

## ASHWORTH NEIGHBORHOOD GREENWAY

**FACT SHEET** | September 2019

#### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The Ashworth Ave N neighborhood greenway will enhance safe access for students walking and biking to school. The Most Promising Route connects Northgate Elementary School and Ingraham High School along Ashworth Ave N and N 120th St. In the future the route could be expanded to provide connections with Interurban trail and other community destinations.

#### WHAT IS A NEIGHBORHOOD GREENWAY?

Neighborhood greenways are safer, calmer residential streets for you, your family, and neighbors. We make people walking and biking the priority.

#### MOST PROMISING ROUTE MAP



To learn more about this project, see our website at www.seattle.gov/ transportation/ projects-andprograms/programs/ greenways-program/ ashworth



2018 cost effective walkway project that reconnected Ashworth Ave N south of N 125th St for people walking and biking.

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# GREENWAY DESIGN ELEMENTS

## **Slower Speeds and Stop Signs**

- Calm traffic entering and crossing the greenway
- Drivers are better able to stop and prevent collisions



#### **Speed Humps**

- Slow motorists and people riding bikes
- Reduce cut-through traffic



## Wayfinding

- Identify the street as a Neighborhood Greenway so people know what to expect
- Point the way to neighborhood destinations like parks, businesses, and other greenways





#### Safer Crossings at Busy Streets

- Easier for seniors and children to cross
- Make motorists aware of people walking and biking



## **Neighborhood Activation**

- Promote and activate public spaces
- Provide opportunity for greenery, parklets, and public spaces outside your door





# Spot Repairs of Streets and Sidewalks

- Safer for you and your family to walk and ride bikes
- Help people in wheelchairs or with strollers

