



CENTER CITY CONNECTOR STREETCAR

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.

Crews working extended hours (See below for more details)

We'll send our regular weekly email later this week, which will include more information on what to expect for the week of September 16.

Long water shutdown to occur

WATER SHUTDOWN TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, STARTING AT 5 PM

A long water shutdown is scheduled from **5 PM Tuesday, September 18, to 7 AM Wednesday, September 19**. This long shutdown is needed to hook up portions of the new water main. The shutdown will impact customers on the following streets:

- 1st Ave S from S Washington St to Yesler Way
- 1st Ave from Yesler Way to Columbia St
- Yesler Way from 2nd Ave to Alaskan Way
- Cherry St from 1st Ave to 2nd Ave

Please note: The shutdown has been coordinated and communicated in advance with building managers and representatives who are asked to share the shutdown information with their tenants. If you're unsure of whether this water shutdown will occur in your building, please contact your property owner or their representative.

Utility construction in Pioneer Square: What to expect the week of September 9

1ST AVE FROM YESLER WAY TO COLUMBIA ST

The week of September 9, crews will be working along 1st Ave between Yesler Way and Columbia St to prepare for upcoming water service transfers.

- **Tuesday, September 11, and Wednesday, September 12**
 - Crews plan to work from 7 AM to 8 PM on Tuesday, September 11, and Wednesday, September 12. Work will occur along 1st Ave between Yesler Way and Columbia St.

- Please expect nighttime construction noise near the work zones. Noisy work includes excavation with vacuum trucks, pipe cutting with power saws, and you can also expect typical construction impacts such as increased vibration, dust, truck activity, and exhaust.

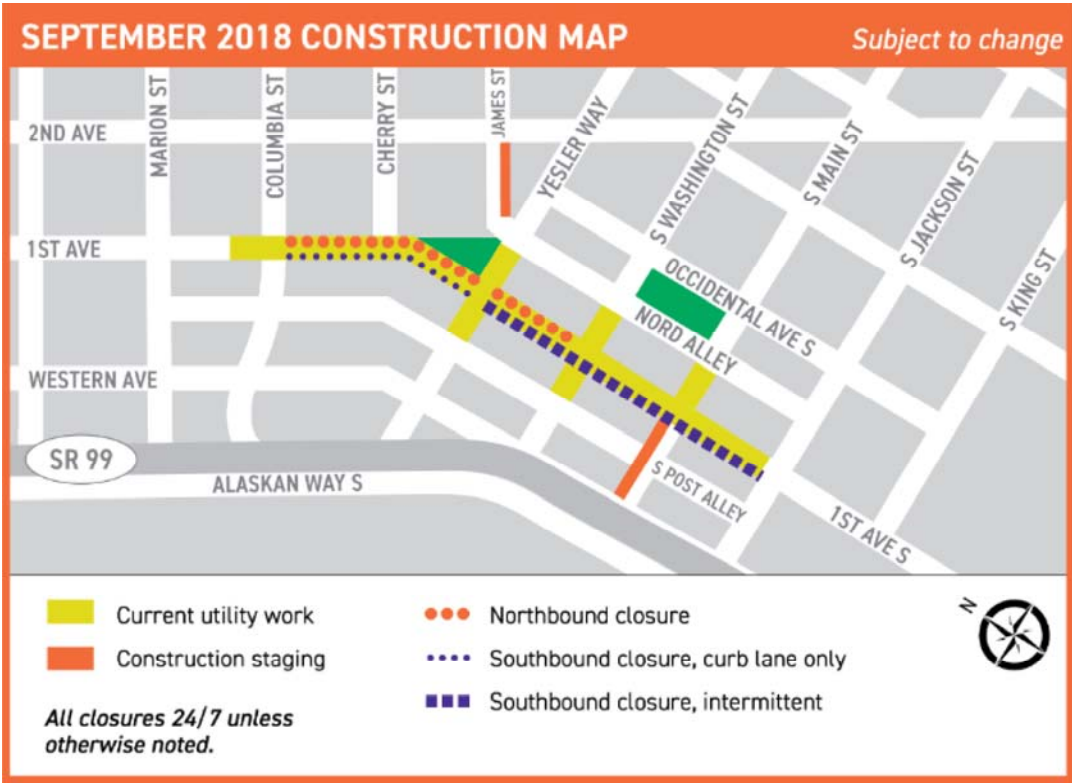
- **Thursday, September 13, and Friday, September 14**
 - On Thursday, September 13, crews plan to work both day and night
 - Daytime hours will be from 7 AM to 5 PM
 - Nighttime hours will be from 6:30 PM Thursday, September 13, to 2 AM Friday, September 14. Work will occur along 1st Ave between Cherry St and Columbia St.
 - Crews will work from 7 AM to 5 PM on Friday, September 14
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- **Saturday, September 15, to Monday, September 17**
 - Crews plan to work the nights of Saturday, September 15, Sunday, September 16, and Monday, September 17, to transfer water services to the new water main. Work hours will be from 8 PM to 7 AM. Work will occur along 1st Ave between Yesler Way and Columbia St.
 - Please expect nighttime construction noise near the work zones. Noisy work includes excavation with vacuum trucks, pipe cutting with power saws, and you can also expect typical construction impacts such as increased vibration, dust, truck activity, and exhaust.

- **Tuesday, September 18, to the morning of Wednesday, September 19**
 - A long water shutdown is scheduled from 5 PM Tuesday, September 18, to 7 AM Wednesday, September 19. This work is described in more detail in the blue box above.
 - Crews also plan to work during the day from 7 AM to 5 PM on Tuesday, September 18, and Wednesday, September 19. Work will occur between Yesler Way and Columbia St.
 - Please expect nighttime construction noise near the work zones. Noisy work includes excavation with vacuum trucks, pipe cutting with power saws, and you can also expect typical construction impacts such as increased vibration, dust, truck activity, and exhaust.

**ONGOING TRAFFIC LANE RESTRICTIONS, STREET CLOSURES,
AND OTHER IMPACTS**

- 1st Ave will be reopened to traffic before the Alaskan Way Viaduct is permanently closed to transition traffic into the new tunnel
- Temporary closures of southbound 1st Ave between Cherry St and S Jackson St will occur intermittently
- Northbound 1st Ave lane closures:
 - Northbound 1st Ave S between S Washington St and Yesler Way will remain closed until installation of the new water main and drainage is complete at the 1st Ave and Yesler Way intersection
 - Northbound 1st Ave is closed between Yesler Way and Columbia St 24 hours per day. This long-term closure is accompanied by a southbound curb lane closure between Columbia St and Yesler Way.
- Intermittent lane closures on Cherry St for water main and drainage construction
- Construction staging will remain on the north side of S Main St, west of 1st Ave S, and on the south side of James St, between Yesler Way and 2nd Ave
- Parking removal along both sides of 1st Ave between S Washington St and Marion St
- Temporary load zone restrictions:
 - 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 – Friday. Construction-related noise may be heard as early as 6:30 AM as crews refuel equipment and begin staging for the day.
- Expect occasional night and weekend work
- Expect typical construction impacts such as increased dust, noise, vibration, and truck activity



Other nearby work

STEAM LINE SHUTOFF

Enwave will shut off the steam line along 1st Ave S between S Main St and S Yesler St to accommodate work in the sewer maintenance holes. This work is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, September 18, through Monday, September 24, and is weather dependent. Enwave will notify impacted customers. For questions about this work, please contact Andy Weyer at 206-623-6366.

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

To forward this update to others who may be interested in the project, please [click here](#).

Thank you!

Center City Connector Streetcar project team