

## PSE is improving your **NATURAL GAS SYSTEM** ▶▶▶

- Starting in May, PSE will begin construction of a new natural gas pipeline near you.
- Learn more about upcoming construction at [pse.com/fifetacomagas](https://pse.com/fifetacomagas).
- Questions? Reach out to us at [majorprojects@pse.com](mailto:majorprojects@pse.com) or 1-888-404-8773.



## Improving the natural gas system for our customers

Starting in May, PSE and our contractors will begin construction of a new four mile, 16-inch natural gas distribution pipeline in the street right-of-way from 20th St. E and 62nd Ave. E in Fife to the Port of Tacoma. Customer growth throughout the greater Tacoma and west Pierce County areas is straining the natural gas system. This new pipeline will ensure we can maintain the current reliability of the area's gas system and ensure we can continue to provide our customers with dependable service in the future, especially on the coldest days of the year when gas is in highest demand.

This project is expected to last until mid-December. Since the work installing the pipe will mainly be at night or around-the-clock on weekends, we aim to complete this work with as little disruption as possible. Flaggers and other personnel will be present during work hours to safely move traffic and pedestrians around the work area.

### Definitions:

**Trenching:** Workers dig an open trench, lay in the pipe and cover with fill and asphalt. Metal plates safely cover the trench during the day.

**Horizontal drilling:** A large machine drills a small tunnel horizontally through the ground, feeding in the pipe as it drills. The road surface above the drilling is not disturbed.

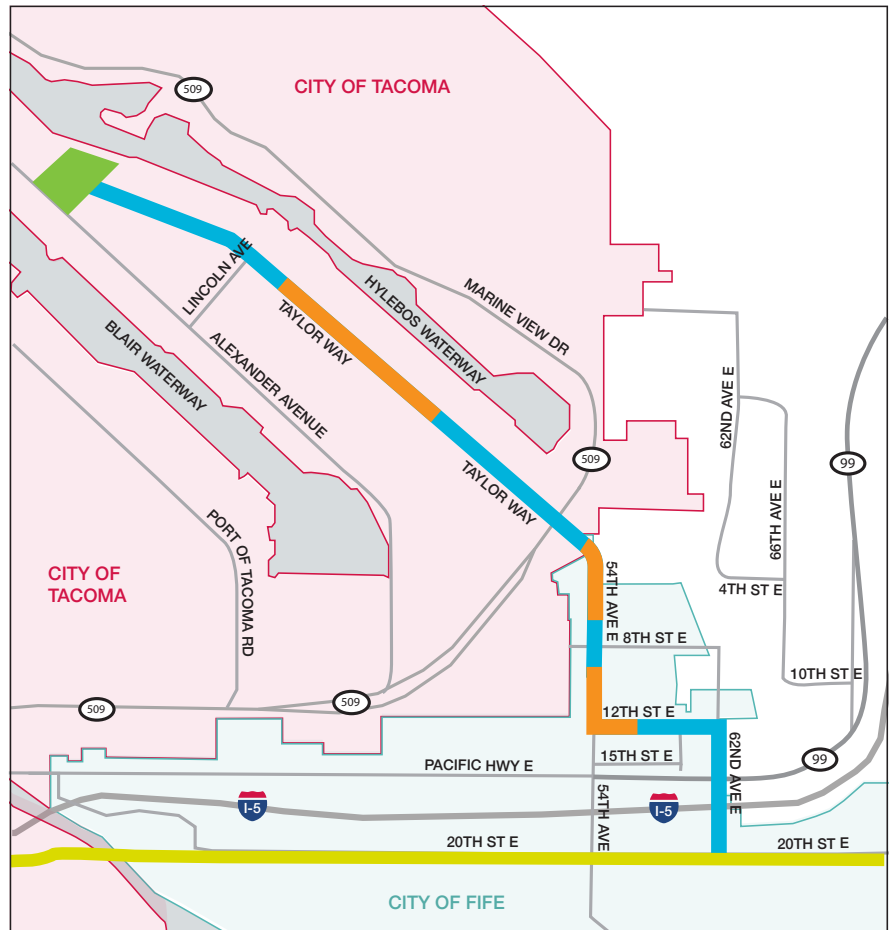
## What you can expect:

**What:** Work includes constructing approximately four miles of 16-inch natural gas distribution pipeline in Fife, Tacoma and the Port of Tacoma.

**Where:** Beginning at 20th St. E and 62nd Ave. E in Fife, route will follow the road, in the public right-of-way, to 12th St. E to 54th Ave. E to Taylor Way and onto the Port of Tacoma. For details, see project map.

**Who:** Crews from PSE and our contractor crews.

**When:** Work will mainly be at night and on weekends from May through October.



### Questions?



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