

Willamette River Watershed

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SW Palatine Hill Road Green Street Project Construction Starting in late October

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Environmental Services is preparing to construct a green street planter at SW Palatine Hill Road and Riverside Street and plant street trees on the east side of the street. The green street planter and the trees will collect and absorb stormwater runoff to help reduce flooding in the area. The planter will not extend into the roadway.



Construction Coming Soon

Construction is expected in mid-late October. You may see trucks and crews on site as they construct the green street planter. Please obey traffic controls and move slowly through the area to ensure safety of crews, bikers, pedestrians and drivers.

The trees and the plants in and near the planters will be installed during the next planting season, likely in the fall or winter of 2016.

What to Expect During Construction

- Construction hours will be 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The crews may also schedule work during the same hours on Saturdays.
- Construction creates noise, vibration and dust and disrupts normal neighborhood activity.
- The crews will maintain local access, but construction may impact normal use of your driveway.

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Stormwater runoff can impact water quality in rivers and streams. Portland uses green streets, ecoroofs, trees and other green infrastructure to increase sewer system efficiency, and protect water quality, public health, and the environment.

Green infrastructure keeps stormwater out of the sewer system, filters pollutants, provides habitat and increases neighborhood green space for healthier watersheds. Learn more at www.portlandoregon.gov/bes.

- You should expect traffic delays in and near the work area. Please observe traffic control signs and follow the directions of flaggers.
- On-street parking may be restricted in and near the work zones to create a safe work environment and to stage equipment and materials.
- There may be periods of inactivity between construction phases due to a variety of factors including weather, schedules, and availability of materials.
- Sewer, water, and other utilities will remain in service during construction.

For More Information

With questions, comments or for more information, please contact Becky at 503-823-7097 or Becky.Tillson@portlandoregon.gov. To be added to the list to receive periodic email updates, email Becky with “SW Palatine Hill Rd Green Streets” in the subject line.

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