Wedgwood Neighborhood Greenway Extension Public Meeting # 2

May 6, 2014





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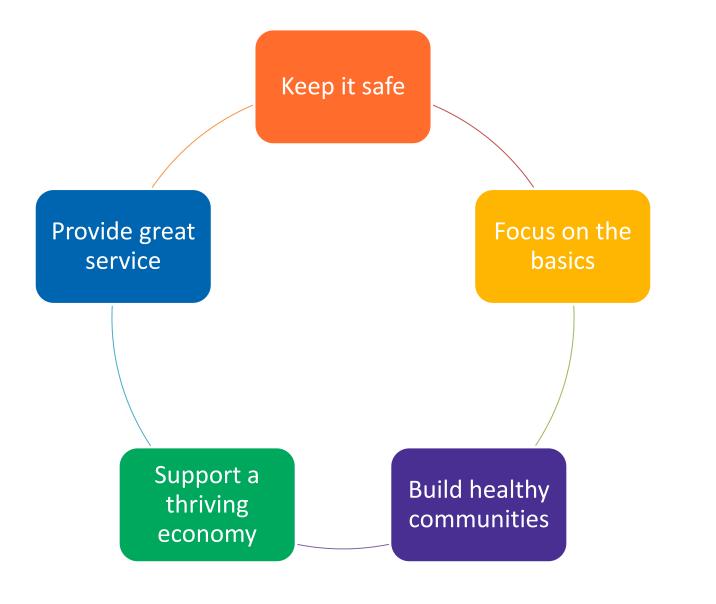
SDOT's mission & vision

Mission: Delivering a first-rate transportation system for Seattle.



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

SDOT's values



Presentation overview



- City's safety goals
- Neighborhood greenway description

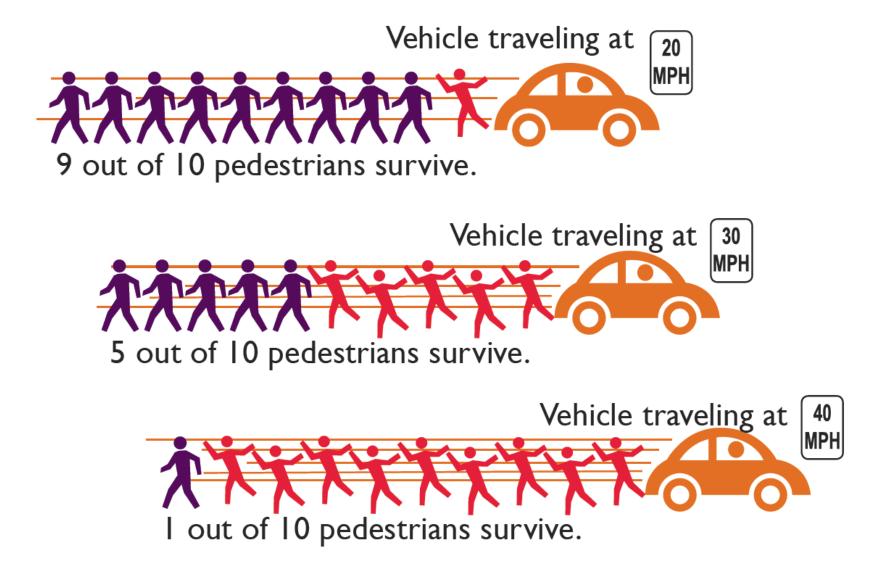
- Recommended route and safety improvements
- Questions and input

Seattle's traffic safety goal

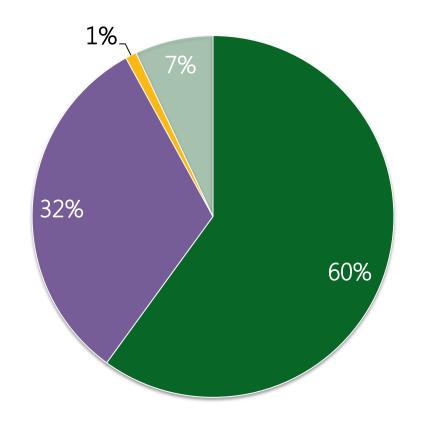


Zero traffic fatalities and serious injuries by 2030

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 speeds, volumes and few hills that take you to schools, parks, libraries and shops

Most Promising Route

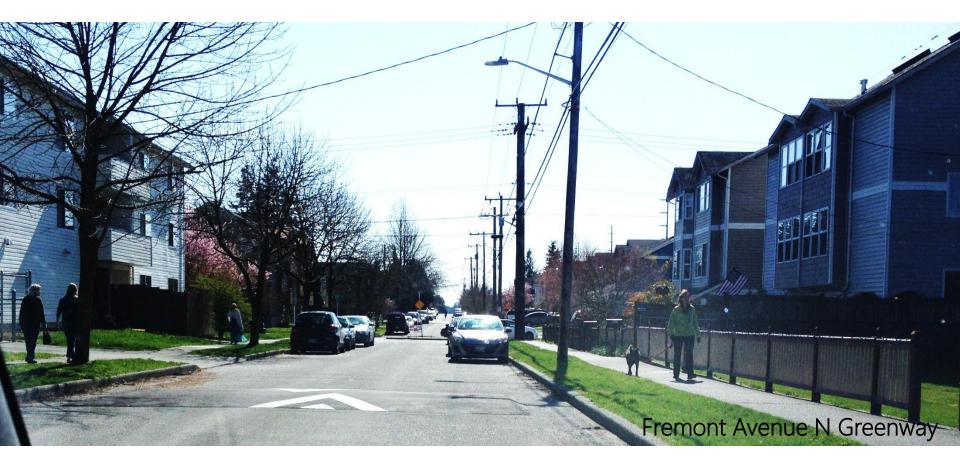


Slow speeds = safety



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

Speed humps



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

Signs and markings



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

Safer crossings at busy streets



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

Stop signs





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

Smooth sidewalk and pavement



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

Public space opportunities



Next steps

Date	Action
Winter 2014	Stakeholder discussions and data collection
March 2014	Public meeting #1
Spring 2014	Public input, site visits and conceptual design
May 6, 2014	Public meeting #2
Late 2014	Implementation
2015	Evaluation

Thanks!

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Proposed Greenway Improvements

