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Snohomish County Public Works Hosting Open House on Five Road Projects near Bothell and Mill Creek

Projects include road improvements on 35th Ave SE, 43rd Ave SE/Sunset Rd, 180th St SE and 196th/Grannis Rd

EVERETT, Wash., June 20, 2017 – The Bothell and Mill Creek area is experiencing rapid population growth. To meet traffic and pedestrian demands, Snohomish County Public Works is working on road improvement projects in the unincorporated county area. The county will be hosting an open house to discuss five projects in this area.

The projects are:

- 35th Ave SE Corridor Phase II (between State Route (SR) 524 and 180th St SE) Project is in design phase
- 43rd Ave SE/Sunset Rd (between SR 524 and 180th St SE) Project is in early design phase
- 180th St SE Phase I (between SR 527 and 23rd Ave SE) Construction is subject to funding
- 180th St SE Phase II (between 23rd Ave SE and 35th Ave SE) Project is in early design phase
- 196th St SE/Grannis Rd (between 22nd Ave SE and 189th PI SE) Construction is scheduled in 2018

Open House: Bothell and Mill Creek Area Road Improvements

- When: Tuesday, June 27, 2017 Stop by any time between 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
- Where: North Creek Presbyterian Church
 621 164th St SE Mill Creek, WA 98012
- What: Residents of the area, commuters, and families of nearby schools are invited to discuss the five projects. Staff will be available to answer questions about the projects and gather feedback.

The county proposes to rehabilitate the pavement on 196th St SE/Grannis Rd while the 43rd Ave SE/Sunset Rd project includes widening and adding new sections to connect SR 524 and 180th St SE. Both phases of the 180th St SE project will widen the road to five lanes and 35th Ave SE Phase II will be widened to three lanes.

The 43rd Ave SE/Sunset Rd, 35th Ave SE, and 180th St SE projects are designed to improve traffic circulation and expand mobility for bicyclists and pedestrians. These improvements include pedestrian facilities, intersection improvements, adding bike lanes, center turn lanes, planter strips, curbs and gutters, and stormwater detention and treatment facilities.

About Snohomish County Public Works

The Snohomish County Public Works Department constructs and maintains county roads; controls and manages surface water quantity, quality, and fish habitats; and oversees the recycling and disposal of solid waste. The department's main office is located at 3000 Rockefeller Ave., Everett, WA 98201. For more information about Snohomish County Public Works, visit www.snohomishcountywa.gov/PublicWorks.

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