

WELCOME PLAZA AND LIFT STATION 4 PROJECT UPDATE 2/06/17

Temporary Traffic Configuration:

The temporary lane shift will remain in effect until the end of the project.

Pedestrian Detour:

The sidewalk adjacent to Skansie Park is closed. Pedestrians are re-routed to the sidewalk on the south side of Harborview Drive. A temporary crosswalk is part of the sidewalk closure. The pedestrian detour along this portion of Harborview Drive will remain in place until the project is completed.

Work in Progress:

The City's contractor, Stellar J Corporation, has completed the construction of the concrete masonry unit (CMU) block for the Welcome Plaza / Restroom building. Waterproofing has been applied to the roof and the walls and the contractor is currently in the process of attaching the 2" rigid foam insulation and backing boards to attach the reclaimed wood cedar siding. The contractor is also working on the installation of the water feature equipment vaults and will soon begin the form work for the Plaza stairs and walkways.

The metal framed partition walls have been completed inside the structure and the electrical subcontractor is now onsite running the wiring for the building. The structural steel for the roof/handrail system and stairways will be arriving onsite this week. Once the steel is here, Stellar J crews will begin attaching the steel elements to the building and then the roofing system can be installed.

Night Closure Info:

Stellar J and Peninsula Light have scheduled a closure of Harborview Drive between Rosdale Street and Pioneer Way to facilitate the installation of power conduits across Harborview Drive from the pole located in front of Java and Clay crossing Harborview to the project site. Due to the current lane shift in this area and to minimize impacts to the general traveling public and local businesses, the contractor and City have elected to perform this work at night. This work is scheduled for Tuesday, February 7th between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. weather permitting. There will be a detour route in place with access for local residences and businesses only. Noise can be expected from heavy equipment and hand tools. Steel plates will be placed on the roadway following this night work.

Remaining Work and Timelines:

February 2017 – March 2017 Construction of the Welcome Plaza to include a new building that will include

two family restrooms with showers, two public restrooms, and other facilities to

support the boating community that utilizes Jerisich Dock.

March 2017 – June 2017 Construction of a new public plaza with seating and open space, which centers

around the Gig Harbor's Fisherman's Memorial.

DOWNTOWN GIG HARBOR IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS DURING CONSTRUCTION PLEASE SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESSES

ACCESS TO BUSINESSES and RESIDENCES WILL BE MAINTAINED

PUBLIC ACCESS TO JERISICH DOCK WILL BE MAINTAINED THROUGHOUT THE COURSE OF THE PROJECT

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Project Updates:

These project updates will be posted on the Skansie Park Project website at www.SkansieParkProject.com.

The City will circulate periodic updates by email. If you know someone that would be interested in receiving these email notices, please contact Maureen Whitaker, Executive Assistant at Whitaker.net.