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# PROJECT UPDATE



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This rendering depicts a completed Fire Station 27, which Kirkland's voters made possible in November 2020 when they approved Proposition 1.

## Kirkland makes way for Fire Station 27

New station will be Kirkland's second on east side of I-405 and will help reduce emergency response times.

**WHAT:** Kirkland's demolition contractor begins in February the process of deconstructing and removing a now-vacant building from its site at 13118 121st Way NE.

The removal—and Puget Sound Energy's ensuing utility relocates—makes way for the 16,000 square-foot Fire Station 27, which a Kirkland contractor will begin building in May.

When complete, the two-story, earthquake-resilient facility will include three and a half fire engine bays; one of which Redmond Medic 123 will occupy.

It will improve response times to Kingsgate, Totem Lake and parts of North Rose Hill and it will protect the health of Kirkland's first responders.

Fire Station 27 will be Kirkland's second fire station on the east side of Interstate 405.

Kirkland voters approved Proposition 1 in November 2020 to protect the health of emergency responders and to improve

emergency response times.

**WHEN:** To remove the building, Forma Construction plans to work eight hours a day, between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, starting in February and ending in March.

■ Immediately afterward, Puget Sound Energy will relocate its utility lines beneath Northeast 132nd Street to support the project.

■ In May, a different Kirkland contractor will begin building the new fire station. Kirkland's leaders expect to complete the new fire station by summer 2023.

**WHAT TO EXPECT:** In addition to demolition and utility relocation, Kirkland firefighters will use the vacant facility in February for fire and rescue training.

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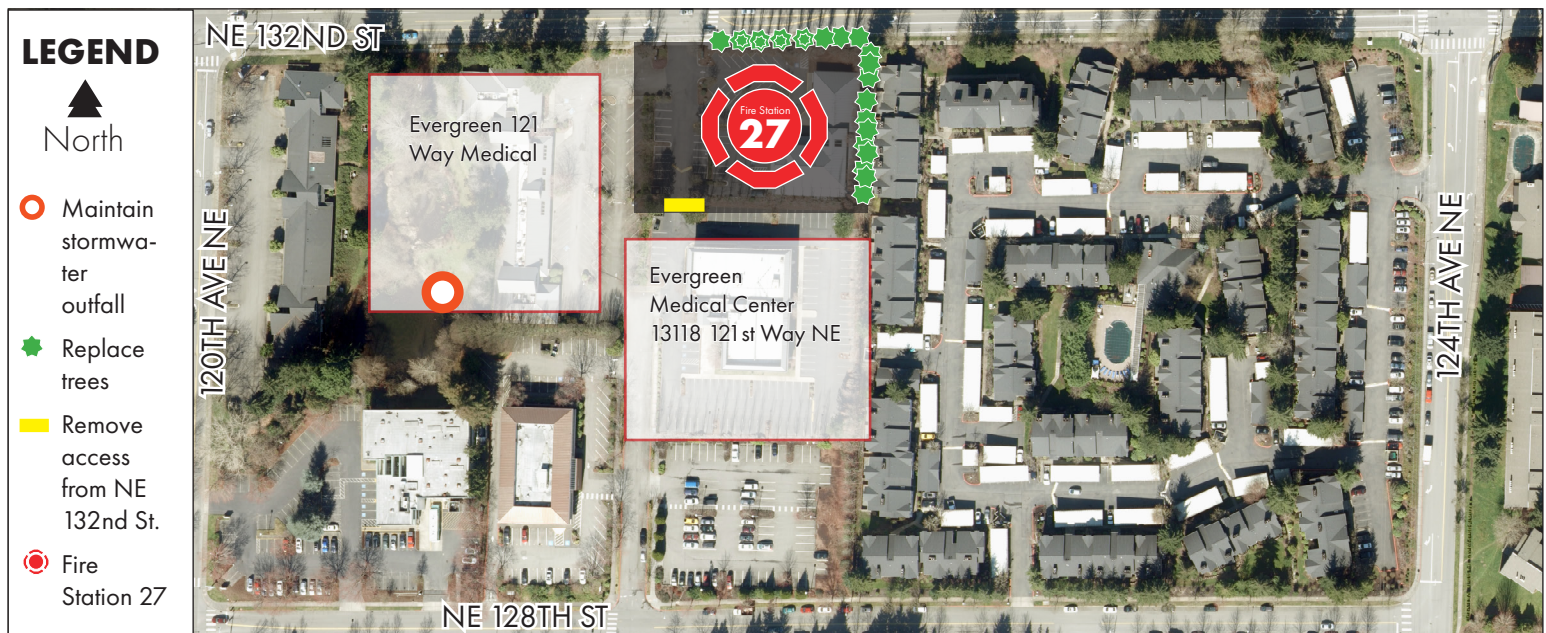
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The new fire station will be a new neighbor in a neighborhood that already hosts medical clinics and residents.

# New fire station alters access, landscape

## Minor changes protect public's safety, as well as health of local waterways

■ The construction and operation of Fire Station 27 will render infeasible direct access between the Fire Station's parcel and the parcel to its south at 13118 121st Way NE. Tenants and visitors of the Evergreen

Medical Center building will still be able to access the building via Northeast 128th Street.

■ Along the property's northern and eastern line, the City of Kirkland plans to

replace more than a dozen trees.

■ On the west side of the Evergreen 121 Way Medical building, the City will be performing maintenance to the stormwater outfall.