



Puyallup Station

Parking and Access Improvements



Project overview

Sound Transit is improving access to Puyallup Station for drivers, pedestrians, bicyclists and bus riders, including construction of a garage adding approximately 500 new parking spaces, new surface parking with approximately 165 spaces, and sidewalk and bicycle enhancements.

The Sounder South commuter rail line runs 13 round trips between Tacoma Dome and King Street Station in Seattle, eight of which serve South Tacoma and Lakewood. Sounder also runs special service to select Seahawks, Sounder and Mariners games. The growing popularity of Sounder means parking at the current Puyallup lot fills up early every weekday.

Current activities

Sound Transit is working with the city of Puyallup to design utilities, stormwater facilities and street improvements, and is finalizing property acquisitions. Involvement from local communities in fall of 2018 will provide input on the design elements for the new garage (what it will look like). In 2019, Sound Transit will hire a firm to design and build the garage.

Have specific questions?

Contact Community Outreach Specialist Melanie Mayock, 206-689-4877 or Melanie.Mayock@soundtransit.org.

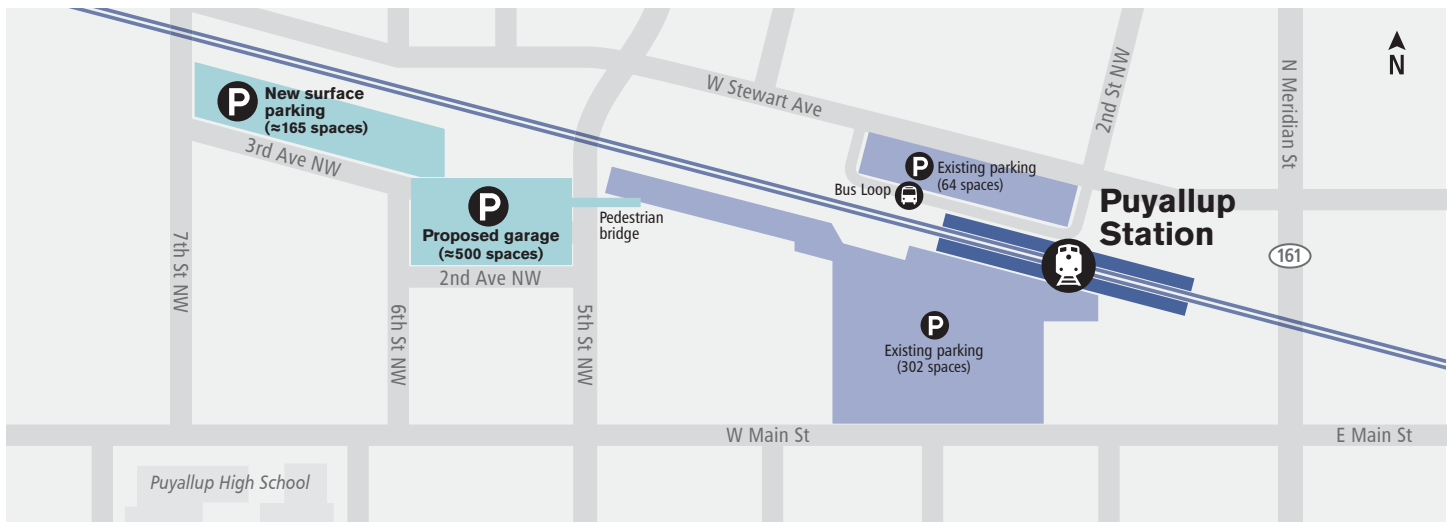
Learn more about the project:

soundtransit.org/puyallup-access-improvements.

Highlights

- › A total of 665 new parking spaces coming in 2021.
- › Sidewalk, lighting, and bicycle improvements complete by 2023.

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Access improvements

More parking

Sound Transit will build a new 5-story parking garage with approximately 500 spaces and new surface parking with approximately 165 spaces one block west of the station. A pedestrian bridge over 5th Street NW will directly connect to the garage.

Better pedestrian and bicycle access

Sound Transit is contributing \$3.4 million to the city of Puyallup for street lighting, curb ramps, and other pedestrian safety improvements near the station, as well as new bicycle lanes on W Stewart Avenue.

Traffic improvements

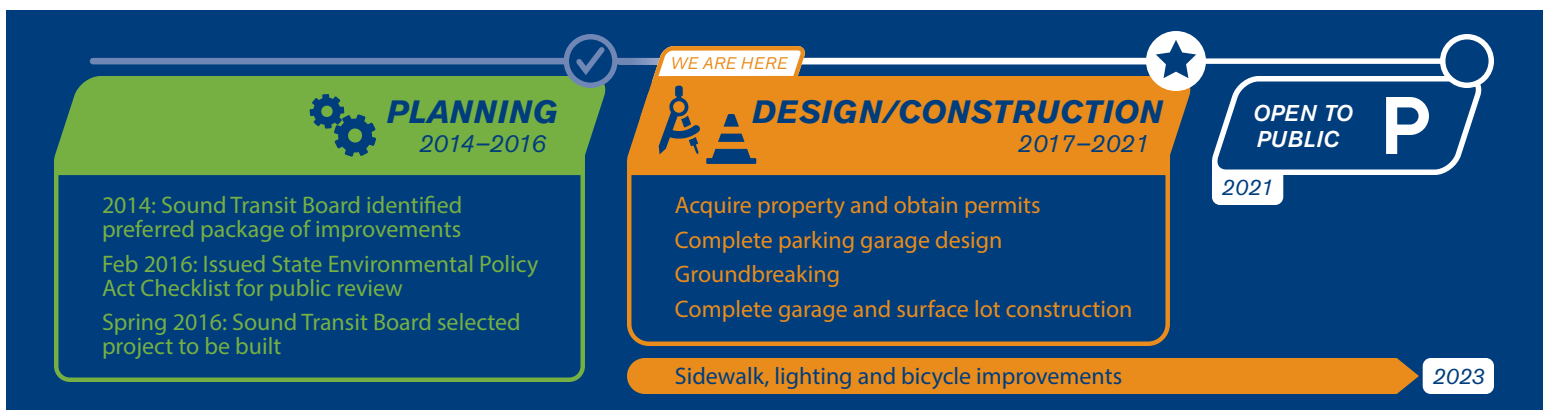
Traffic flow will improve with a new signal at 7th Street NW and W Stewart Ave and a new right-turn lane from W Stewart Avenue to southbound N Meridian.

Other Sounder news

Sound Transit is also building new parking garages and better pedestrian/bicycle access at the Sumner, Kent and Auburn stations, adding more than 1,500 new parking spaces by 2023. New bicycle and pedestrian connections include a sidewalk and pedestrian/bicycle path on Traffic Avenue at SR 410, near Sumner Station, which Sound Transit is contributing \$5 million for.

Sounder South capacity expansion

As Sounder ridership continues to grow, Sound Transit is working to expand capacity—including lengthening trains (from seven to 10 cars) and platforms to serve 40 percent more passengers. Sound Transit will also negotiate with Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway (the railway owns the tracks used by Sounder) to run more daily Sounder trips. Planning for Sounder capacity expansion will begin in late 2018, and improvements will be completed in stages through 2036.



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