

Olympic Hills Neighborhood Greenway

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SDOT's mission & vision

Mission: Deliver a safe and reliable transportation system that enhances Seattle's environment and economic vitality.



Vision: A vibrant Seattle with connected people, places, and products.

SDOT's values

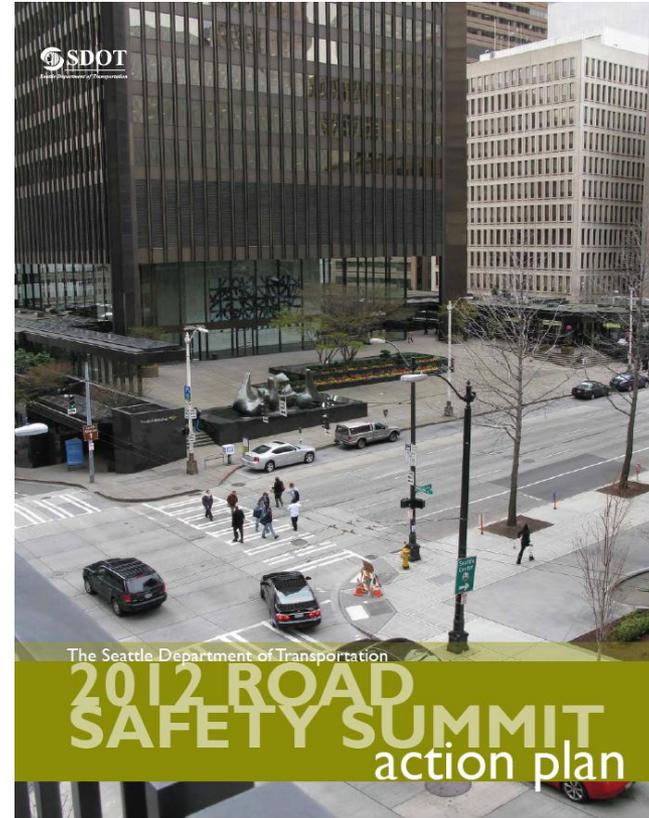


Presentation overview

- City's safety goals
- Neighborhood greenway description
- Recommended Olympic Hills route
- Questions and input



Seattle's traffic safety goal

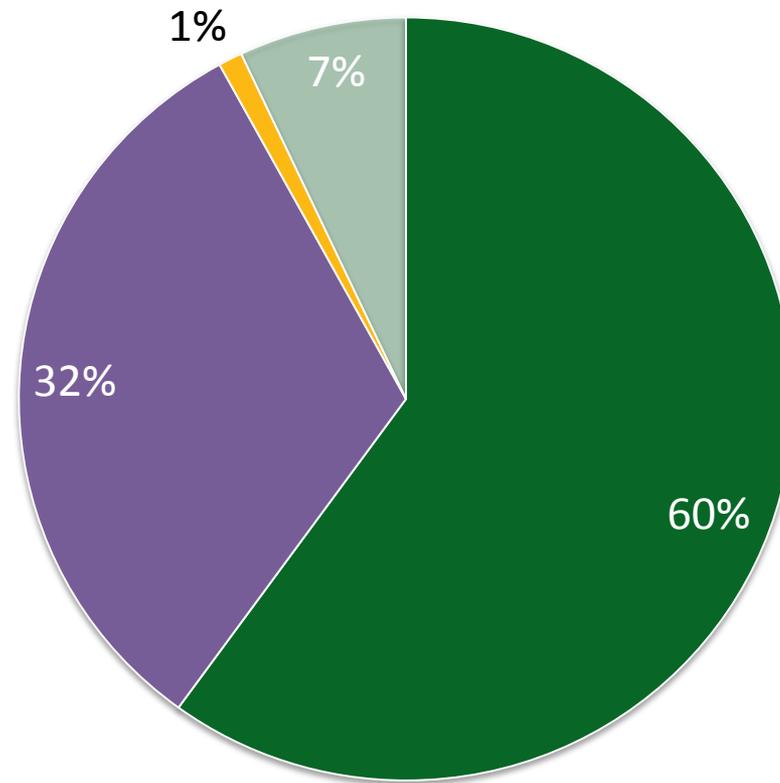


Zero traffic fatalities and serious injuries by 2030

Focus on the most vulnerable



What we can accomplish



■ **Willing But Wary**

■ **No Way, No How**

■ **Strong and Fearless**

■ **Enthused and Confident**

Source: Adapted from J.Dill, N. Mcneil. *Four types of Cyclists?* 2012

What is a Neighborhood Greenway?



A safer, calm residential street for you and your family

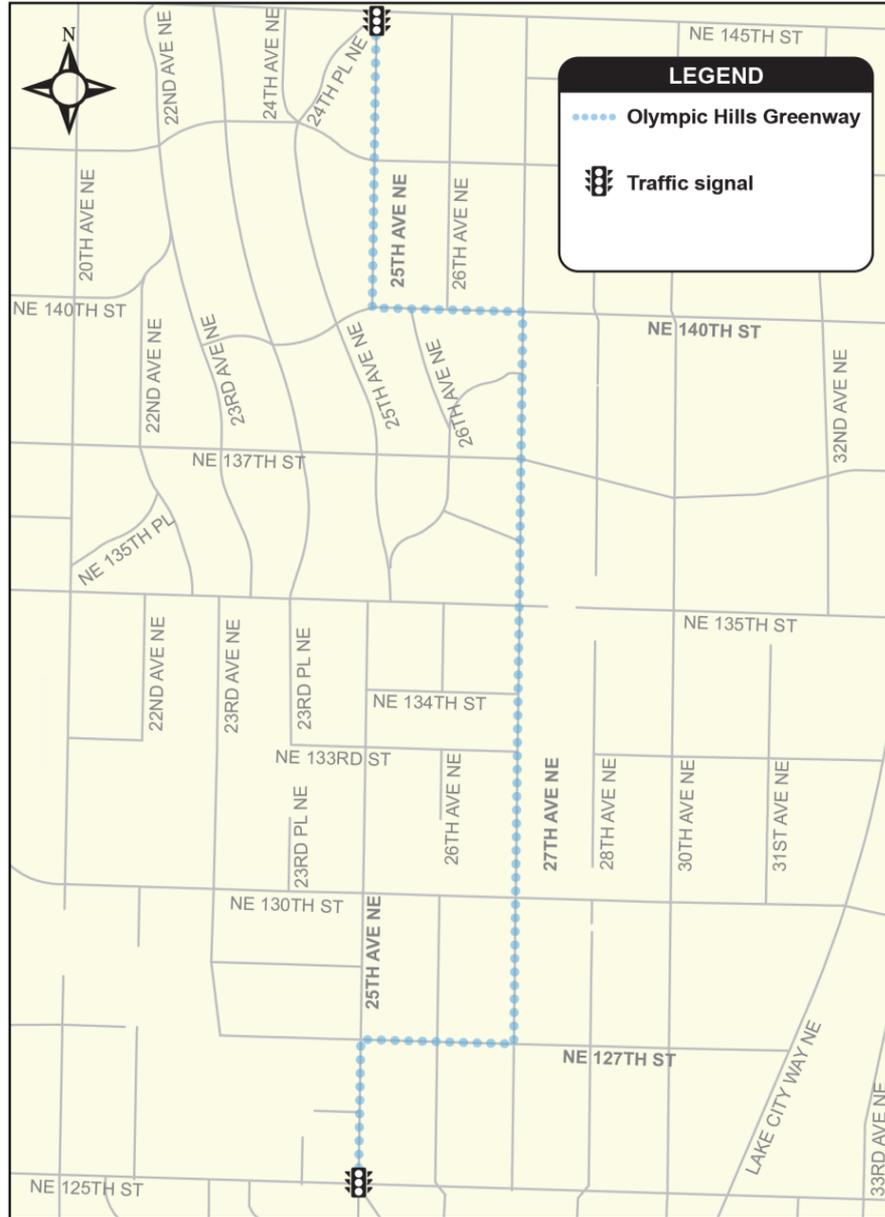
Best Locations

Residential streets with low car speeds, volumes and few hills



that take you to schools, parks, libraries and shops

Most Promising Route

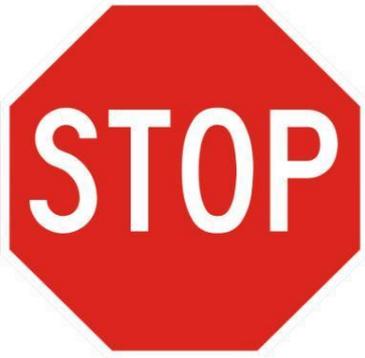


Slow speeds = safety



- Drivers are better able to stop and prevent collisions
- More calm environment

Stop signs



- Calms traffic entering and crossing the greenway
- Improves safety for people walking and biking on it

Signs and markings



- Directs people to and along the greenway
- Helps motorists know people are present

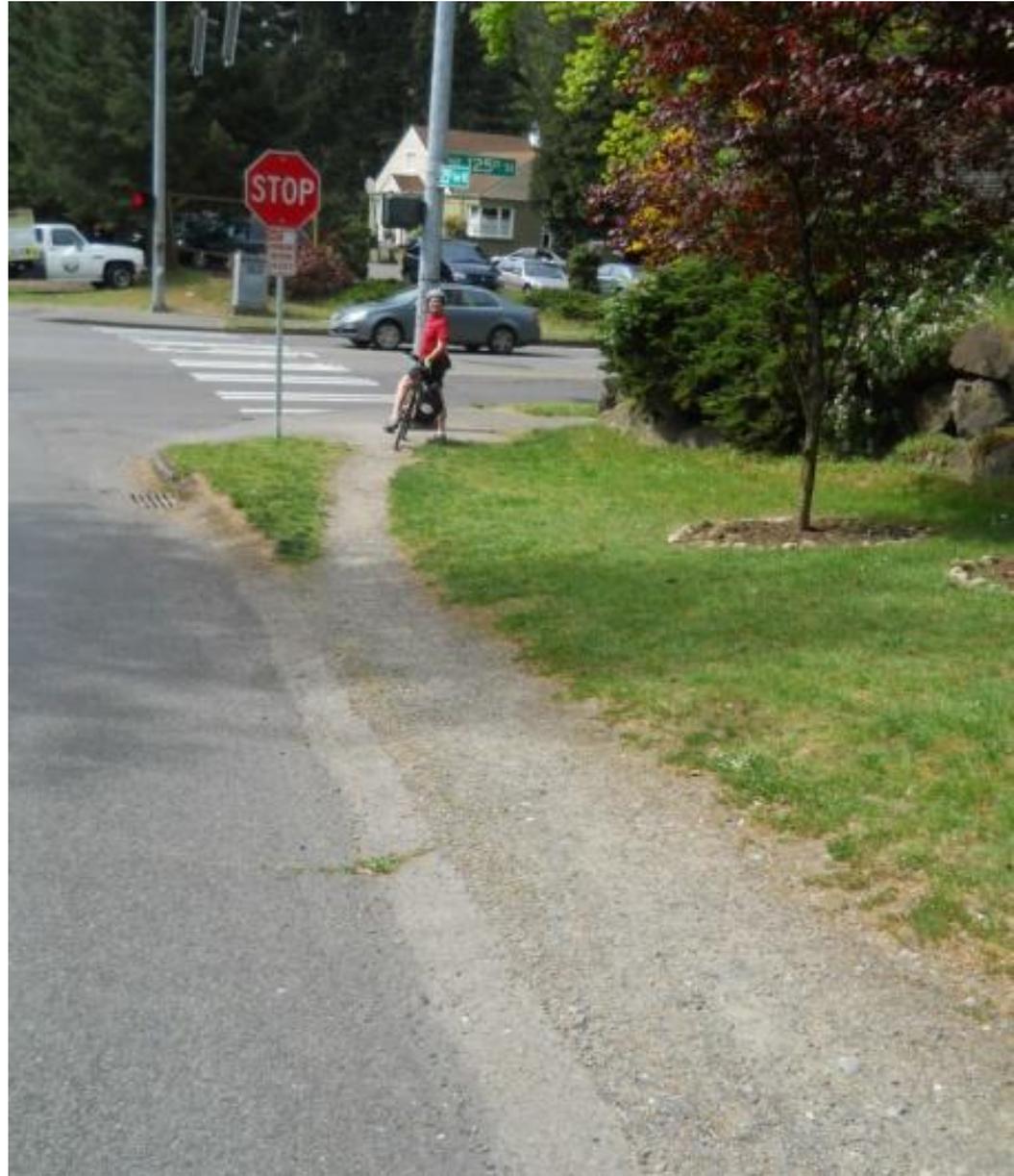
Speed humps



- Slows motorists and people biking
- Reduces cut-through traffic

Access improvements

Pave path to traffic signal and bus stops at NE 125th Street and 25th Avenue NE



Public space



Timeline

Date	Action
June 2013	Open House
Fall/Winter 2013	Site visits, evaluation and designs
March 2014	Public meeting #2
April 2014	Final design
Late 2014	Construction

Questions and input



Thanks!

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Proposed Greenway Improvements

