**Walking directions for exiting U District Station when UDSB construction begins**

**Location**: East side of Brooklyn Ave NE between north and south head houses of U District Station (4300 Brooklyn Ave NE)

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**OVERVIEW**

Below are walking directions for when construction of the office tower above the U District Station begins. Construction is scheduled to start in early 2023 and last roughly 18 months. During this time, the east side of Brooklyn Ave NE will be closed between the north and south entrances of the U District Station. These directions are intended to help assist people in planning how to exit the two entrances most efficiently. Reversing the directions will allow for efficient entrance into the two entrances.

**DIRECTIONS**

**Exiting through the north entrance**

* Proceed to the north entrance from the platform level as usual using the elevator, escalator or stairs
* Once at the station entrance, exit to the right or north onto Brooklyn Ave NE (the sidewalk is blocked if you try to exit to the left or south onto Brooklyn Ave NE)
* Continue north to the corner of Brooklyn Ave NE and NE 45th Street. From here you can:
  + Continue north by crossing NE 45th Street,
  + Turn right/east to walk along NE 45th Street or
  + Turn left/west to walk along NE 45th Street.

**Exiting through the south entrance**

* Proceed to the south entrance from the platform level as usual using the elevator, escalator or stairs
* Once at the station entrance, you will only be able to exit through the NE 43rd Street side of the entrance, which is the ADA accessible entrance. The roll down doors will block exiting directly onto Brooklyn Ave NE.
* At the NE 43rd Street entrance, you can:
  + Turn left/east to walk along NE 43rd Street,
  + Turn right/west to walk along NE 43rd Street to the intersection of NE 43rd Street and Brooklyn Ave NE
  + From the corner of NE 43rd Street and Brooklyn Ave NE, you can continue heading west and cross Brooklyn Ave NE. Once across Brooklyn Ave NE, you can:
    - * Continue straight, turn right/north to walk along the west side of Brooklyn Ave NE or turn left/south to also walk along Brooklyn Ave NE
  + From the corner of NE 43rd Street and Brooklyn Ave NE, you can turn left/south to cross NE 43rd Street
  + From the corner of NE 43rd Street and Brooklyn Ave NE, you cannot turn right/north as the sidewalk along the east side of Brooklyn Ave NE is closed about 50’ north of the corner.