

# NOTICE OF DECISION

## SDOT **will not** create a new East Capitol Hill Restricted Parking Zone (RPZ)

Thank you to everyone who provided feedback and comments on the proposal to create a new East Capitol Hill RPZ. For more information and details on the process to consider this proposal, please visit the SDOT website [seattle.gov/transportation/New-and-Changing-RPZs](https://seattle.gov/transportation/New-and-Changing-RPZs).

SDOT collected over 450 responses from residents, visitors, employees and business owners. The major themes from the responses:

- Over 60% of residents did not support creating a new RPZ in east Capitol Hill
- Over 70% of business owners/employees/visitors did not support the proposal
- New off-street parking has been constructed since the initial 2019 request and subsequent study that has provided additional parking options
- Many voiced concerns about the potential for an RPZ to limit employee and visitor access to the area

One of the requirements in the Seattle Municipal Code to create a new RPZ is “. . . a strong and effective community engagement effort indicating that generally stakeholders in the designated area have reviewed and support the restricted parking zone . . . .” In this case, survey results indicate a lack of support. Due to this feedback, SDOT will not proceed to create a new East Capitol Hill RPZ.

**Thank you, again, to all who provided feedback  
and comments on this proposal.**



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