

Active Transportation Plan Update



Walking















Bicycling















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Updated Timeline

- Engagement with public to continue through Dec. 1st
- Draft Plan to Transportation Commission for Dec 15th meeting (and out for public review shortly after)
- Work with Transportation Commission and Council winter and early spring 2022



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Community Engagement

- Summary of Community Engagement on-line
- Pre-COVID Actions completed:
 - neighborhood meetings
 - interest group meetings
 - Walk and Bike to School month
 - Community meeting at City Hall
 - Transportation Commission
 - Events such as City Hall for All, Google lights (promoted survey)
 - Suggest a Project
 - Safe and Active Transportation survey Nov 2019 to Jan 2020, 1,278 responses
- 2020 Activities Cancelled:
 - extensive additional outreach to all neighborhood associations
 - Safe and Active Transportation Summit, March 28 2020



Community Engagement

• 2021 ATP engagement (so far):

- March 24th Transportation Commission
- April 20th City Council Study Session
- October 13th Kirkland Alliance of Neighborhoods
- October 20th On-Line Community Engagement meeting (28 attendees)
- October 27th Transportation Commission
- Neighborhood Association meetings
- on-line portal for comments (over 30 comments so far), open until Dec. 1st
- offers to speak to other groups

Next up:

- on-line FAQ
- more neighborhood association meetings scheduled
- November 3rd second on-line community engagement meeting
- December 15th Transportation Commission



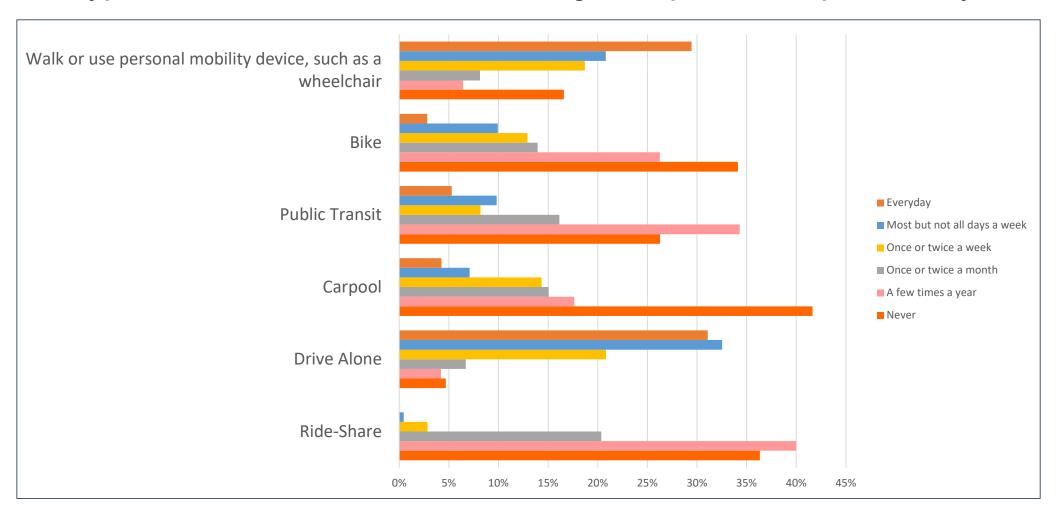
Safe and Active Transportation survey

Ran from Oct 2019 to Jan 2020

Received 1,278 responses

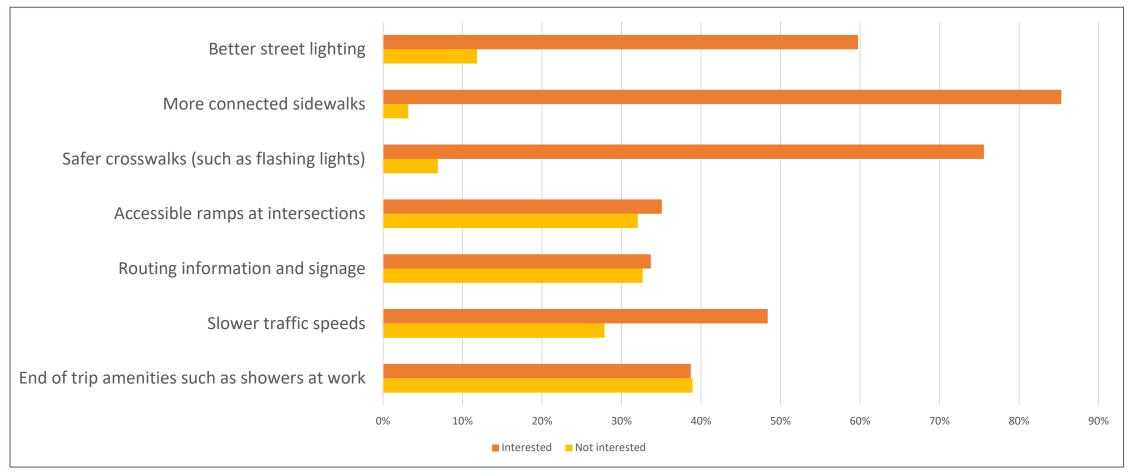


In a typical month, which of the following transportation options do you use?



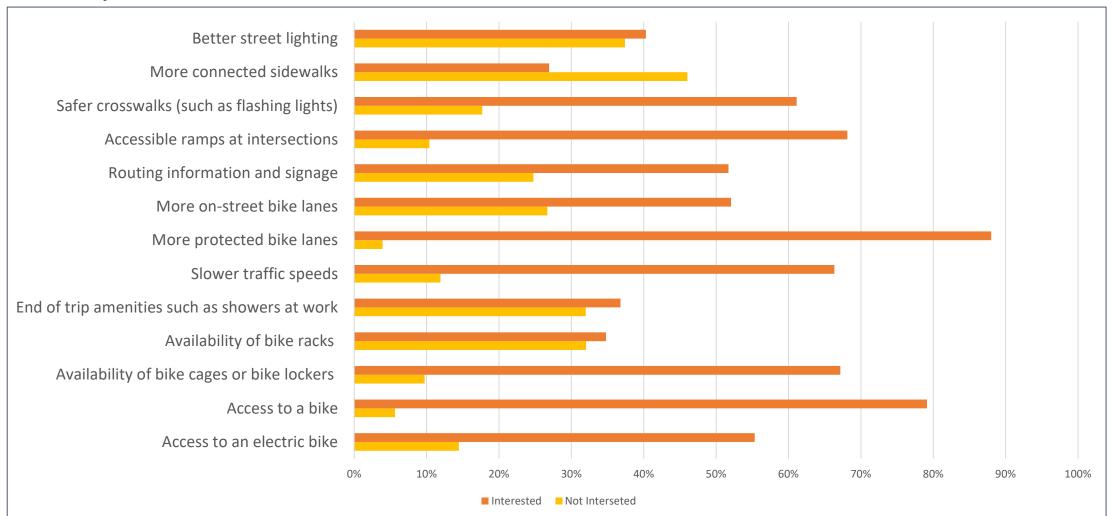


For those that are interested in <u>walking</u> more, these physical features impact their decision to walk more (or less) often

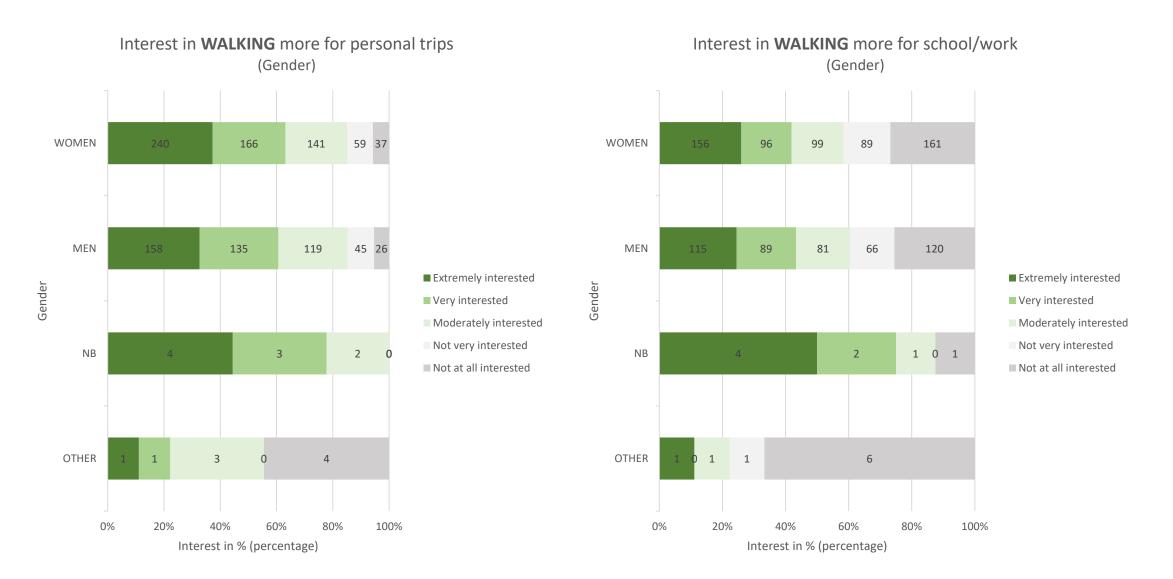




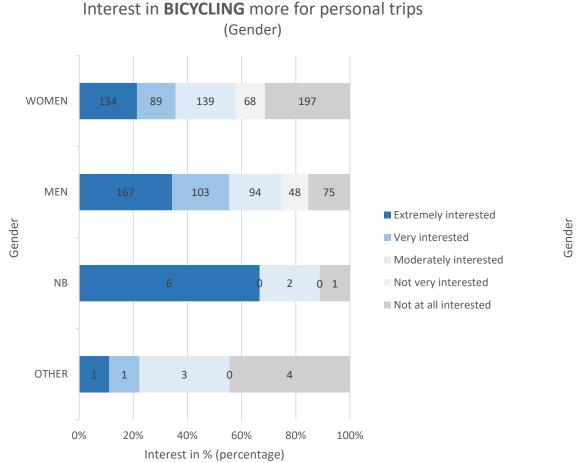
For those that are interested in **biking** more, these physical features impact their decision to bike more often

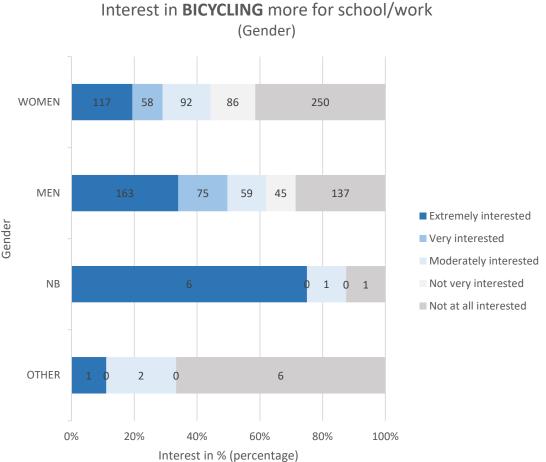




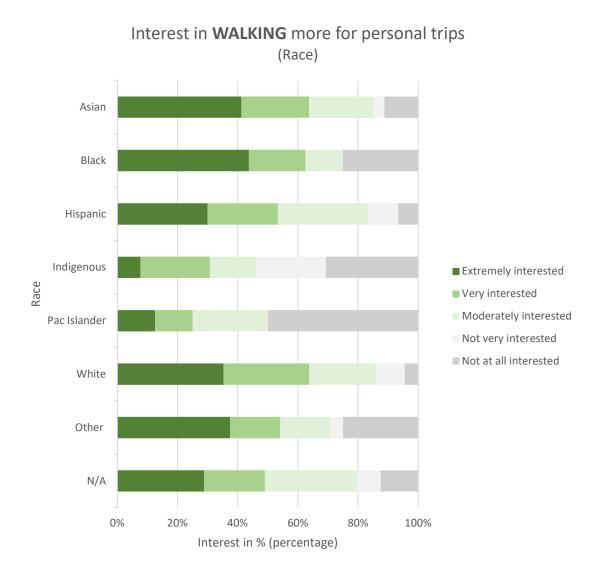


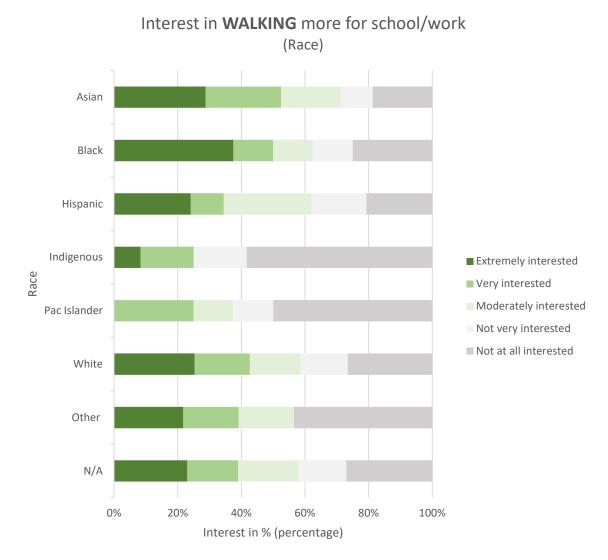




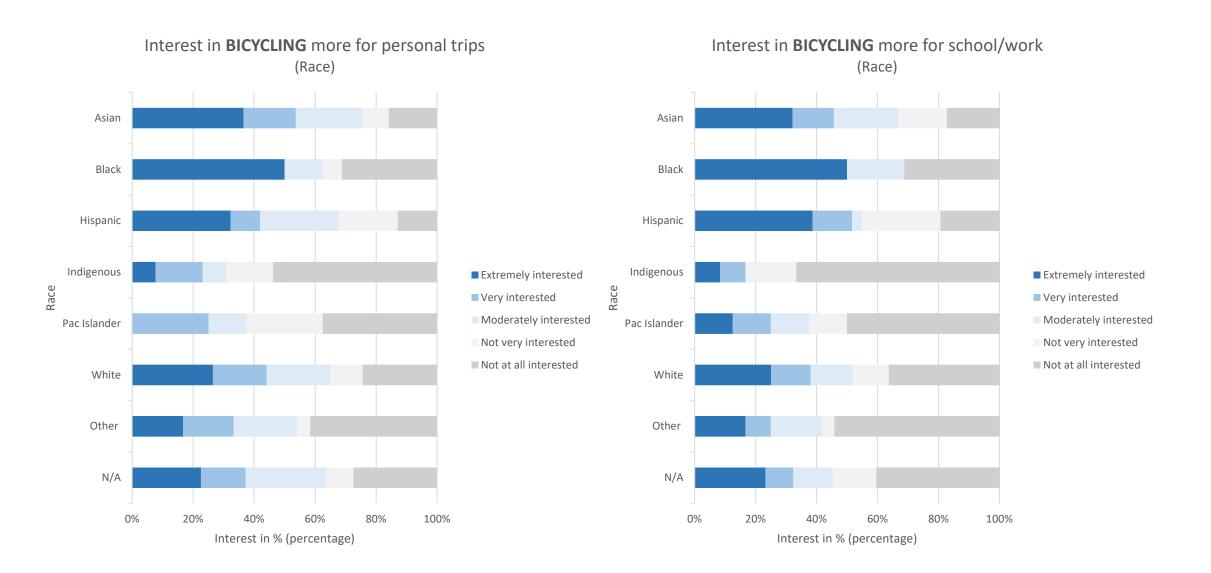




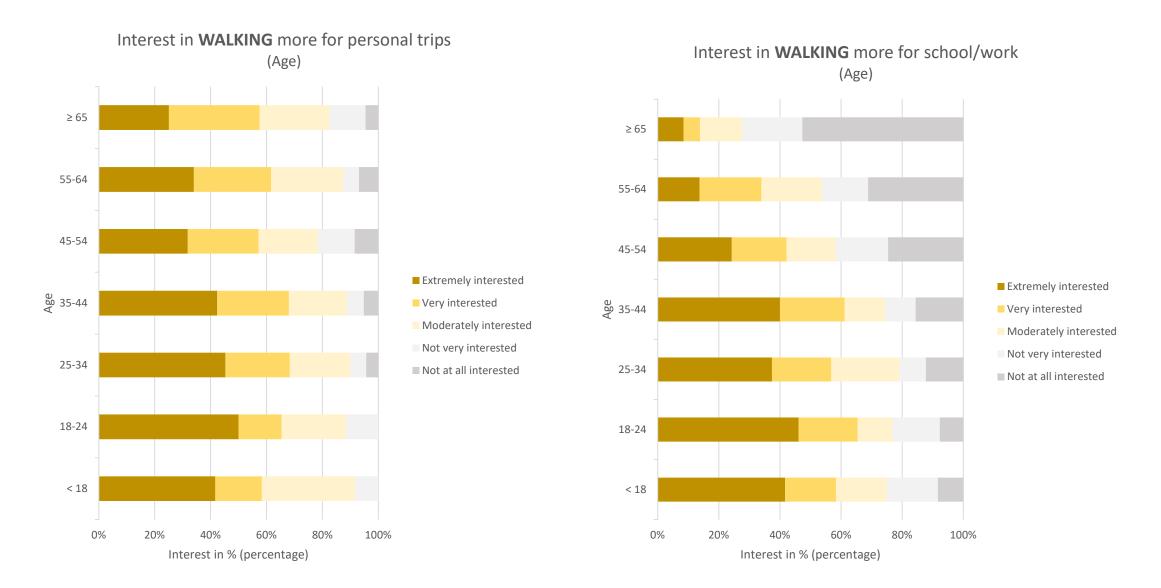




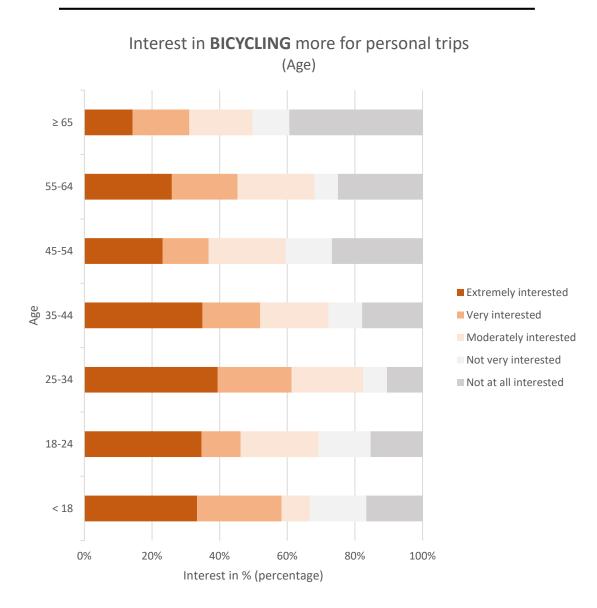


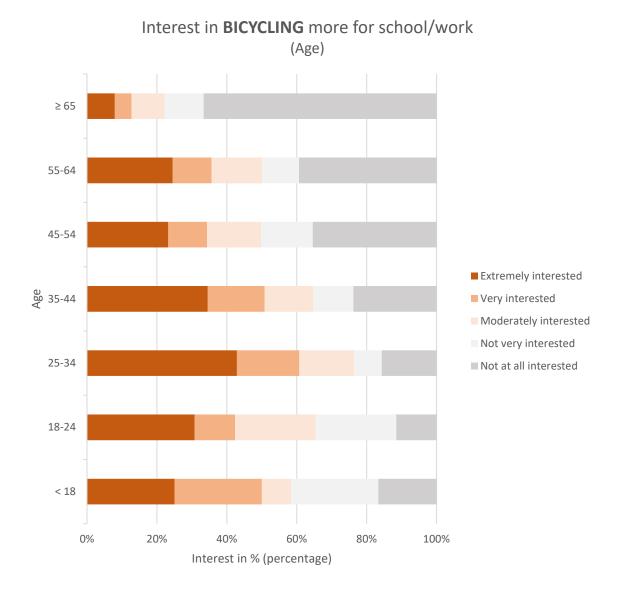






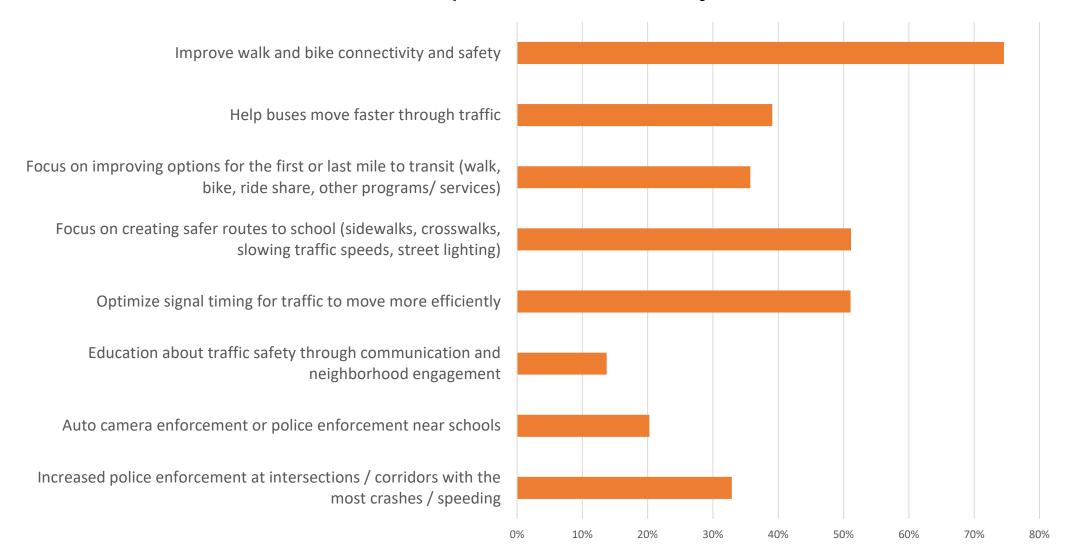








Identify the following transportation improvements you think are most important for the City to focus on.





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Prioritization Timeline Framework Community Bike Network Engagement **Priorities**



Bicycle Network Analysis

Level of Traffic Stress (LTS)

- presence and quality of bicycle facilities
- number of lanes
- posted speed limit
- Average Daily Traffic (ADT)

Bicycle Network Analysis (BNA)

Two census blocks are considered connected if there is an **unbroken low-stress connection**

Prioritize by additional measures

- LTS and Crash Rates
- Access to transit, parks, activity centers, CKC
- Equity and overlay with SRTS priorities

Apply Policy to Facility Type Designation





Prioritization Framework

Connectivity	to Dectina	MANA SANJA
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Factor	Pedestrian Measure	Bicyclist Measure	Score
Parks, Libraries, and Community / Senior Centers, (schools – bikes only)	# of destinations within 1/2 mile Score scaled by # of destinations	# of destinations within 1 mile Score scaled by # of destinations per mile	med
# of Transit Stops	Within ¼ mile of high frequency transit stop	Within ½ mile of high frequency transit stop	high
	within ¼ mile of non-high frequency bus stop	Non-high frequency bus stop within ½ mile Score scaled by # of stops per mile	low
	Location within ¼ mile of transit with no sidewalks on any side of the street	N/A	med
	Location within ¼ mile of transit with sidewalk on only one side of street	N/A	low
Schools	Along SRTS sidewalk project scored as high priority	N/A	med
	Along SRTS sidewalk project	N/A	low
Proximity to Activity	Within ½ mile	Within 1 mile	ma a d
Centers	Score scaled by distance	Score scaled by distance	med
Proximity to Cross Kirkland Corridor access point		Intersects access point	med



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Connectivity				
Factor	Pedestrian Measure	Bicyclist Measure	Score	
Bicycle Network Analysis	N/A	Bike Network Analysis score		
		Lowest scoring BNA locations receive the highest	high	
		score.		

Safety & Comfort					
Factor	Pedestrian Measure	Bicyclist Measure	Score		
Level of Traffic Stress	N/A	High-stress under existing conditions	High+		
Crash History	weighted crashes on a per mile basis (sliding window analysis)		High+		



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Equity			
Pedestrians and Bicycle Measure	Score		
% of population who is non-white	med		
% of population under 17 and above 65 years of age	med		
% of population who identify as disabled	med		
% of population living in poverty	med		



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Bicycle Network Priorities

2021 Draft Active Transportation Plan

Background Draft Plan Details Implementation Plan Timeline

The map to the right shows both the existing bike facilities and the proposed improvements to be made to the bike network, as part of the 2021 ATP update. For an interactive web map highlighting the bike network recommendations and prioritizations of corridors, click the button below.

Interactive Bike Network Web Map



