

Duwamish Watershed

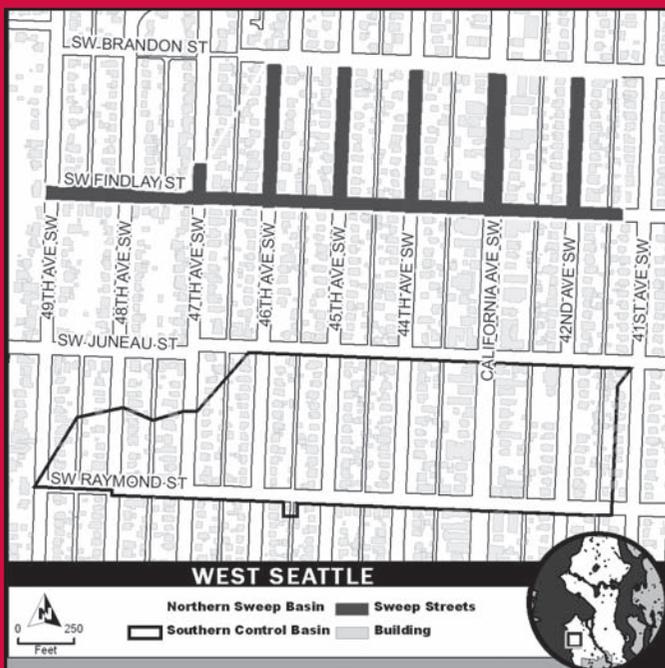
Once a week, Street Sweeping will occur on a section of Airport Highway that does not have street parking. Therefore, parking restrictions do not apply for the Duwamish neighborhood.

Do I have to move my car?

Yes. If you live in the following red outlined areas, we need your help in moving your car every other Tuesday to make room for the Street Sweepers.

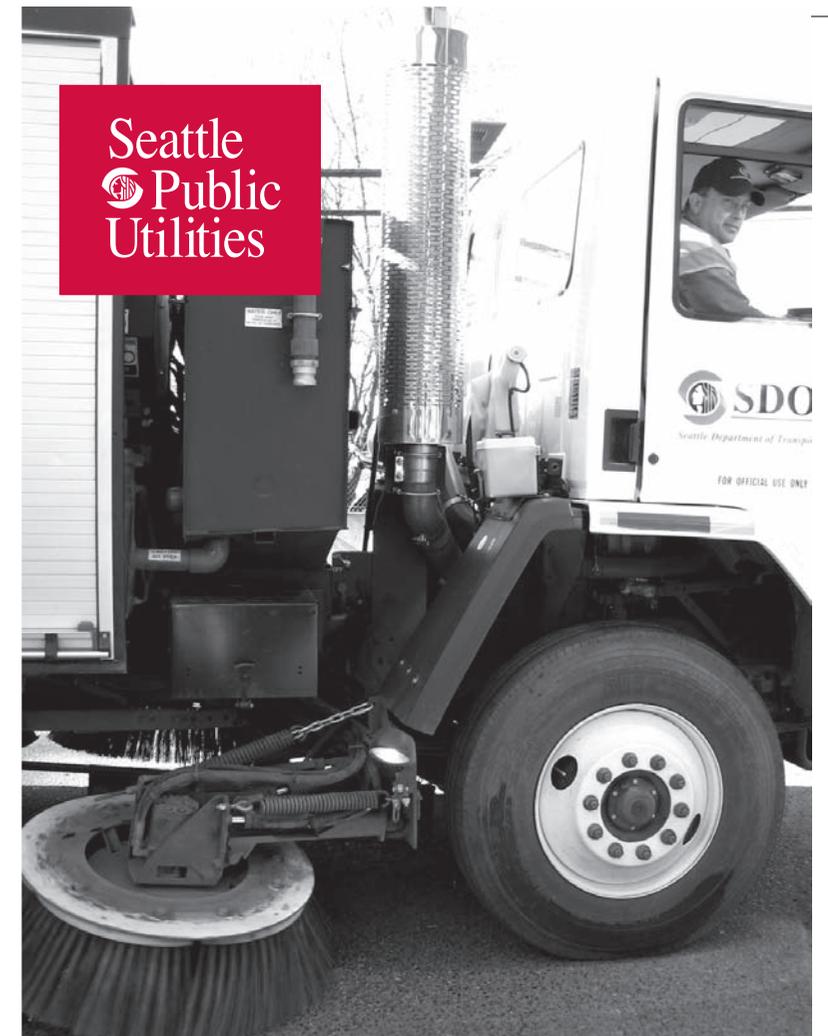


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To help you remember Street Sweep dates, Seattle Public Utilities will install new "no parking signs" with corresponding dates.

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A New Water Quality Initiative Serving
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Seattle **Street** Sweep

A pilot project to evaluate best practices and new technologies to improve the health of Seattle's waters



Every day, pollution from cars, lawns and businesses flows from neighborhood streets into our waterways. Recent research indicates that street sweeping twice a month can remove pollution before it reaches these waters.

Seattle Public Utilities is committed to protecting, and improving water quality in our waterways. We are working to find best practices and new technologies to benefit our environment.

This Street Sweep pilot project in your neighborhood will help the City determine if street sweeping is a good addition to its water quality toolbox, helping make our waterways cleaner and healthier for people and fish.

How can I help?

Your neighborhood has been chosen for this pilot project. This means that street dirt and debris will be removed from an area in your neighborhood each week during the year-long pilot project. Please view the enclosed map to see if you live on a street that will be swept.

In an effort to reduce the impact of sweeping on you and your neighbors, we will sweep one side of the street one week, and return the following week to sweep the other side. This allows streets to be swept during the day when many cars are gone.

To make this program work, Seattle Public Utilities needs your participation by adhering to the Street Sweep schedule. If you live in the red outlined area on the enclosed map, you will be asked to keep your side of the street free from parked cars, two days per month. A Street Sweep schedule will be sent to you with explicitly defined days in which you will be asked to park on only one side of the street.

If you live in the neighborhood, but do not live on a street that will be swept, you do not need to move your car on sweeping days. You may, however, notice more cars parked on your street on those days. You may also notice crews in your neighborhood periodically during the year-long pilot, opening manholes and working in the street. This is part of the monitoring program that will help us to evaluate and determine if the pilot project is successful.

When do I need to move my car?

This one-year Street Sweep pilot project **begins in your neighborhood May 2006**. A specialized City Street Sweep truck will be in your neighborhood, during the day when many cars are gone, between the hours of **8 a.m. and 4 p.m.** If you live on a swept street, a Street Sweep schedule will be sent to you with explicitly defined the days in which you will be asked to park on only one side of the street.

What happens if I forget to move my car?

The City values your partnership in this project. If you forget to move your car we will simply leave a reminder message on your windshield. We will not ticket, or tow cars that are not moved.

Do you want Seattle Public Utilities to remind you of the days you need to move your car by 8 a.m.? Sign up to receive an e-mail reminder prior to your street's scheduled sweep by sending your request to streetsweep@seattle.gov with the subject "Remind Me."



We will keep you updated on the project's progress.

Have a question in the meantime?

Send your question to streetsweep@seattle.gov

call (206) 615-1766

write to Project Manager Keith Ward

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This information can be made available on request to accommodate people with disabilities and those who need language translation assistance.

若要索取用中文編寫的資訊，請致電 206-684-3000

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Call Seattle Public Utilities at (206) 684-3000

TDD telephone number is (206) 233-7241

For more information on this project check out the website at www.seattle.gov/util/streetsweep

