

# Fanno Creek Watershed

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## SW 45th Avenue Culvert Replacement

### Road Closure Update

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Environmental Services is constructing a project to replace an aging culvert on Fanno Creek at SW 45th Avenue. The new larger culvert will improve stream flow and allow fish to pass through. Two green street planters will also be constructed along SW 45th to capture and filter stormwater runoff before it flows into Fanno Creek. The restoration work and fish passage will continue Environmental Services efforts to improve conditions in Fanno Creek.

#### Road Closure Extended

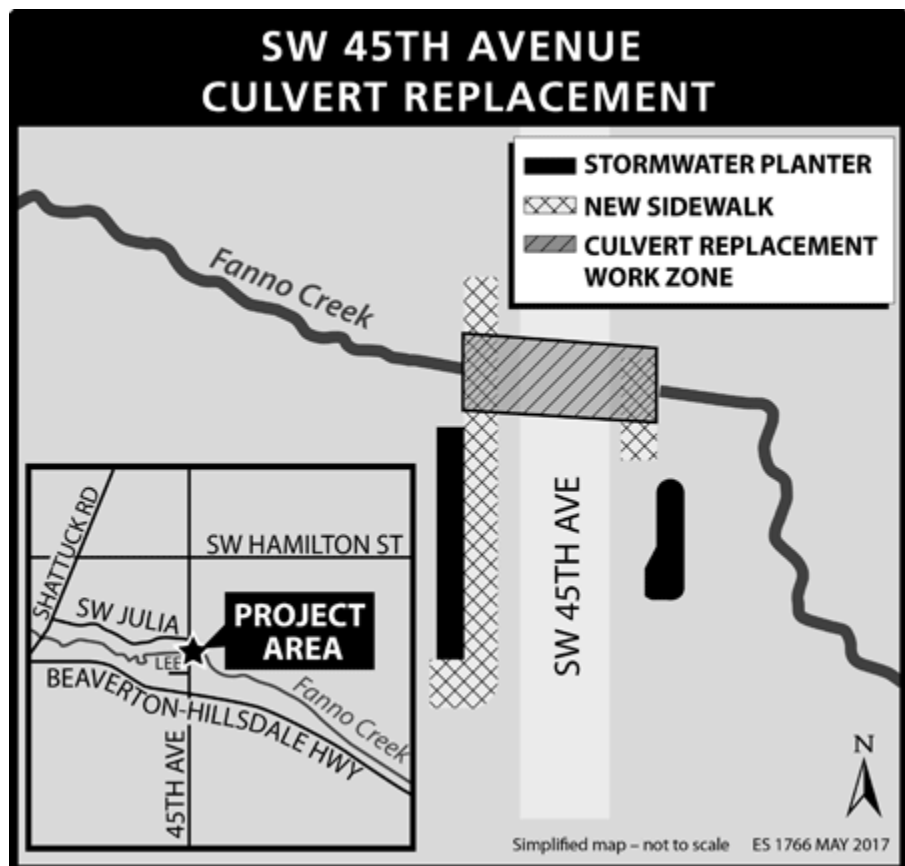
Due to recent flooding that postponed work, the closure of SW 45th Avenue is extended to an estimated date of October 31 for all hours and all days to complete the project. The culvert has been successfully installed, and the remaining work includes bringing the road to grade, pouring the new sidewalks and green street planters, and street restoration.

The closure is on SW 45th between SW Lee and the Woods

Apartments (4940-4950 SW 45th). The recommended auto and bike detour is SW Shattuck Road and Hamilton Street. Look for detour signs.

#### Pedestrian Access

There is a pedestrian trail at SW 45th across from Julia Street that will bring you to SW 43rd and Beaverton-Hillsdale Highway. An aerial photo is on the project website at [www.portlandoregon.gov/bes/SW45thCulvert](http://www.portlandoregon.gov/bes/SW45thCulvert).



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Green infrastructure keeps stormwater out of the sewer system, filters pollutants, provides habitat and increases neighborhood green space for healthier watersheds. Learn more at [www.portlandoregon.gov/bes](http://www.portlandoregon.gov/bes).

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We encourage you to sign up for email updates about the project schedule and activities and by visiting the project webpage at [www.portlandoregon.gov/bes/SW45thCulvert](http://www.portlandoregon.gov/bes/SW45thCulvert) and click the SIGN UP! button. If you would like more information about the project or have questions and concerns you'd like to discuss, please call Debbie Caselton at 503-823-2831 or email at [Debbie.Caselton@portlandoregon.gov](mailto:Debbie.Caselton@portlandoregon.gov). Please include your name, property address and project name (SW 45th) in your voicemail and email so we can provide you more details about what to expect in front of your property. Also, please write "SW 45th" in the subject line of your email.

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