



Press Release

City of Edmonds

Mayor Gary Haakenson

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72nd Ave. road closure extended

(Edmonds - WA) 72nd Ave. will continue to be closed to through traffic between Olympic View Drive and 181st St. through **Friday, December 4**. The closure was expected to last two weeks in mid October; however, an unforeseen issue with materials as well as weather-related issues have extended the closure.

The detour will have flaggers present between the hours of 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday. The detour is necessary for the construction of a retaining wall and traffic barrier at the intersection of Olympic View Drive and 72nd Ave. While the construction is ongoing, 72nd Ave. will only be wide enough to accommodate one vehicle.

The detour route will be signed to divert traffic around the work zone using 181st St. to Olympic View Drive. Drivers are also encouraged to use 180th St. as an alternate route to Olympic View Drive. Local access for residents who live immediately north of Olympic View Drive will be maintained.

For questions, please contact the construction manager, Phillip Riggins, at 425.457.3251.

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