I-90 Two Way Transit & HOV Operations
Stage 3 on Mercer Island

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Stage 3 Overview

- Add HOV lanes to I-90 between Seattle and Bellevue
- Build and modify existing HOV direct access ramps on Mercer Island
- Modify existing HOV direct access ramps at Bellevue Way
Project Timeline

Construction in 3 stages

**Stage 1**
New HOV lane westbound and direct-access ramps between Mercer Island and Bellevue.
*Completed 2008*

**Stage 2**
New HOV lane eastbound, direct access ramps between Bellevue and Mercer Island
*Complete: early 2012*

**Stage 3**
New HOV lanes both directions, Seattle-Mercer Island; tunnel fire-safety upgrade.
*Construction: August 2014*
*Complete: September 2016*
Stage Progress

80th Ave. SE to Rainier Ave.

- Stage 1 complete Oct. 2008
- Stage 2 complete March 2012
- Stage 3 complete Sept. 2016

Bellevue Way to 80th Ave. SE

- 2007
- 2009
- 2012
- 2016
- 2022/2023

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I-90 Homer M. Hadley Bridge at completion of East Link
Total cost estimate fluctuation

Changes in total project cost estimates by year based on Cost Estimate and Validation Process (CEVP).
*2009 estimate based on consultant Type Size & Location process (TS&L).
**2010 estimate reflects mitigated CEVP.