

Access to Myrtle Edwards Park and Elliott Bay Trail from W Thomas St Pedestrian and Bicycle Overpass Temporarily Closed

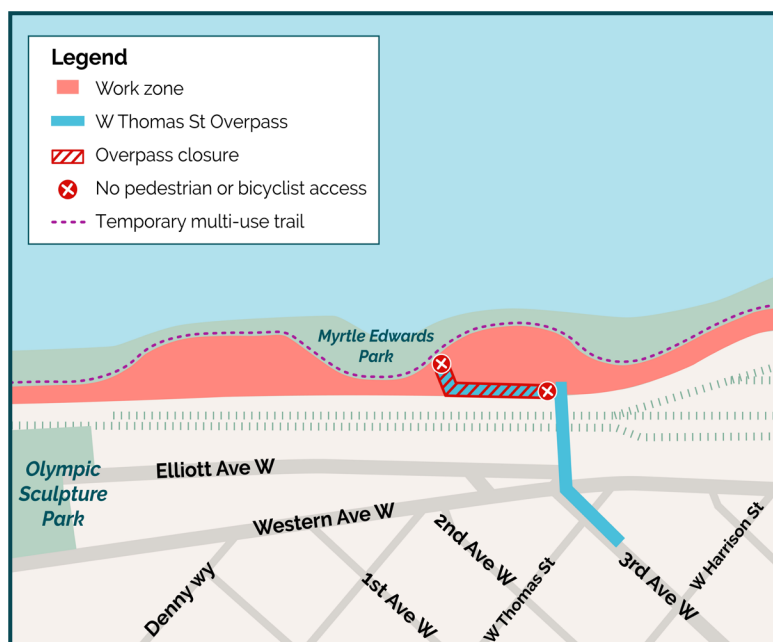
Starting as early as **Monday, July 21**, access to Myrtle Edwards Park and Elliott Bay Trail from the W Thomas St Pedestrian and Bicycle Overpass will be **temporarily closed for approximately seven weeks** as part of ongoing Elliott Bay Connections project construction. This closure is needed to safely complete planned improvements, including a new ADA-accessible connection from the overpass to the Myrtle Edwards and Centennial Parks trail system.

Schedule and Hours:

- Closure expected to last approximately seven weeks
- Daytime work, 7 AM to 6 PM, Monday through Friday
- Weekend and night work as necessary to maintain progress; details will be communicated in advance

Pedestrians and Bicyclists:

- Access to Myrtle Edwards Park and Elliott Bay Trail from the W Thomas St Pedestrian and Bicycle Overpass temporarily closed
 - Alternate access available from the park's south entrance via Broad St
 - Pedestrian and bicyclist travel through the parks maintained on a temporary multi-use trail; follow posted signs
- Access to Myrtle Edwards and Centennial Parks' lawns, beaches and other amenities temporarily restricted through Spring 2026 to accommodate construction activities



Map of temporary Myrtle Edwards Park and Elliott Bay Trail access closure at W Thomas St Pedestrian and Bicycle Overpass.

This Work Will:

- Build a new ADA-accessible route between the overpass and the Myrtle Edwards and Centennial Parks trail system
- Create a safer, more seamless experience for people walking, biking and rolling through the parks
- Feature improved landscaping, lighting and signage

Questions or Comments?

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ELLIOTT BAY CONNECTIONS IMPROVEMENTS

Myrtle Edwards and Centennial Parks

Elliott Bay Connections is restoring and revitalizing Myrtle Edwards and Centennial Parks, creating a unified experience for park users of all ages and abilities to enjoy. The combined 16 acres of open public park space extend for more than a mile along Elliott Bay. EBC will:

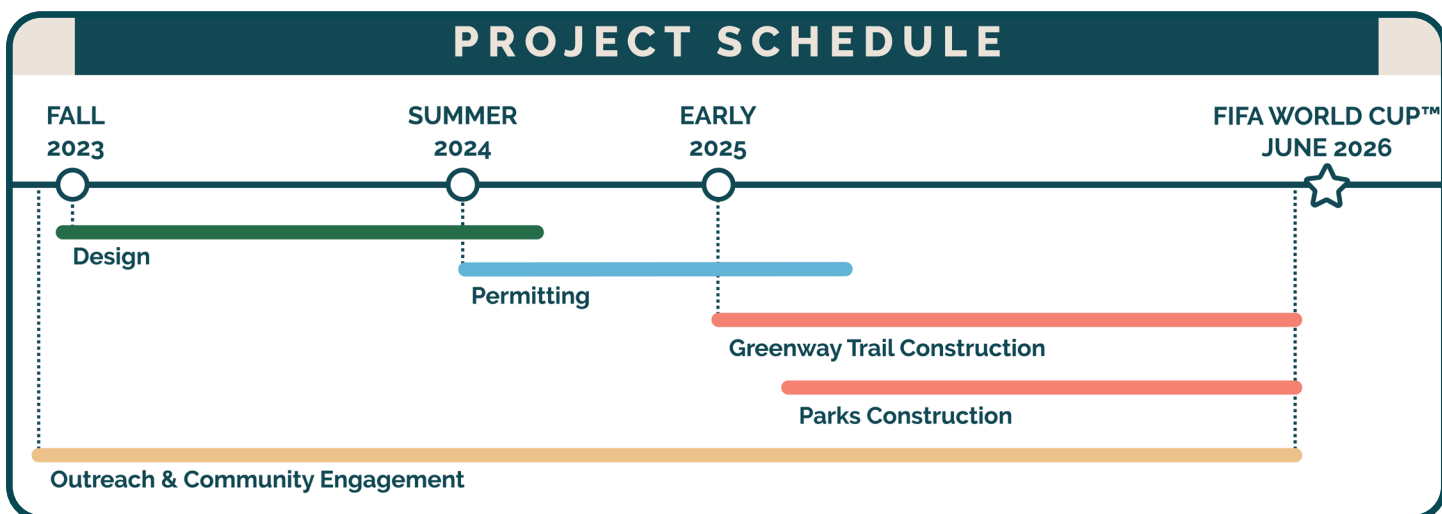
- Repair and enhance **pedestrian and bike trails** with new lighting
- Refresh **landscapes with abundant native plantings**, including new lawns, meadows and trees
- Improve public access to **two beach coves** in Myrtle Edwards Park
- Add a new **public amenities building** featuring restrooms and a food concession
- Incorporate **Indigenous design, plantings and interpretive narratives** throughout the park, honoring the Coast Salish people



EBC will restore the beach coves in Myrtle Edwards Park, making it easier for people to touch the water.



The new amenities building in Centennial Park will feature restrooms, a picnic area and a food concession.



EBC construction will be complete by Summer 2026, ahead of Seattle hosting the FIFA World Cup™. Work is being done in phases with closures scheduled to limit impacts on park users and sensitive fish and wildlife.

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