

Graham Street Infill Station Project

Project Briefing

Board of Directors

03/27/2025



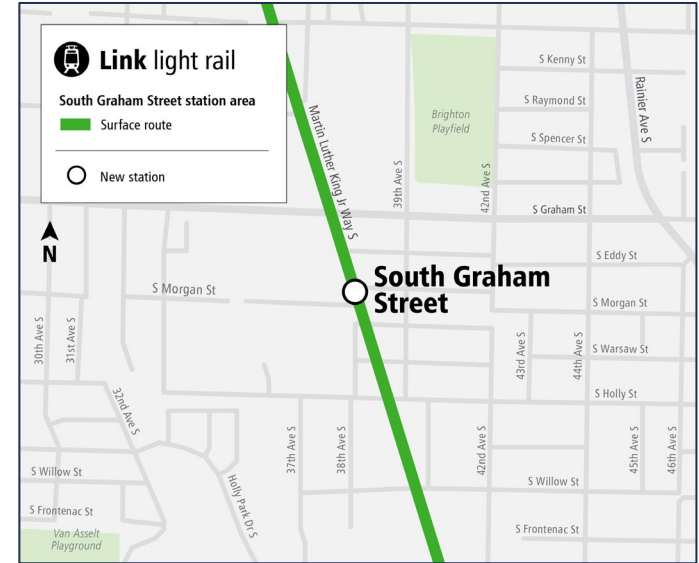
Why we are here

- Update on advancing one Graham Street Station design option into environmental review.

No action requested today; information only

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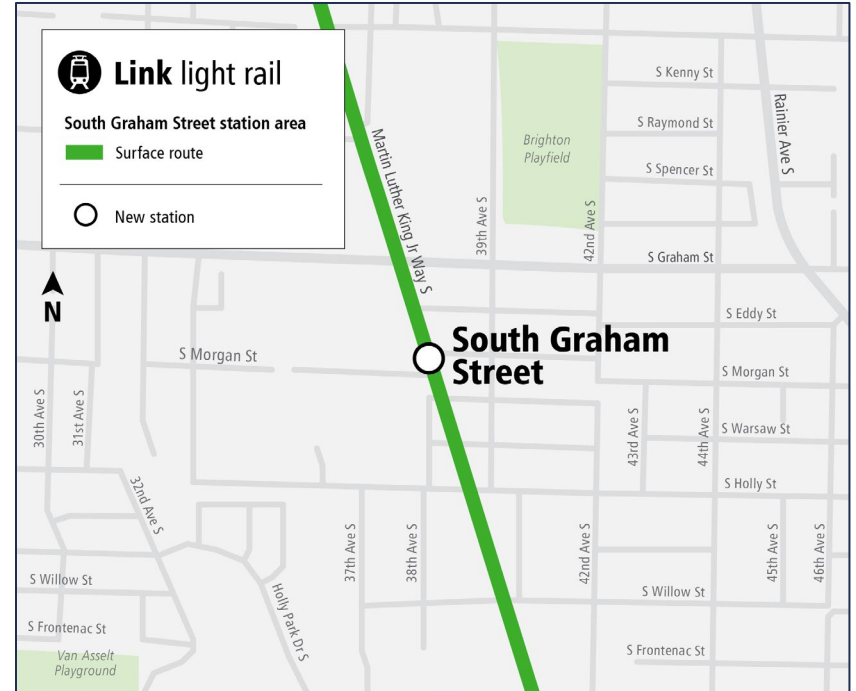
- **Increases light rail access** in Seattle's Rainier Valley, bridging the gap between Columbia City and Othello Stations
- **Improves mobility, multimodal connectivity, and convenience**
- **Supports** land use, transportation, and economic development plans for the area
- **Improves operational flexibility** with potential new crossover



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Key Project Elements

- New at-grade station
- Modifications to MLK/Graham intersection
- Access, safety, and utility work near station
- Target opening: 2031





VOTER
APPROVAL

2016



PLANNING



DESIGN

2024-2025

Design options development

- ✓ Jan 2024 – Feb 2025:
Design options refinement



Mar 2025: Board briefing on station design option to study

2025-2026

Environmental Review

2026

Board selects Project to be Built

Project schedule subject to change.

PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

2024-2025 Engagement Summary

Summary of events

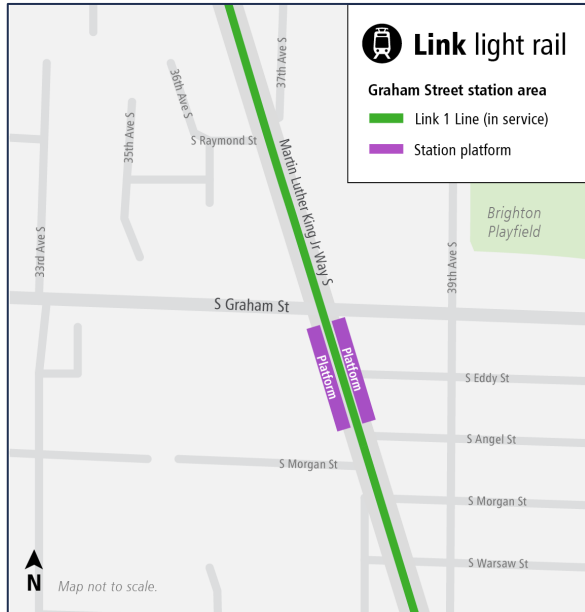
- Stakeholder interviews with community organizations
- Community events
- Door-to-door outreach to residents and businesses
- In-person open houses and online surveys: Jul 2024 and Feb 2025

What we're hearing

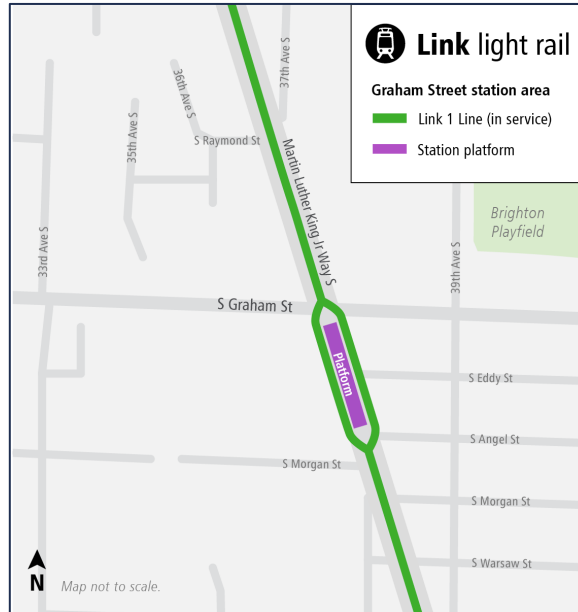
- Enhance safety
- Minimize disruptions and impacts to local businesses
- Increase access and connections
- Build the station as soon as possible

Design Options

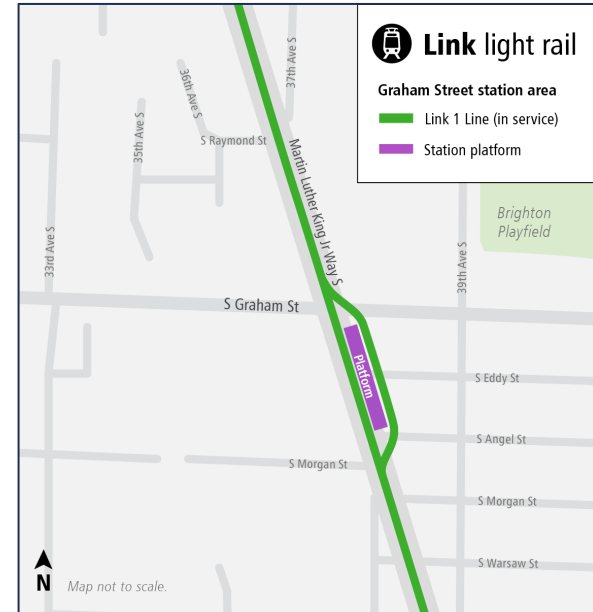
Side Platform



Center Platform - Middle

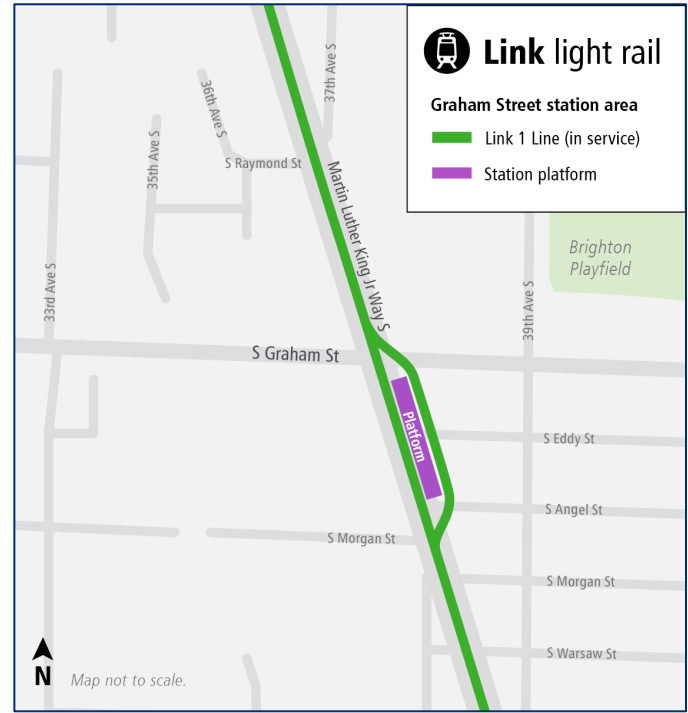


Center Platform - Offset



Today's Update

- Project team reviewed design options and has refined design to one option and location consistent with the representative site.
- Staff will be advancing one design option at Martin Luther King Jr Way S and S Graham St into environmental review.



Next steps

- Summer and Fall 2025: Advance environmental review and conceptual engineering.
- Fall 2025: Board action to amend budget and execute contract option for Preliminary Engineering

Thank you.



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