

# **Neighborhood Notification: Bicycle Improvements on** 51st Avenue from Southern Avenue to Broadway Road

As part of the Street Transportation Department's core mission, we strive to improve the City's roadways to create a safe and efficient transportation network. Our ongoing pavement maintenance program provides opportunities to change the current traffic lane striping to improve safety for people who walk, drive, ride bicycles and use transit.

### **About the Project**

Where: 51st Avenue from Southern Avenue to Broadway Road

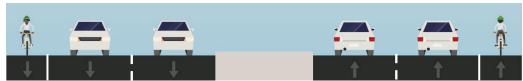
**What:** Where there is enough space on the roadway, buffers will be added to existing bike lanes. The number of travel lanes will remain the same, including turning lanes. The project does not remove or add parking.

When: Pavement maintenance (new asphalt) is planned for late spring/summer 2025 and traffic lane improvements will happen shortly after.

Why: Buffered bike lanes add space between people driving and people walking or biking for increased protection from vehicles, improved safety and added comfort. The slight narrowing of the lane widths to accommodate the buffered bike lanes will help to guide cars and deter speeding.

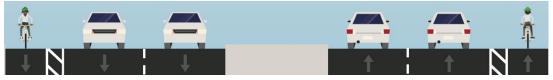
#### How will the Street Look?

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Current Travel Lanes (Typical Cross Section)

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Proposed Travel Lanes (Typical Cross Section – existing turning lanes will be preserved)

### **Questions, Comments or Concerns?**

We welcome and value your questions and input. If you have any questions or need additional information, please reach out to the following contacts.

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