zone 5 signed blocks
- Revised Zone 22
- Current Zone 22 switching to Zone 33 signed blocks
- New Zone 33 signed blocks
- Residents eligible for Zone 33 permits