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#### Mandatory Underground Districts (established in 1969)

#### **Status of Districts:**

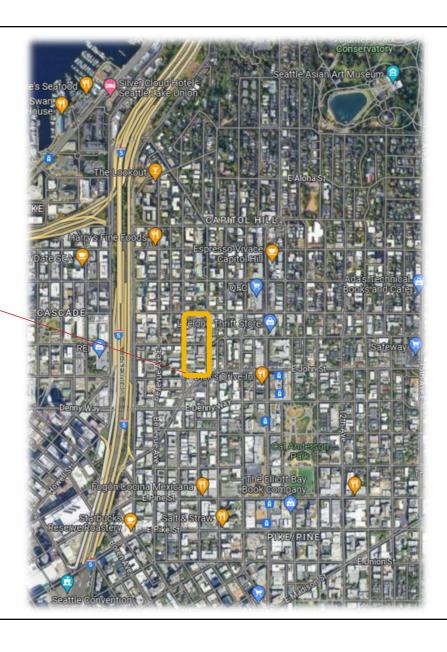
- Central Area-University District (mostly complete)
- South Seattle (complete)
- First Hill (only 20% complete)
- Leschi (complete)



### Why Now?

- 4kV cable needs conversion to 26kV
- ~four blocks impactedbetween East Harrison Street and East John Street
- ~40 separate service addresses impacted
- ~650 customer accounts impacted





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## Alley



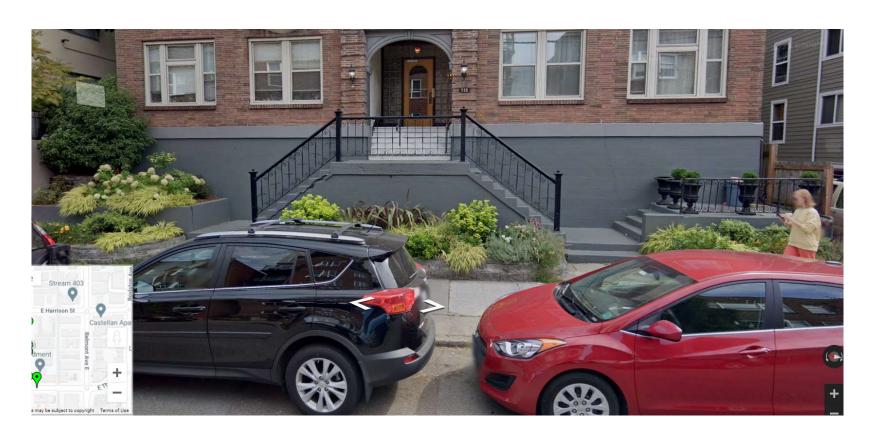
## Harrison



#### Consequences of Mandatory Undergrounding

- District treated differently than other neighborhoods in the City without basis.
- Greater costs passed onto the general ratepayers.
- District customers must, at their expense, trench to underground hand hole electrical box.
- Service drops must move.
- Poles with communication lines and redundant system likely to remain.
- Greater loss of parking and use of streets.

## Example on Summit Receiving Overhead 26kV



#### Ordinance Amends SMC to Allow SCL to

- Assess Overhead
   Facilities Consistent with
   Engineering Standards
- Develop Plan Consistent with Engineering Standards
- Discretion
   to Determine Disposition
   of Telecommunication Poles

- Lead Coordination with Affected Owners/Operators of Telecommunication Companies
- Set Schedule for Facility Removal and Establish Communications Down to Customers

# THANK YOU

