# **SOUNDTRANSIT**

# Schedule

### WE ARE HERE

Scoping and Conceptual Engineering/
Planning Environmental
2008 - 2013 2014 - 2016

Preliminary Engineering Final Design

Operational 2021

Public involvement

Design Process in Detail (2017 – 2018)

2016 - 2018

Develop Project Requirements

Select a Design/ Build Firm Develop Detailed Design

Sumner Design Commission
 Provide input on construction impacts

Construction

2019 - 2021

# **Contact us**

Visit the project website:

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Sumner Station Access Improvements Project

Winter 2017

### PROJECT BACKGROUND

The Sumner Station Access Improvements
Project was approved by voters in 2008 as part
of the Sound Transit 2 ballot measure to expand
mass transit throughout the region. This project
will improve access to the station for pedestrians,
bicyclists and drivers. A new parking garage will
be completed by 2021. All access improvements
will be completed by 2023.



### MAP KEY

Lakewood-Tacoma-Seattle Sounder

# **MOVING DESIGN FORWARD**

Over the past year, Sound Transit has been designing key technical details of the garage and other access improvements at Sumner Station. This includes coordination with the City to move utilities, engineer stormwater facilities and design street improvements to accommodate traffic flow.

## WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Sound Transit is looking to the Sumner community to help develop how the garage should look and feel. While we know the height and number of parking spaces the new garage will have, there has not been many conversations about what the garage should look like. Community feedback will ultimately help Sound Transit work with a design firm to create a garage that visually integrates into the community.



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# Preferred package of access improvements

Parking access improvements

A parking garage that would provide a net increase of 505 parking spaces to the existing surface parking lot is currently being designed.

Pedestrian and bicycle improvements

During the process of refining Sounder Station access projects, Sound Transit conducted a Sounder Station Access and Demand Study that evaluated potential improvements to use alternative modes of travel to the station, such as biking and walking.

Proposed non-motorized improvements include:

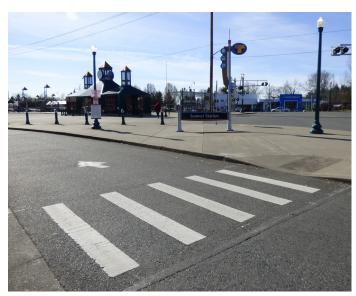
- Sidewalk improvements within a quarter mile of the station
- An optional pedestrian bridge over the railroad tracks at the station
- Additional bike storage at the station

Proposed traffic improvements

Managing the flow of traffic entering and exiting the garage is a key component of improving access to Sumner Station.

Proposed traffic improvements include:

- Station area traffic signal improvements
- Signage and traffic management improvements to minimize traffic cutting through the city
- Traffic Avenue and SR 410: The City of Sumner has taken the lead with support from Sound Transit and the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) to improve Traffic Avenue/SR 410 interchange by providing better vehicle, pedestrian and bicycle access to Sumner Station





Examples of a pedestrian crossing



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