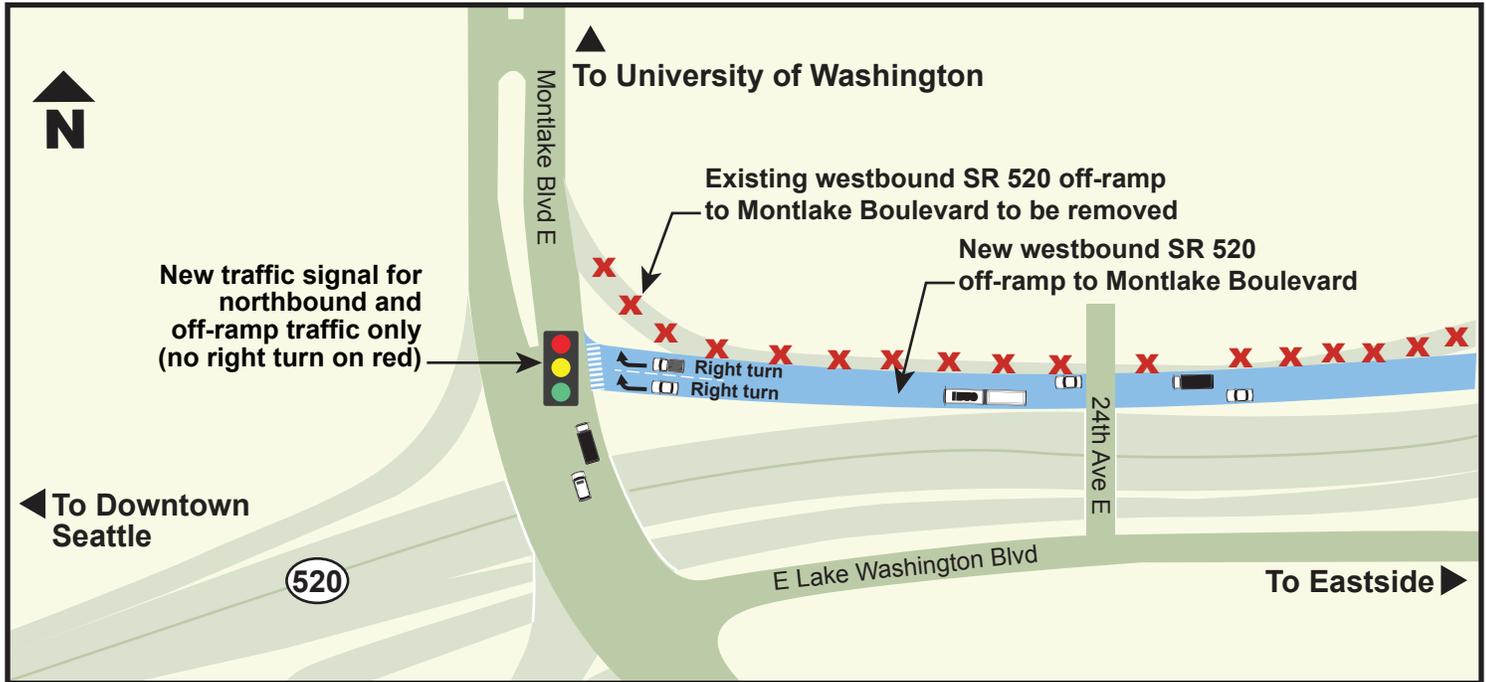




New configuration of westbound SR 520 off-ramp to Montlake Boulevard opening soon

July 2015



Construction of the West Approach Bridge North Project (WABN) is in full swing in the Montlake area. In August, drivers will see key changes at the intersection of the westbound SR 520 off-ramp and northbound Montlake Boulevard.

Three key differences to expect:

- A second right-turn lane for vehicles turning north onto Montlake Boulevard.
- A traffic signal at the intersection of the westbound SR 520 off-ramp and northbound Montlake Boulevard. *Drivers will not be permitted to turn right on red from the westbound off-ramp.*
- A signalized crosswalk for walkers and bikers.

The new signal is designed to improve the connection for drivers traveling from the westbound SR 520 off-ramp with drivers traveling on northbound Montlake Boulevard. Removing the free right-turn from the off-ramp also enhances safety for pedestrians and bicyclists.

Upcoming highway closures

Weekend closures of westbound SR 520 lanes and the off-ramp to Montlake Boulevard will be necessary to switch traffic onto the new ramp and begin removal of the existing off-ramp. **We expect these closures to occur in August.**

We will provide updates once the dates are confirmed:

- **SR 520 Orange Page:**
<http://bit.ly/520OrangePage>
- **WABN website:**
wsdot.wa.gov/Projects/SR520Bridge/WABN/
- **Twitter:**
[@wsdot_520](https://twitter.com/wsdot_520)
- **WABN email list:**
<http://bit.ly/WABNweekly>

Urgent questions?

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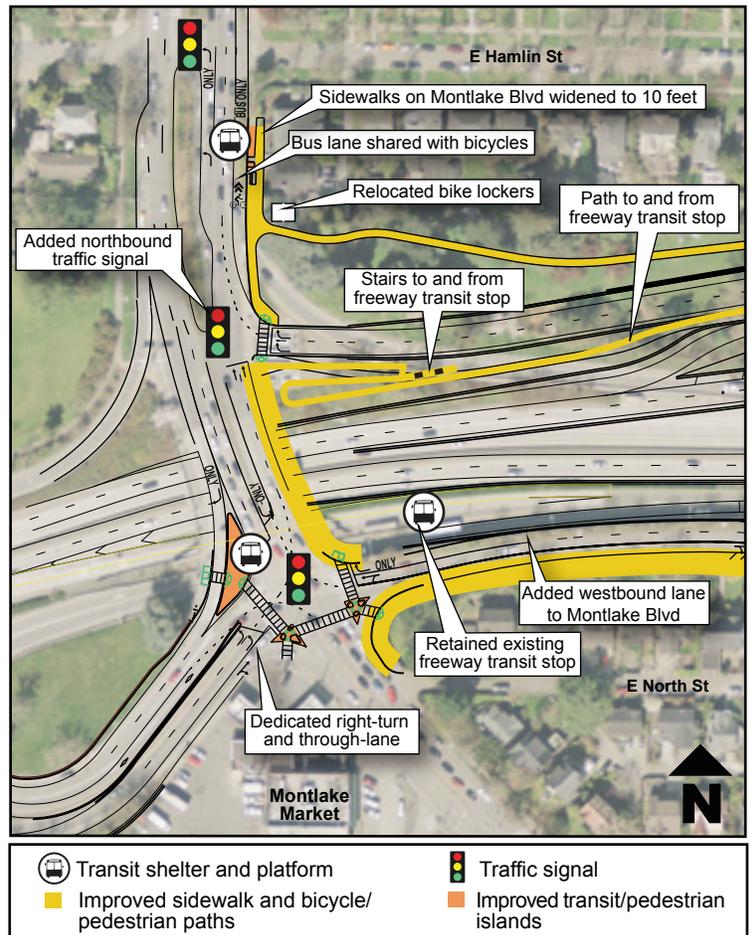
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Street and sidewalk improvements continue in Montlake

We're continuing work this summer to construct improvements for drivers, pedestrians, bicyclists and transit riders. In the coming months, neighbors and commuters can expect:

- Closure of the 24th Avenue East bridge to bicyclists and pedestrians so crews can start constructing a new westbound SR 520 off-ramp to East Lake Washington Boulevard.
- Pedestrian and bicycle detours while crews upgrade sidewalks and transit access.
- Single-lane closures on local streets, and ramp and lane closures on the SR 520 highway.
- Demolition and removal of old ramp structures.

We'll continue to provide you with notice before construction activities, closures and detours occur.



See reverse side for more information on how to stay informed and be notified of upcoming activities