



Thank you for your interest in the Center City Connector Streetcar. In this weekly update, you'll find information about ongoing construction for the 1st phase of utility work in Pioneer Square.

## **Weekday, non-peak hour closure of southbound 1st Ave S for water services and side main installations**

### **BETWEEN YESLER WAY AND S MAIN ST**

Starting Monday, April 16, between 9:30 AM and 3 PM weekdays, crews will continue to install new water services and side mains. You can expect:

- Closure of southbound 1st Ave S between Yesler Way and S Main St, including intersections, for approximately 2 weeks\*
- Closure of southbound 1st Ave S between S Washington St and S Main St for approximately 1 week
- Lane closure will be lifted at 3 PM each day for the afternoon peak and evening hours
- Noise and vibration as well as typical construction impacts such as increased dust, truck activity, and exhaust

This work has been scheduled for weekday non-peak times in order to avoid working at night and on weekends. If you have special access needs or additional questions about this work, please email [centercitystreetcar@seattle.gov](mailto:centercitystreetcar@seattle.gov) or call our 24-hour hotline at (206) 400-7578.

\*Southbound traffic will remain open on Thursday, April 19, to accommodate the afternoon Mariners game.

## **Utility construction in Pioneer Square: What to expect the week of April 15**

### **1ST AVE S FROM S KING ST TO S JACKSON ST**

- Crews will be working Wednesday, April 18, from 8 PM to 4 AM to complete the connection to the new 16" water main on 1st Ave S
- This work will require the closure of the crosswalk across 1st Ave S on the south side of S Jackson St during work hours

- Expect construction impacts such as increased noise, vibration, dust, truck activity, and exhaust

## S JACKSON ST FROM OCCIDENTAL AVE S TO 1ST AVE S

- Crews will continue installing storm drainage. This work requires pavement breaking and excavation.
- Expect noise and vibration, as well as typical construction impacts such as increased dust, truck activity, and exhaust

## 1ST AVE S FROM S JACKSON ST TO S MAIN ST

- Crews will continue installing storm drainage. This work requires pavement breaking and excavation.
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## 1ST AVE S FROM S MAIN ST TO S WASHINGTON ST

- Crews will continue installing new water service connections, side main, and storm drainage. This work requires pavement breaking and vacuum excavation.
- Expect noise and vibration, as well as typical construction impacts such as increased dust, truck activity, and exhaust

## 1ST AVE S FROM S WASHINGTON ST TO YESLER WAY

- Crews will continue installing a vault and water service connections. This work requires pavement breaking and excavation.
- Crews will also be staging construction materials and equipment
- Expect noise and vibration, as well as typical construction impacts such as increased dust, truck activity, and exhaust

## **Work to begin along 1st Ave between Yesler Way and Columbia St**

### **POTHOLING TO CONFIRM UTILITY LOCATIONS**

Starting as soon as the week of April 23, crews will begin utility locating along 1st Ave between Yesler Way and Columbia St. This work is in preparation for replacement of the existing water main, water services, and other utility services. We'll share more information as work approaches through this weekly email update and on our [website](#).

## Temporary water shutdown coming soon

### NIGHTTIME WATER SHUTDOWN TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 23 STARTING AT 9 PM

Some customers in Pioneer Square will experience a nighttime water shutdown, likely the evening of April 23, from 9 PM to 5 AM, as crews work to install a new water main.

The shutdown will impact some customers on 1st Ave S between S King and S Main streets, as well as some customers on S Jackson St from Alaskan Way S to Occidental Ave S.

Seattle Public Utilities will provide official notification of the shutdown date and time to building managers early next week. If you're unsure of whether this water shutdown will affect your building, please contact your building manager or their representative.

We'll continue to share the latest information on our [webpage](#) and in this weekly email update. You can also check out our [water shutdown FAQs](#) for more details about water shutdowns. Information about future water shutdowns will be shared as they are scheduled.

### ONGOING IMPACTS

- Intermittent lane closures on S Jackson St, S Main St, and S Washington St for water main and drainage construction
- Northbound long-term lane closures on 1st Ave S between S Jackson St and Yesler Way
- Westbound long-term lane closure on S Jackson St between 2nd Ave S and 1st Ave S
- Permanent parking removal along both sides of 1st Ave S between S Jackson St and Yesler Way
- Long-term temporary parking and load zone restrictions:
  - On the north side of S Jackson St between Post Alley and 1st Ave S
  - On the south side of S Main St just east of 1st Ave S
  - In the yellow-striped load zone on the north side of S Washington St just east of 1st Ave S
  - In the red-striped no parking zone on the north side of S Washington St just west of 1st Ave S
- Typical construction hours are 7 AM – 5 PM, Monday – Saturday
- Expect occasional nighttime work

- Expect typical construction impacts such as increased dust, noise, vibration, and truck activity

## Other nearby work

### WORK BY PUGET SOUND ENERGY ALONG 1ST AVE AND CHERRY, MARION, AND COLUMBIA STREETS

Puget Sound Energy (PSE) will work to connect new natural gas main to the existing system along 1st Ave. Work will include paving at 1st Ave and Columbia St and laying pipe, backfilling, and paving at 1st Ave and Cherry St. For work hours and days, please refer to PSE's project website.

To learn more about the PSE work, visit [www.pse.com/seattlecore](http://www.pse.com/seattlecore) or call the PSE hotline at **1-888-404-8773, ext. 1**.

For more info or questions about construction, contact us at [centercitystreetcar@seattle.gov](mailto:centercitystreetcar@seattle.gov) or our 24/7 hotline, (206) 400-7578. For more information about the project, please visit our [website](#).

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Thank you!

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