

35th Avenue SE & Grannis Road Planned Intersection Improvements

Current conditions

Grannis Road, in south Snohomish County, intersects 35th Avenue SE at a sharply skewed angle making turning movements difficult. Public Works plans to realign Grannis Road to connect it straight into 35th Avenue SE just south of the current intersection, creating two three-way "T" intersections instead of one four-way skewed intersection. This will improve sight distance and traffic safety in the area, and make it easier to access 35th Avenue SE from the Grannis Road and 188th Street SE neighborhoods.

Traffic signals

The original plan called for one new traffic signal at the intersection of 35th Avenue SE and 188th Street SE. As a result of citizen comments and additional traffic analysis, a second traffic signal has been added to the design at the new Grannis Road intersection south of 188th Street SE. These signals will be linked to improve traffic movement through the two intersections.

Other features

Storm water treatment will be required to handle the resulting storm water runoff and will likely be sited in the area on the west side of 35th Avenue SE, between the proposed new intersection and 188th Street SE. The improvements will also include bicycle lanes, planter strips and sidewalks.

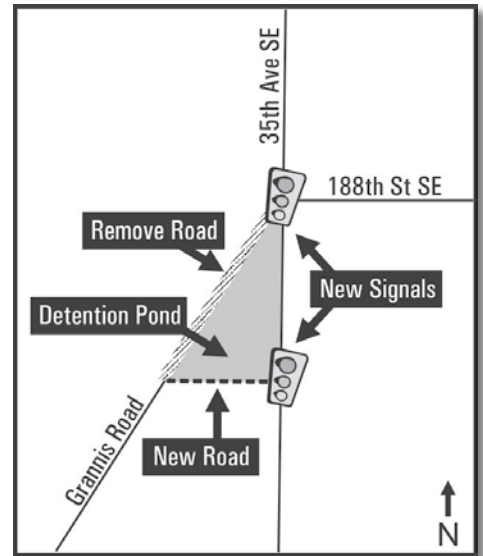
Construction challenges

Construction is not likely to occur before 2012. A significant number of underground utilities must be relocated before the new road alignment can be built and traffic lights installed. Public Works is currently working with the utility companies on a relocation plan. When this plan is completed, we will be able to determine when construction will begin on the intersection improvements.

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You may also call 425-388-3789 or send questions and comments to transportation@snoco.org or Tina Hokanson, Snohomish County Public Works, 3000 Rockefeller Ave. M/S 607, Everett, WA 98201.



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