

**I-0487-001**

**Comment Summary:**

Pacific Street Interchange Option

**Response:**

See Section 1.2 of the 2006 Draft EIS Comment Response Report.

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I am writing to strongly oppose the proposed Pacific Street off ramp that would create an entirely new bridge over Portage Bay and by Husky Stadium. I imagine the idea is to improve access to and from 520 in the Montlake area. As a frequent user of these routes, it is a noble goal. However, the fact of the matter is that it will only shift traffic from one place to another, not improve it. Furthermore, the limited benefits (if there are any) are offset by the significant two significant downsides: 1. A new cement bridge in one of the most scenic and beautiful views in the city. 2. UW Parking. Husky Stadium isn't just a parking lot for football games, it is used every day by the UW Medical Center and parking around the busiest district in the city (other than downtown) is already scarce. While I am pleased that we are finally doing something about the 520 bridge, please do not expand the footprint of this project and make 520 a massive eyesore and parking headache for those who live and work in this fantastic city. Sincerely, Sean Moore