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New access route to the Koskela Depot construction site

The construction of the new depot requires measures not only within the site itself but also in the surrounding area. A new access route will be built across the Annala Field area. The route will be located along the planned service road of the future Ananas Park, which is designated for the site.

The section to be constructed now follows the initial part of the future service road. The remaining section of the service road, together with the construction of Ananas Park, will be carried out later by the City of Helsinki. By locating the route along the alignment of the future service road, we aim to minimise impacts on existing trees.

Felled trees to be reused as deadwood habitat

The construction of the route requires the removal of a small number of trees. These trees will be given a new purpose as deadwood habitats in the courtyard area of the Koskela Depot. The deadwood habitat is intended to enhance biodiversity by providing a suitable environment for species that depend on decaying wood. The City of Helsinki has granted permission for both the tree removal and the construction of the access route.

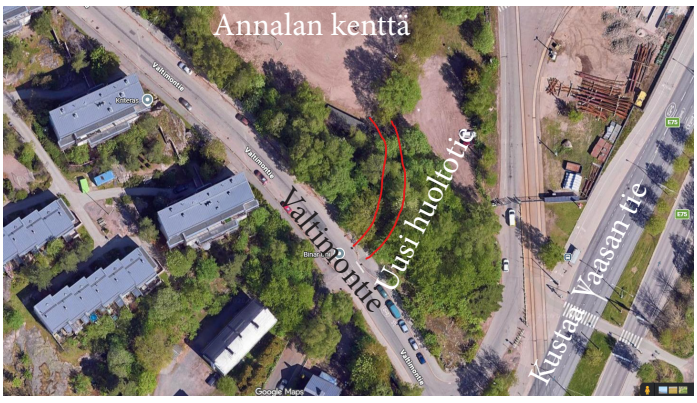
Schedule and traffic arrangements

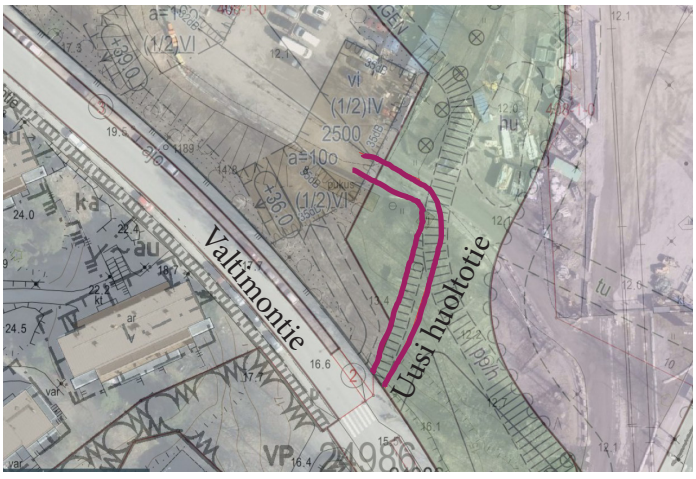
The work is expected to begin with tree felling during this week (Week 44). The new route is estimated to be opened for use in approximately 3–4 weeks.

The construction of the route will alter pedestrian and cycling routes in the area. Traffic arrangements will be implemented well in advance and designed to be as clear as possible. We kindly ask everyone to pay attention to the changes in the area and follow the traffic arrangements to ensure safe movement for all.

Below are illustrations showing the planned alignment of the future route.

Kind regards,
The Koskela Depot Project Team





The project is being carried out by Akseli Alliance, which includes the client Metropolitan Area Transport, main contractor Skanska, and planning partners Sweco, Rejlers, and Arkkitehtityöhuone APRT.

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