



Roundabout project area

Construction on Steilacoom roundabout starts in May 2021

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Construction on a roundabout at the intersection of Union Avenue, Rainier Street, Martin Street, and the Pierce County Ferry loading lanes in Steilacoom is expected to begin in May 2021. The work is expected to be complete in the fall.

BENEFITS

The project is expected to:

- ▶ Improve safety by reducing the potential for head on collisions at the intersection.
- ▶ Increase the intersection's capacity, reducing congestion.
- ▶ Improve access and flow to the ferry landing.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

A roundabout is a circular intersection where motorists travel counterclockwise around a center island.

The five-legged roundabout will be one lane, and will feature crosswalks with flashing lights that alert motorists that a pedestrian is crossing. New sidewalks, curbs and gutters will be installed. Minor improvements to storm drainage facilities will be made.

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Access to the ferry loading lanes will be maintained at all times.

Information about work hours and traffic impacts will be available at townofsteilacoom.org closer to the work start date.

FUNDING

The project is funded with a \$717,928 grant from the Washington State Transportation Improvement Board, a local match of \$1,118,162 from the Town of Steilacoom, and up to \$395,000 in Pierce County Traffic Impact Fees.

TIMELINE

2015

- ▶ Traffic study identifies project need

2019

- ▶ Memorandum of Agreement signed between Steilacoom and Pierce County
- ▶ Project design underway

2020

- ▶ Project delayed due to COVID-19

February 2021

- ▶ Design presented to Town Council

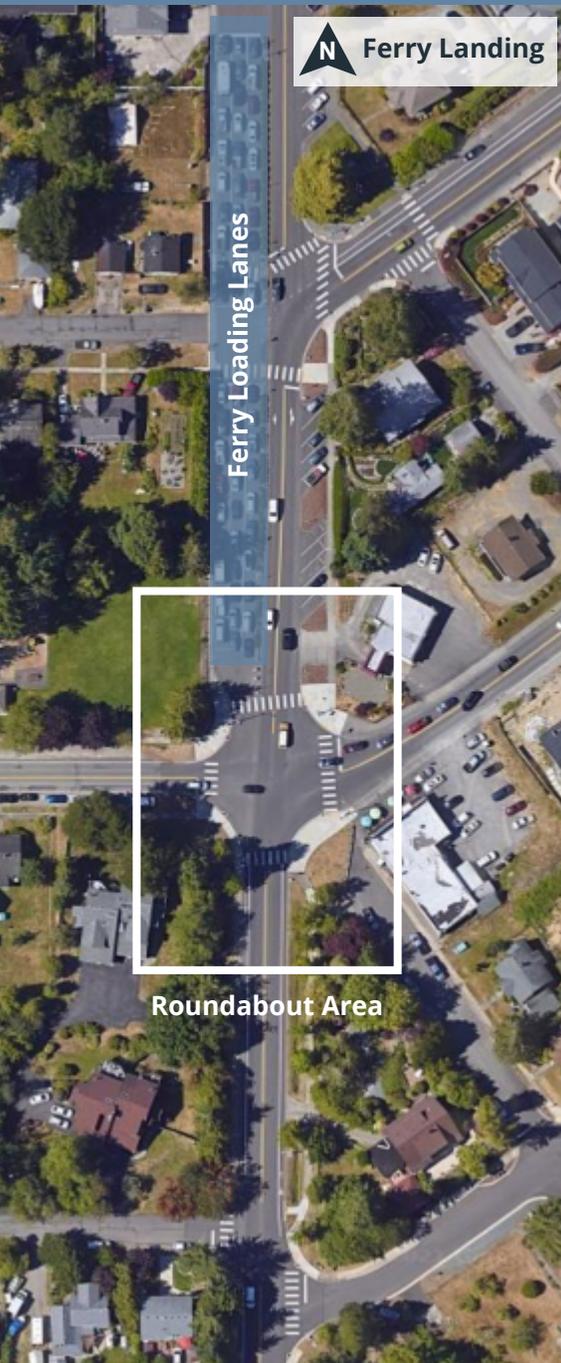
March 2021

- ▶ Project discussed at March 1 AICAB meeting
- ▶ Project put out to bid for contractor

May-Fall 2021

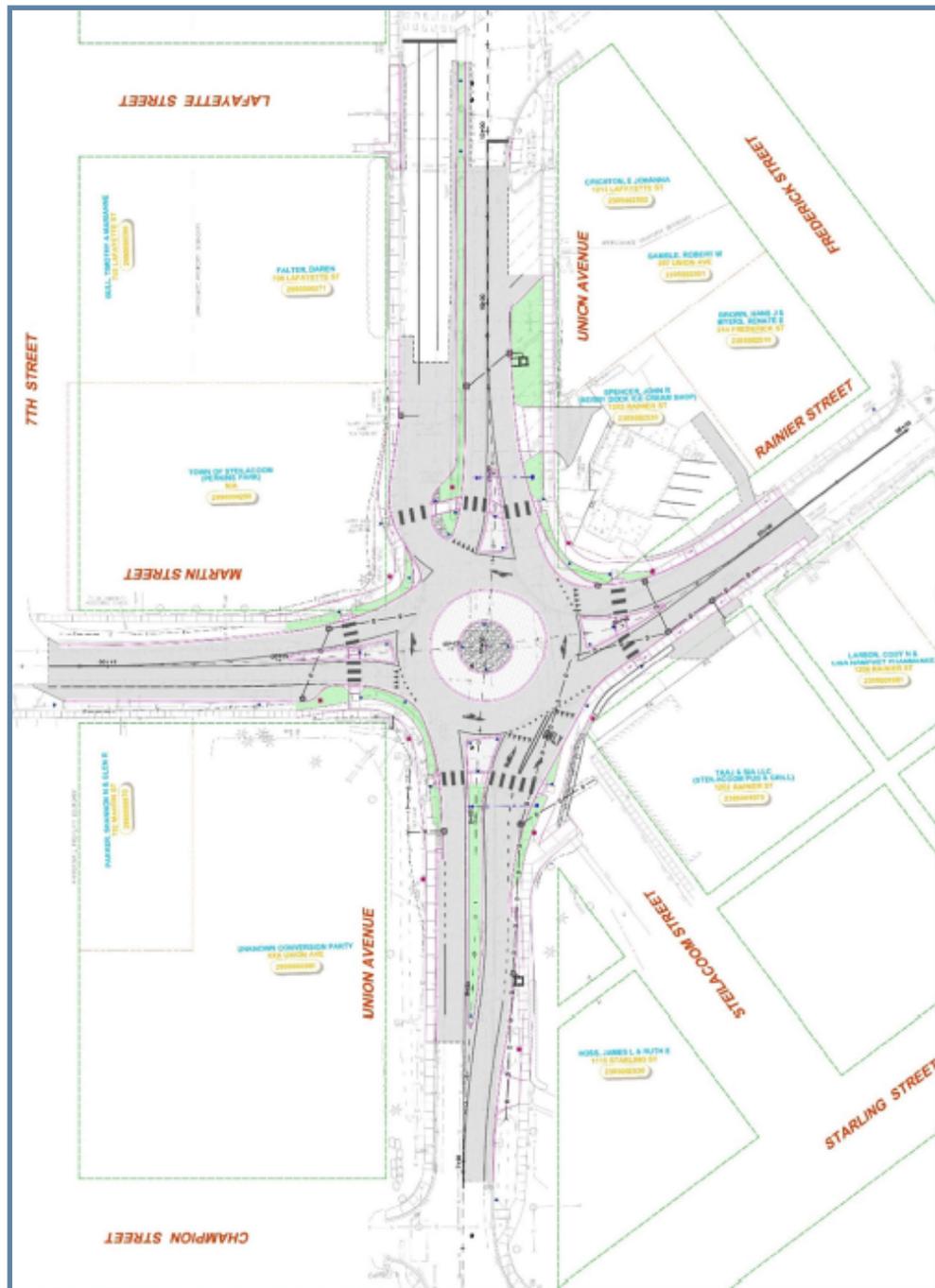
- ▶ Construction

ROUNDBOUT AREA



Roundabout Area

ROUNDBOUT DESIGN



CONTACT

Questions about the roundabout and construction:



Mark Burlingame
 Town of Steilacoom Public Works Director
mark.burlingame@ci.steilacoom.wa.us
 (253) 581-1912

Questions about ferry service:



Pierce County

piercecountywa.gov/ferry
 (253) 588-1950