



EAST MARGINAL WAY CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Winter 2024 | PROJECT UPDATE



PROJECT OVERVIEW

As Seattle grows, improvements to freight mobility are essential to promote regional and international economic competitiveness. East Marginal Way S is a major freight corridor that provides access to the Port of Seattle terminals, rail yards, industrial businesses and the regional highway system, and between local Manufacturing and Industrial Centers. It is also a designated Heavy Haul Route, critical last-mile connector, and vital route for over-sized trucks or those carrying flammable cargo. The corridor also provides a major connection for people who walk, bike, and roll between the West Seattle Bridge Trail, downtown, and the SODO neighborhood.

This project will:

- Improve safety and reliability in the movement of people and goods
- Support freight loads by rebuilding East Marginal Way S to heavy haul standards
- Promote efficiency through signal improvements, wayfinding and lighting improvements, and intelligent transportation systems
- Improve safety by separating people walking, biking, and rolling from vehicle traffic

- The **North Segment** runs from S Atlantic St to S Spokane St.
- The **Central Segment** runs from S Spokane St and Diagonal Ave S.
- The **South Segment** runs from Duwamish Ave S to 1st Ave S.

Learn more about each project segment on our website:

seattle.gov/transportation/eastmarginalway

PROJECT PHASING

This project extends along East Marginal Way S from S Atlantic St to 1st Ave S, and is divided in three segments – **North**, **Central**, and **South**. Each segment is moving at its own schedule based on funding available for design and construction. Building this project in segments allows us to deliver improvements with existing funding more quickly while we secure design and construction funding for other segments.

The **North Segment** is designed and construction is expected to begin as soon as March 2024 and last approximately 26 months.

The **Central Segment** is completed through 90% design and is unfunded for further design and construction.

The **South Segment** is completed through preliminary design and is unfunded for further design and construction.

FUNDING

This project is funded by the 9-year Levy to Move Seattle, approved by voters in 2015, as well as several local, state, and federal funding partners. For more details on project funding, visit our website.



Person riding a bicycle north alongside freight truck traffic at the intersection of East Marginal Way S and S Hanford St.

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For more information about the project:

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