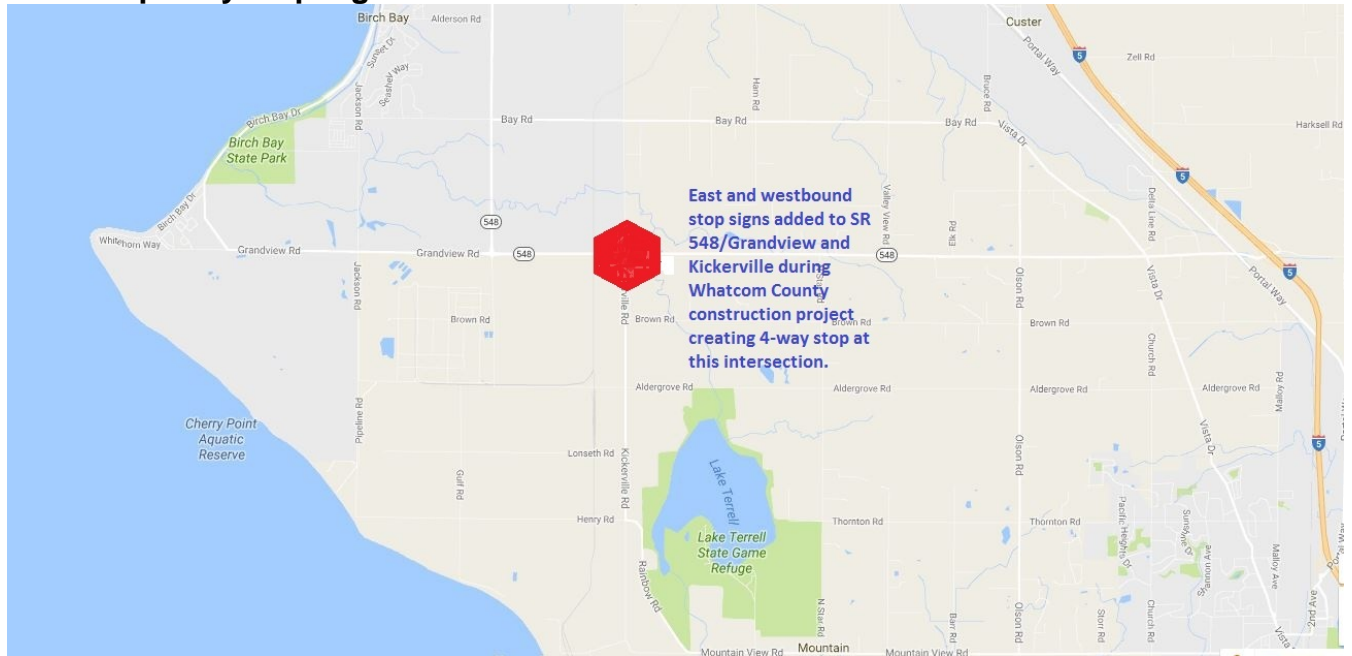


## Whatcom County:

*The scoop about what's happening on a highway near you!  
Tuesday edition*

### New temporary stop signs on SR 548/Grandview



We've heard from a few of you today about new stop signs that have popped up along SR 548/Grandview Road and Kickerville Road near Ferndale.

Here's the scoop – the stop signs on SR 548 are temporary and were put up for a [Whatcom County fish passage project](#) truck detour through this intersection.

[Whatcom County](#) says the detour will add some additional northbound truck traffic, but not a lot. The temporary four-way stop will allow trucks, that do need to detour, to turn safely onto SR 548.

To help east and westbound travelers with this change, county crews added some flags and striping today to improve the visibility of the temporary stop signs.

I know change is hard, especially when it happens to a road you travel on every day. But I want to give a big “thank you” to everyone who's taking the time to “know before you go” and being aware of these changing conditions. If you have additional questions about this temporary change, you can contact my friends at [Whatcom County Public Works](#).

### **New Mount Baker Highway guardrail**

While you're reading – a colleague sent me some new photos this afternoon from [work on SR 542](#). Crews from Peterson Bros. Inc. are installing nearly 3,500 feet of [new guardrail](#) along the eastbound lanes at milepost 16 near Deming and west of Glacier near milepost

They started work on Monday and should finish in less than three weeks. While this daytime work is happening, flaggers will alternate traffic through the work zone in the westbound lane.

