

Alaskan Way Viaduct and Seawall Replacement Project

Draft EIS Comment Form

Please use this form to give us comments on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Draft EIS) for the Alaskan Way Viaduct and Scawall Replacement Project. The comments you make will become part of the public record for this project. Your thoughts will help decision makers develop a preferred alternative. Responses to your comments will be provided in the Final EIS.

Contact Information: At a minimum, please provide your name and Zip Code. If you would like to be added to the project mailing list, please fill out the rest of the contact information and check the box below. Organization/Membership Affiliation (optional City: E-mail: Check here if you would like to be added to the project mailing list. 1. Choose a topic: Overall Project Construction Impacts and ☐ Tunnel Alternative Mitigation All of the Alternatives ■ Bypass Tunnel Alternative Rebuild Alternative Suface Alternative Aerial Alternative What are your comments about the project?

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FHWA, WSDOT, and the City of Seattle appreciate receiving your comments proposing a gribble awareness campaign.

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Several concepts were considered that would construct a bridge over Elliott Bay as an alternative to reconstructing the viaduct in its current location. However, these concepts were screened out for several reasons:

- A bridge over Elliott Bay would restrict navigation within Elliott Bay, which would affect both the Port of Seattle's container terminal operations and the Washington State Ferry operations at Colman Dock.
- Obtaining the necessary permits for in-water bridge construction would be extremely difficult.
- The bridge concept has visual quality impacts that are not consistent with the City's existing land use and shoreline plans.

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