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Seems to me the answer to all of these questions is yes--is that accurate?

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You said the other day that legislative endorsement of the deep bored tunnel could cut 2 years off the EIS process. Is this because only the deep bored tunnel and a no-build scenario would be studied in the EIS? So WSDOT would have to do fewer studies and evaluate fewer options? If we don't pass this bill, would you have to study the surface option, the elevated replacement, etc?