

# Your Convention Center:

## PROJECT TIMELINE



The Washington State Convention Center is expanding, and will

### Supporting our Community

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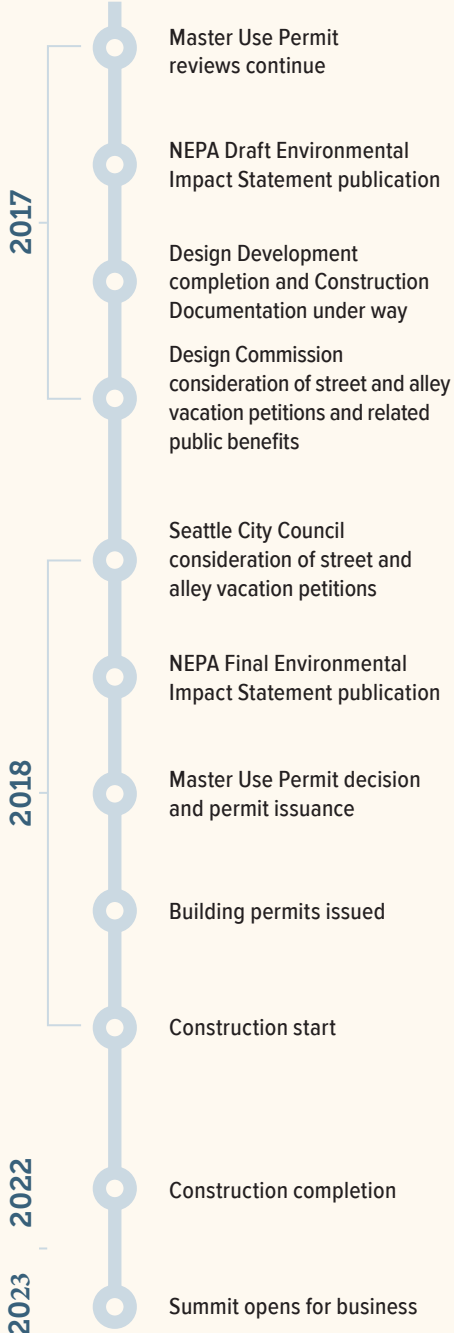
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# ADDITION

## PROJECT TIMELINE (cont.)



## Economic and Other Benefits

- 2,300 new, direct jobs at the facility and in hospitality-related businesses
- 1,600 additional jobs created across the region
- 6,000 union construction jobs and an estimated 900 apprenticeships during three years of construction
- \$200 million from out-of-state and \$60 million from in-state visitor spending annually
- \$19 million in annual sales tax from conventioner spending and \$100 million in sales tax from construction
- \$140+ million in contracts for local women- and minority-owned businesses
- Increased year-round demand for the region’s hotels, restaurants, stores and entertainment venues in the region
- Funds to build Summit will come primarily from a bond issuance supported by the existing tax on hotel rooms

In the five years prior to start of construction, the Convention Center could not accommodate some 350 event proposals due to a lack of space or available dates, which cost our region an estimated \$2.13 billion in potential revenue for local hotels, restaurants, cultural attractions and other hospitality businesses. The addition of Summit will double the Convention Center’s capacity to address Seattle’s growing event needs.



View of Summit looking northeast from Ninth and Pine

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