Amtrak Private Utility Lines Term Permit Resolution Council Sustainability and Transportation Committee

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Presentation Overview

- National Passenger Railroad Corporation (Amtrak) is seeking a new permit for new private utility lines under S Holgate St, east of Occidental S and west of 3rd Ave S
- These utility lines will:
 - Separate waste systems from existing combined sewer
 - Direct industrial waste water generated by locomotive maintenance activities to an existing waste treatment plant
 - Provide power to idle trains during layovers, reducing idling, diesel pollution, and fuel consumption
- SDOT recommends approval of the term permit

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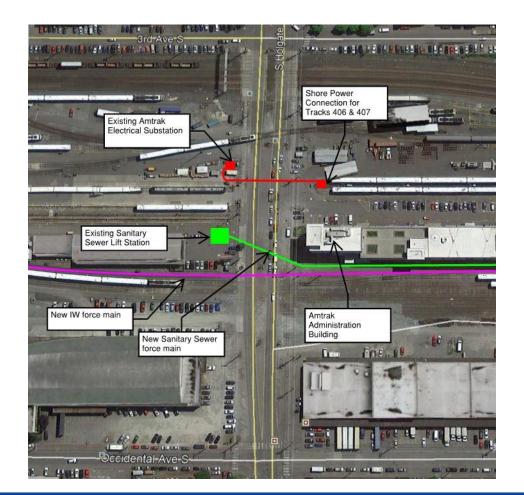
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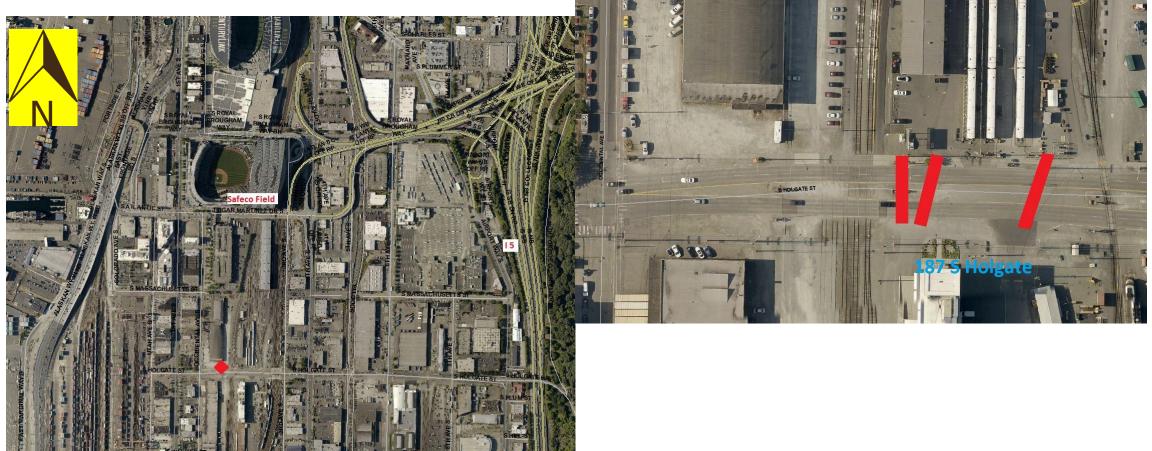
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Term permit process

□ Step 1: Resolution

Adoption of the resolution provides conceptual approval for the private use in the right-of-way, subject to the terms and conditions to be established in the term permit ordinance.

□ Step 2: Ordinance

Passage of the ordinance details the terms and conditions of the permit, including annual fee, maintenance obligations, indemnification, insurance, and bond requirements.

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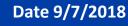
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Requested Action

- SDOT is seeking Council adoption of this resolution for conceptual approval for these private utility lines for Amtrak
- If the ordinance is approved, this permit will be in place until 2025







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