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What we'll cover today...

- *Sound Transit 101*
- *Building the future*
- *How to work with Sound Transit*

Our values and priorities

Our six values

Collaboration, Customer Focus, Inclusion & Respect, Safety, Integrity, Quality.

Our strategic priorities

A commitment to equity and fairness, environmental stewardship, partnerships and the communities we serve.

Sound Transit District

Serving a region of over 3 million





System expansion

Link Light Rail

- 116-mile regional system with 50 stations.
- Connecting Bellevue, Redmond, Kirkland, Issaquah, Tacoma, Everett, Ballard and West Seattle.

Tacoma Link extensions to Hilltop and TCC

- 12 new stations.

Sounder commuter rail

- 91 miles of commuter rail.
- Expansion of service, 40% capacity increase.
- Parking and access improvements.
- Platform extensions.

Bus

- Bus Rapid Transit serving 12 cities.
- Bus-on-Shoulder opportunities.



Link light rail

- Gets you out of traffic: UW to Westlake in 6 minutes
- Every six minutes in peak hour



Sounder trains

- Service from Lakewood and Everett to Seattle
- Primarily during commute hours
- Special sports game-day trains



ST Express regional bus

- 28 routes

System Expansion

Approved by voters ✓

1996

Sound Move

- 21 new Link light rail stations
- 82 miles of Sounder commuter rail
- 18 ST Express bus routes

2008

ST2

- 25 new Link stations
- More Sounder trips
- Sounder south stations parking and access
- Express bus expansion

2016

ST3

- 37 new Link stations
- Three new bus rapid transit routes
- Sounder north stations parking and access improvements
- Sounder south track, signal and platform improvements for more service, longer trains



Northgate Link Extension

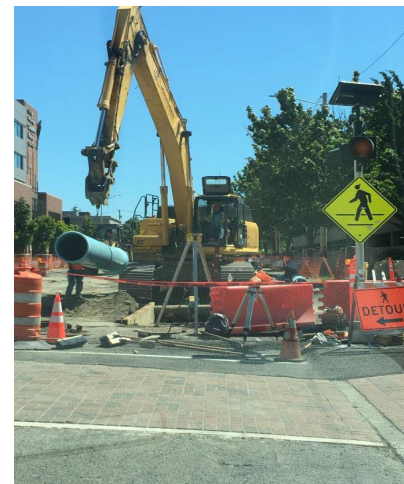
Opens 2021

- Underground stations at Roosevelt and University District
- Elevated station at Northgate
- Northgate to downtown Seattle: 13 minutes

Hilltop Tacoma Link Extension (HTLE)

Opens 2022

- 6 new Tacoma Link stations, 2.4 miles
- Connects Hilltop to Tacoma Dome transit hub

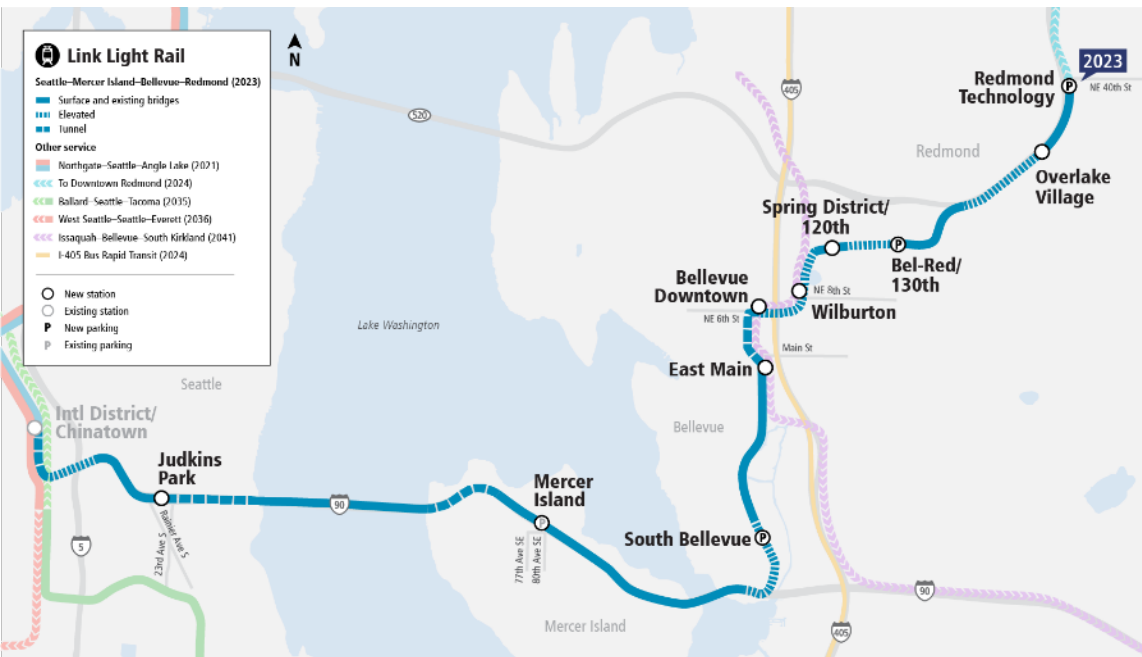


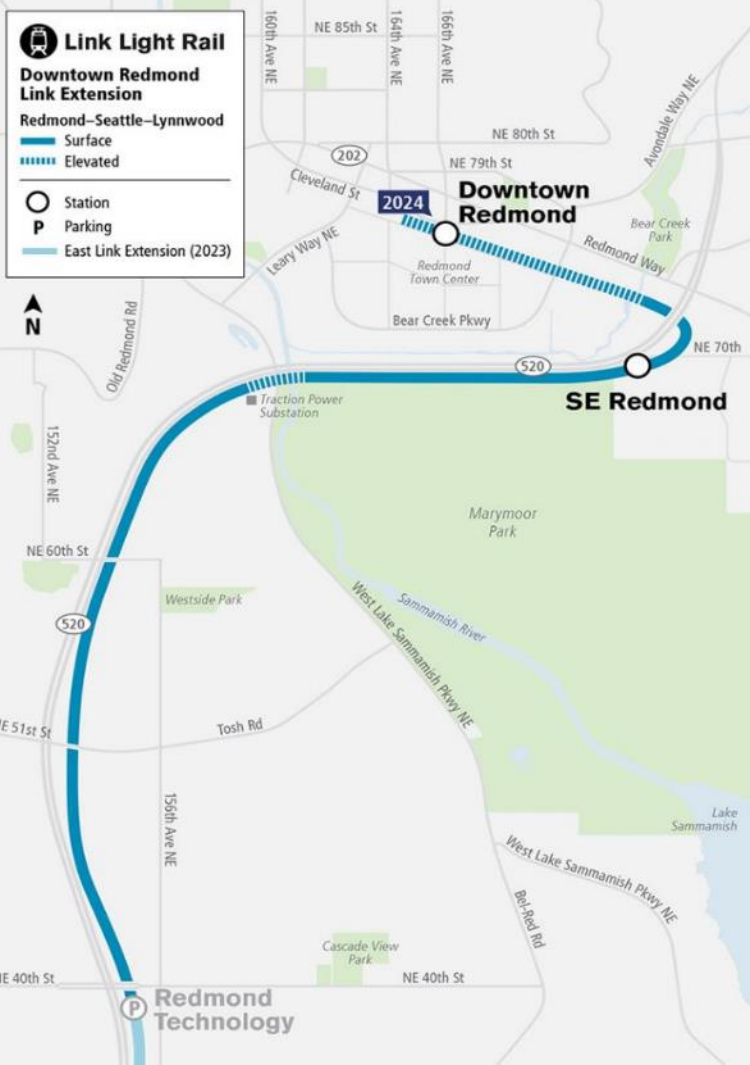


East Link

Opens 2023

- Connects Redmond to downtown Bellevue, Seattle, University of Washington and Northgate
- 14 miles, 10 stations, 4 cities
- Bellevue to downtown Seattle: 23 minutes





Downtown Redmond Link Extension

Opens 2024

- Stations: 2 stations
- Length: 3.4 miles

Link Light Rail

Lynnwood Link Extension

Lynnwood–Seattle–Federal Way

- Surface
- Elevated

Lynnwood–Seattle–Redmond

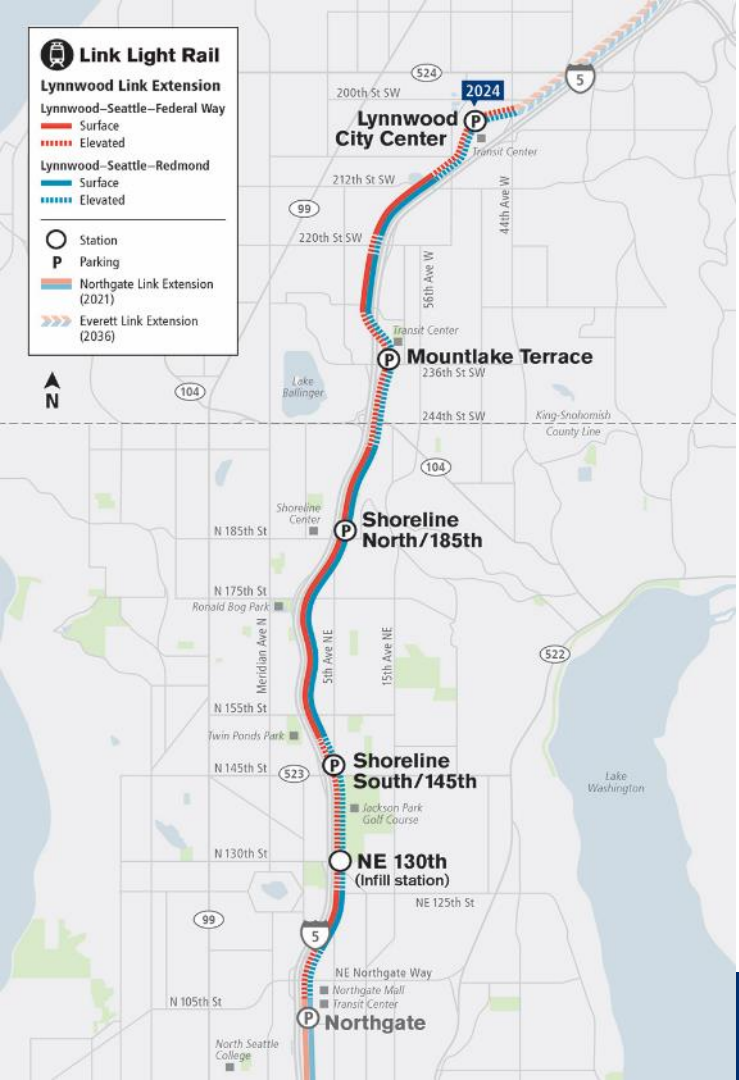
- Surface
- Elevated

○ Station

P Parking

Northgate Link Extension (2021)

Everett Link Extension (2036)



Lynnwood Link Extension

Opens 2024

- **8.5 mile extension** - Northgate to Lynnwood City Center
- **Four stations:**
 - Shoreline South/145th – elevated
 - Shoreline North/185th – at grade
 - Mountlake Terrace – elevated
 - Lynnwood City Center – elevated



Federal Way Link Extension

Angle Lake to Federal Way Transit Center – Opens 2024

- Length: 7.8 miles
- Stations: 3 (Kent/Des Moines, S 272nd, Federal Way Transit Center)
- 3,200 parking spaces
- Federal Way Transit Center to SeaTac Airport in 15 min



Tacoma Dome Link Extension

Federal Way Transit Center to Tacoma Dome

Length: 9.7 miles

- Stations: 4 (South Federal Way, Fife, Portland Avenue, Tacoma Dome) and 2 parking facilities
- Tacoma to Federal Way in 20 minutes



Link trains

Everett Link Extension Everett–West Seattle (2036*)

- Surface
- Elevated

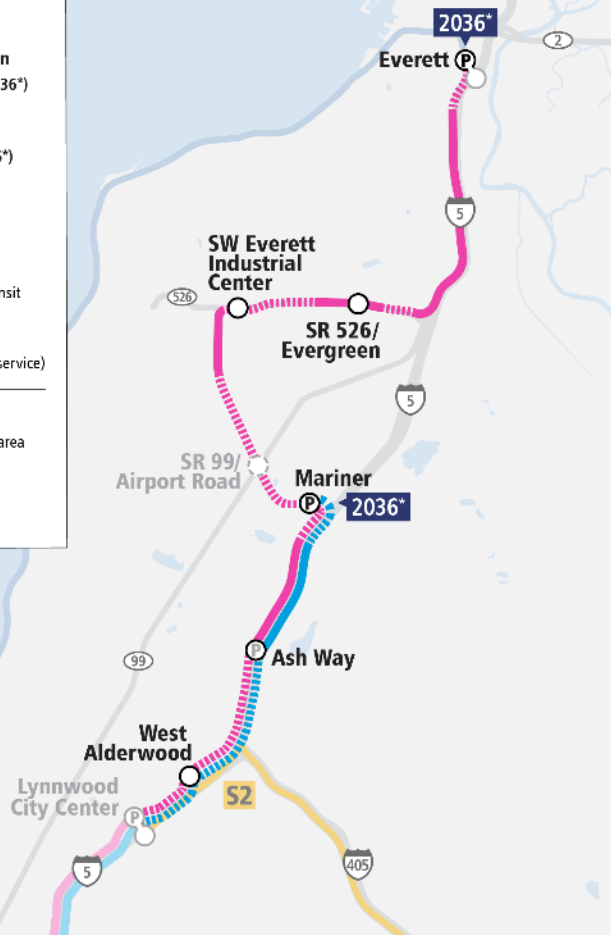
Mariner–Redmond (2036*)

- Surface
- Elevated

Other service

- Link in service
- Stride bus rapid transit
S2 Line (2025*)
- Sounder North:
Everett–Seattle (in service)

- New station area
- Provisional station area
- Transfer hub
- New parking
- Existing parking



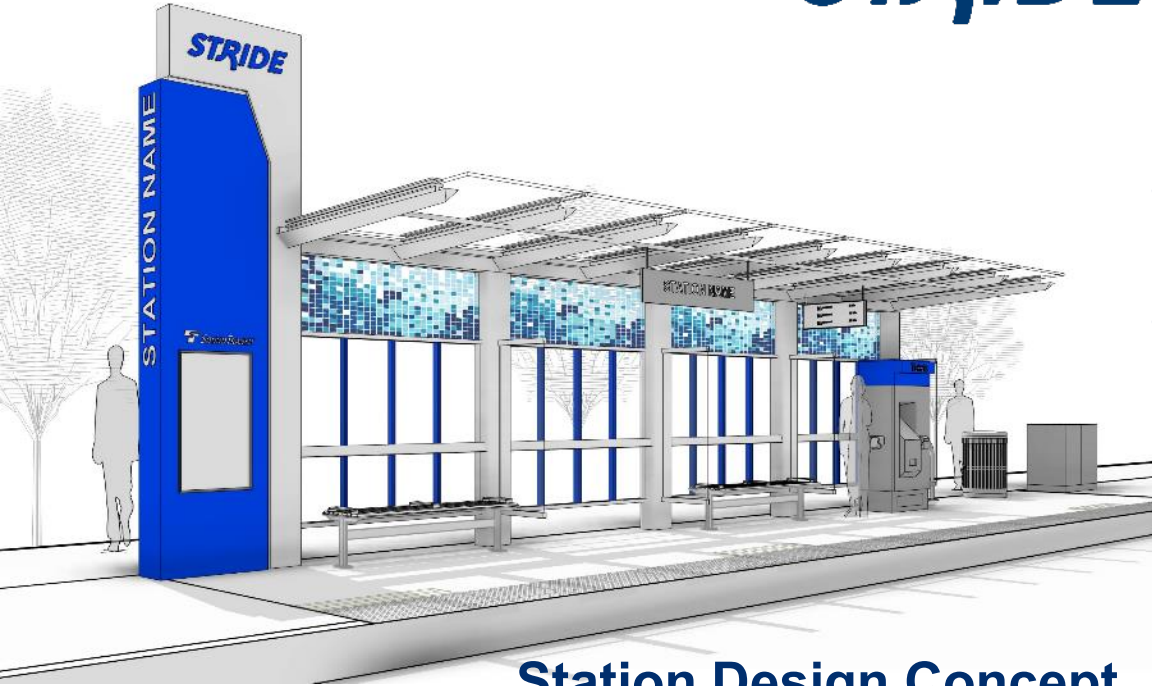
*Project delivery date currently under review due to the COVID-19 recession.

Everett Link Extension

- Length: 16.3 miles
- 6 stations
- Longest and northernmost project in the Sound Transit system

Bus Rapid Transit – new line of service

Sound Transit welcomes **STRIDE**



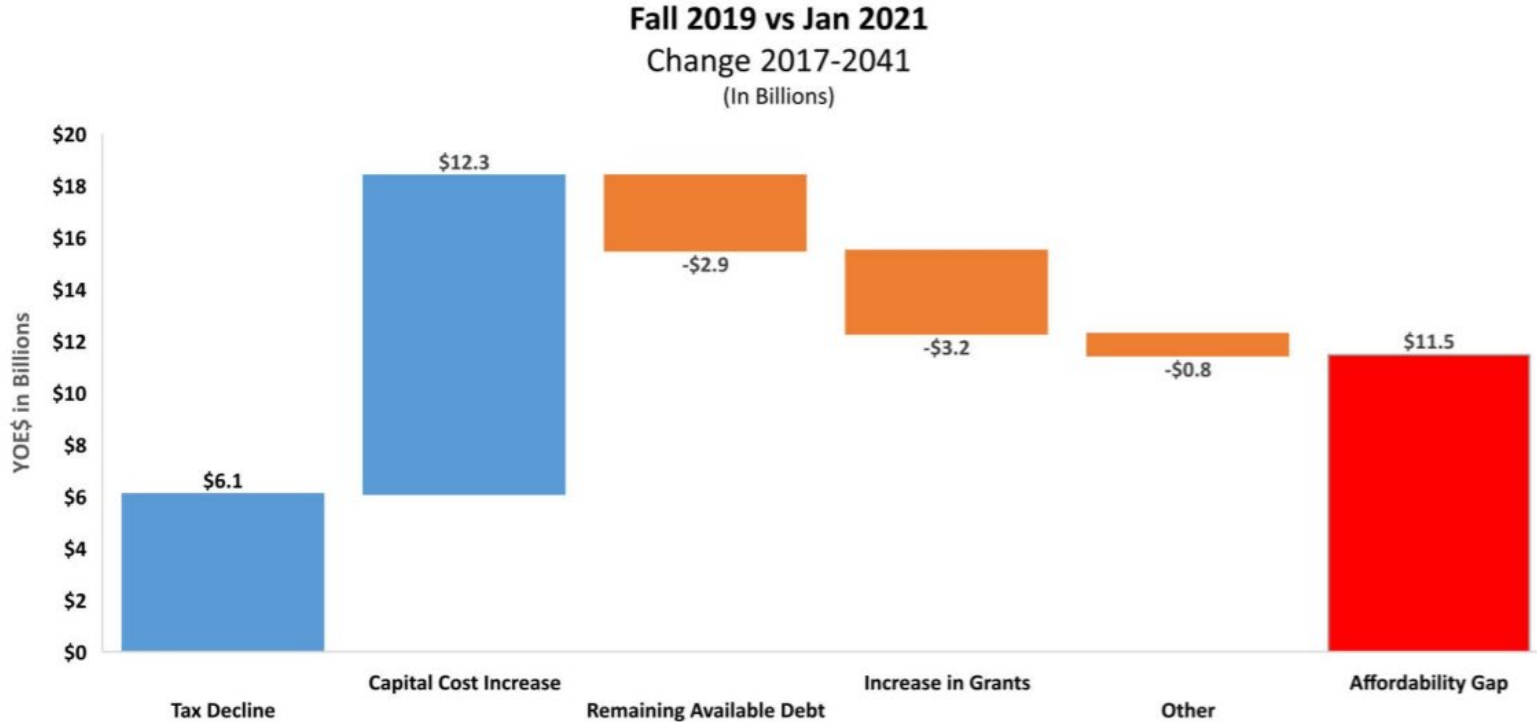
Station Design Concept

Fast, frequent and reliable

- Serving north, east and south of Lake Washington
- Connecting to Link light rail at Shoreline, Lynnwood, Bellevue, Tukwila

***Responding to the pandemic
and economic recession***

Financial changes through 2041



Currently under construction

Light rail extensions

- **Northgate** (3 stations, opening **this year**).
- **Hilltop Tacoma** (6 stations, 2022).
- **East Link** (10 stations, 2023).
- **Lynnwood** (4 stations, 2024).
- **Federal Way** (3 stations, 2024).
- **Downtown Redmond** (2 stations, 2024).

Other

- **Operations & Maintenance Facility East** (2021).
- **Puyallup Station garage** (2022).



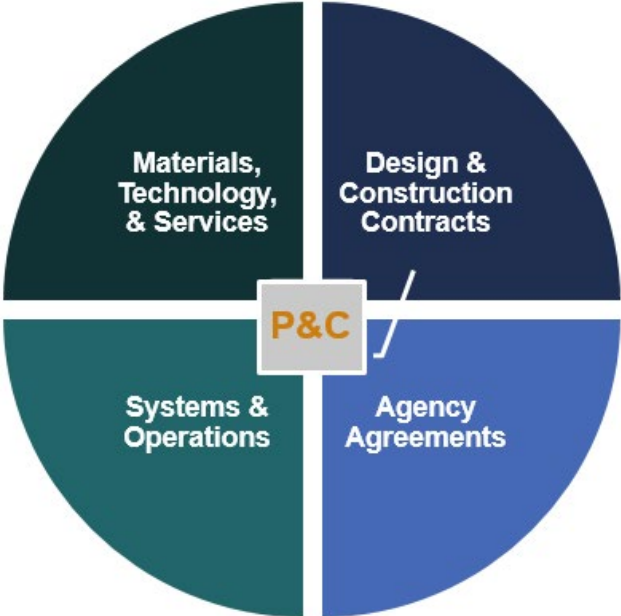
Next steps

Anticipated realignment work through July

February	Discuss realignment approaches.
March	Define approaches for public engagement.
April	Seek public feedback and discuss cost review results.
May	Discuss public feedback and Board priorities.
June	Develop realignment plan(s).
July	Adopt realignment plan(s).

Working with Sound Transit

Procurement & Contracts Division (P&CD)



Qualifications-Based Selection Procurements for Architectural and Engineering Services (A&E)

- ***Brooks Act , 40 U.S.C. § § 1101-1104***
- ***Requires QBS for program management, architectural engineering, construction management, feasibility studies, preliminary engineering, design, architectural, engineering, surveying, mapping, or related services for an FTA-funded project.***

QBS Selection Features

Qualifications

- An offeror's qualifications evaluated to determine award

Price

- Excluded as a factor

Negotiations

- First conducted with only the most qualified offeror
- Fair and reasonable

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE)

The Federal DBE Program is a program designed to increase the participation of disadvantaged businesses in USDOT-funded contracts. As a recipient of USDOT funds, Sound Transit must implement the Federal DBE Program and comply with corresponding federal regulations set forth in 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 26.

*FTA Federally
Assisted
Projects:
16.39%
program goal*

Sound Transit Website



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Procurement and contracts

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Documents

Procurement and Contracts Site

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Procurement Snapshot

Bi-weekly snapshot of Active and Immediate Future Procurements (Future dates are estimated).

Quarterly Look-ahead

A&E and construction procurements upcoming over a period of 18-24 months.

Procurement Snapshot (Bi-weekly)



Current Snapshot of Active and Immediate Future Procurements (Future dates are estimated)

DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION

Architecture and Engineering

Procurement Title	Department	Solicitation	Pre-Bid Meeting	Submittal Due	Contract Award
Bus Base North DBPM	DECM	11/07/2019	11/18/2019	12/20/2019	July 2021
On Call Link Light Rail Bridge and Tunnel Inspection Services	OPS	01/29/2021	NA	02/26/2021	April 2021

Construction

Procurement Title	Department	Solicitation	Pre-Bid Meeting	Submittal Due	Contract Award
E 135 Mercer Island Transit Integration	DECM	01/11/2021	1/14/2021	02/05/2021	March 2021

Bid Listing

Sound Transit's Solicitation Portal

Solicitation Number	Solicitation Name	Closing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Date Posted (MM/DD/YYYY)	Days Left	Status 
CN 0186-20	E135 Mercer Island Transit Integration	02/10/2021 02:00:00 PM PT 	01/11/2021	1 days	Open for Bidding
RI 0004-21	Hand Sanitizer and Dispensers in Transit Stations	02/12/2021 05:00:00 PM PT	01/13/2021	3 days	Open for Bidding
JC 0219-19	Job Order Contracting (JOC) Construction	02/19/2021 02:00:00 PM PT 	10/05/2020	10 days	Open for Bidding

Unsolicited proposals

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B.19 Unsolicited Proposals

- 1 **Introduction:** Unsolicited proposals can be a valuable means for Sound Transit to obtain innovative or unique supplies, methods, or approaches from outside sources to accomplish Sound Transit's mission. As a public entity, Sound Transit has an obligation to act as a good steward of public funds. Laws and regulations require Sound Transit to seek full and open competition for most procurement and contracting opportunities. This process is intended to facilitate, not impede, the proper receipt and evaluation of unsolicited proposals while preserving the integrity of the procurement process and conforming to applicable laws and regulations. Sound Transit is under no obligation to accept an unsolicited proposal, or to make a contract award arising from an unsolicited proposal.
- 2 **Definition of Unsolicited Proposal:**
 - (A) An unsolicited proposal is a proposal that is:
 - (1) Innovative, unique, and pragmatic.
 - (2) Independently originated and developed by the proposer.
 - (3) Prepared without Sound Transit's supervision, endorsement, direction, or direct involvement.
 - (4) Sufficiently detailed that its benefits in support of Sound Transit's mission and responsibilities are apparent.
 - (5) Not an advance proposal for property or services that Sound Transit plans/intends to acquire through traditional competitive methods.
 - (6) Not an offer responding to a Sound Transit previously advertised expression of need or Request for Proposals.
 - (B) An unsolicited proposal should be distinguished from the following:
 - (1) **Advertising or Promotional Material:** Material designed to acquaint Sound Transit with a prospective proposer's current products or potential capabilities, or designed to determine Sound Transit's interest in procuring such products or services.
 - (2) **Contributions:** Concepts, suggestions, or mere ideas presented to Sound Transit for its use, with no indication on the part of the offeror that it will continue in its efforts with regard to such concepts, suggestions, or ideas on behalf of Sound Transit.
 - (3) **Technical Correspondence:** Written inquiries regarding Sound Transit's interest in developing infrastructure projects, preproposal explorations, technical inquiries and research proposals.

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