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Here's what I sent to Paula/Dave/Steve and others in my weekly alert. Thought you should see it in case you get any questions. - ldb

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AWV and I-5 Olive Ramp closure – The Sound Transit/City of Seattle media event to discuss tunnel boring is planned for May 12 at 11 a.m. This could be significant because the Alaskan Way Viaduct bill signing is at 2 p.m. the same day. We anticipate reporters leaving the Sound Transit event for the AWV event with questions about tunneling techniques. The earlier media event will talk about complicated work Sound Transit is undertaking to prepare the areas on either side of I-5 in Seattle for the tunnel boring machines digging from Capitol Hill to Downtown Seattle as part of the University Link project. Crews will close the off-ramp from NB I-5 to Olive Way and the Pike/Pine HOV ramp from the I-5 express lanes for a year beginning in mid-May. The AWV project team is preparing talking points for project staff to answer technical tunneling questions that may arise.

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