



LOWER DUWAMISH WATERWAY UPPER REACH

## Cleanup Construction News

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### Cleanup Construction Activities

Season 2 construction in the upper reach, the southernmost two miles of the Lower Duwamish Waterway Superfund site, will continue through February 2026. Construction will occur on weekdays and Saturdays, with **work taking place during both daytime and, when needed, nighttime hours**. Work hours vary based on factors such as tides and the type of work being conducted (e.g., dredging or placing clean material).

Please note that in-water construction activities are dynamic and weather-dependent. All schedules are subject to change. Visit [LDWG.org](https://www.ldwg.org) for the most up-to-date information.

If you have questions, or concerns, you can reach our team at [info@ldwg.org](mailto:info@ldwg.org) or 1-888-561-LDWG (1-888-561-5394).

[Map of cleanup areas](#)

**Environmental and Community Report for the Week of January 26**

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With oversight from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), we are working to minimize the impact of construction on those who work, live, and spend time along the Duwamish Waterway. Stay informed about environmental monitoring and construction activities by viewing our weekly report linked above.

### What to Expect During the Week of February 9

Cleanup dredging activities will take place in sediment management area (SMA) **11A**. We will be placing clean material where dredging was previously completed at SMAs **9** and **12B**. Work will occur during the daytime, between 6:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. It's possible the contractor may need to work on Sunday, February 15.

### What to Expect During the Week of February 16

Cleanup activities will entail placing clean material at SMAs **9**, **11A** and **12B**. These are areas where dredging is complete. Work will occur during the daytime, between 6:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. The contractor will be conducting cleanup activities on President's Day, Monday, February 16.

### Monitoring for and containing sheens during cleanup activities at SMA 12B

The construction contractor resumed dredging in SMA 12B on January 21. Some small sheens have been observed and were quickly contained and cleaned up by the Clean Harbors crew using oil-absorbing booms. We expect dredging to be completed in SMA 12B by today, February 6. Therefore, the various oil-absorbing booms will be demobilized over the coming week.



Early morning dredging at SMA 12B with sheen capture and management equipment (Geosyntec, February 4, 2026)

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