

PUGET SOUND REGIONAL COUNCIL PRIORITY PROJECT LIST

NARRATIVE PROJECT INFORMATION - October 2011

Due to Peter Heffernan (peter.heffernan@kingcounty.gov) no later than close of business Wednesday October 12.

Project Sponsor: *King County Parks/King County DOT*

Project Name: *Lake to Sound Trail, Segment, B Construction*

Project Location: *Cities of SeaTac and Burien, S. 156th Street – S. Normandy Road along Des Moines Memorial Drive*

What type of project is it: Support Centers Corridors Serving Centers

Plan Consistency:

- Transportation 2040 project number:
- Is the project consistent with the Transportation 2040: Yes No

Project Description - No more than two full page - (see evaluation criteria for information to include):

- Briefly describe the project

Project will construct Segment B of the Lake to Sound Trail linking SeaTac and Burien, a 1.45-mile long paved regional trail (shared-use sidepath) along Des Moines Memorial Drive

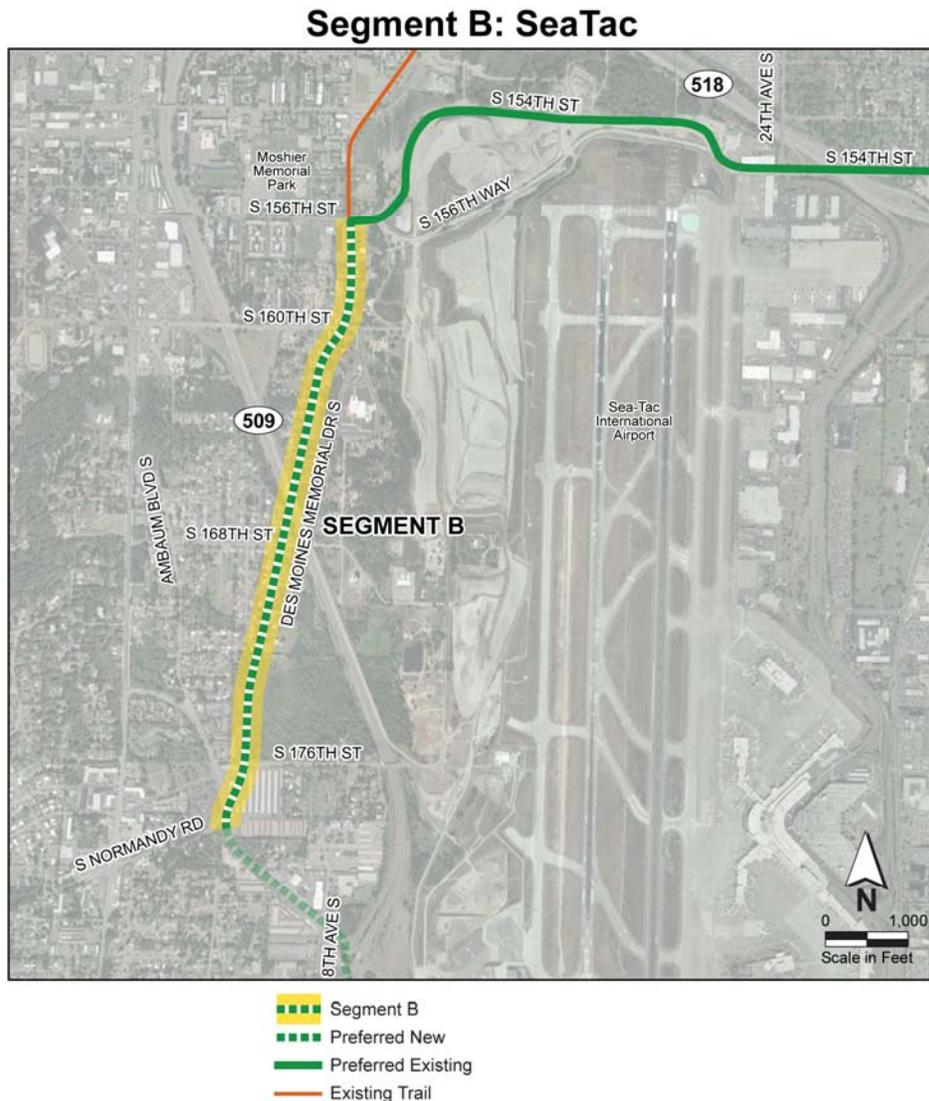
Segment B will extend along Des Moines Memorial Drive from South 156th Street in the north (Burien) to South Normandy Road (Des Moines) via a scenic corridor that is itself a historic living memorial and tribute to those who died in World War I. This segment of the L2S Trail will be a large part of the ongoing Des Moines Memorial Drive restoration project, which will restore 'Washington's Living Road of Remembrance'. This connection will also provide a much needed safe north-south connection with existing east-west non-motorized facilities.

- What is the intended outcome & benefit

Project will create a dedicated off-road nonmotorized connection between two regional urban centers (Burien and SeaTac). Trail will be used by bicyclists,

pedestrians, and other active transportation uses. Link will enhance overall nonmotorized circulation and safety and improve commute options in an area currently unserved by this type of active transportation facility.

Segment B will connect at the north to the recently completed Westside Trail to North SeaTac Park and to existing bike lanes running east-west on S 156th Street in Burien. The network includes connections to the Duwamish Trail to the north and with Burien Town Square to the west. Once complete, this project becomes part of a larger planned system that will serve employment and residential centers in South King County and connect to regional trails in Seattle and the greater regional trail system network. This project will not result in any new missing links or gaps.



Project Status & Timeline

Where is the project at in development?

Project is currently in design and permitting phase.

What is the timeline for this project from start to completion?

(Please identify the major phases)

Construction would be expected to start in late 2012 and be completed in 2013.

Additional Comments

Project would be phase of the overall Lake to Sound Trail, a 16-mile long active transportation corridor in south King County providing mobility opportunities to urban areas currently unserved by this type of facility. Project will also provide an important commuter link between Renton and Tukwila.