



# Stay Healthy Streets

Working with the community to rethink streets and sidewalks

# Overview

- What are Stay Healthy Streets?
- After COVID-19, how could Stay Healthy Streets improve your community?
- How you can be involved?

# Making life easier during COVID-19

Stay Healthy Streets were added to:

- Create space for you to walk and bike 6 feet apart close to home
- Connect you to groceries stores, pharmacies, and businesses
- Reduce car traffic to keep you safer while walking and biking

KEEP IT MOVING  
Stay Healthy Streets  
Keep it Distant: 6 + feet





# 26 miles of temporary Stay Healthy Streets

You can still drive to your home, have guests visit, and get mail and deliveries



**LOCAL  
ACCESS  
ONLY**

**Go Slow  
and Share  
the Road**



Informational sign located at street intersections

# Current locations

1. Lake City
2. Greenwood
3. Ballard
4. Green Lake
5. Wallingford
6. Bell St
7. Central District
8. Alki Point
9. West Seattle/High Point
10. Delridge-Highland Park
11. Beacon Hill
12. Rainier Valley







## What they look like today



# You can drive to your home and get deliveries



Photo credit: San Francisco Chronicle



Photo credit: Consumer Reports



# What we're learning

- People stay 6 feet apart
- Kids use the street
- Lower car speeds and volumes
- More people bicycling
- Helps people who are in wheelchairs and using canes





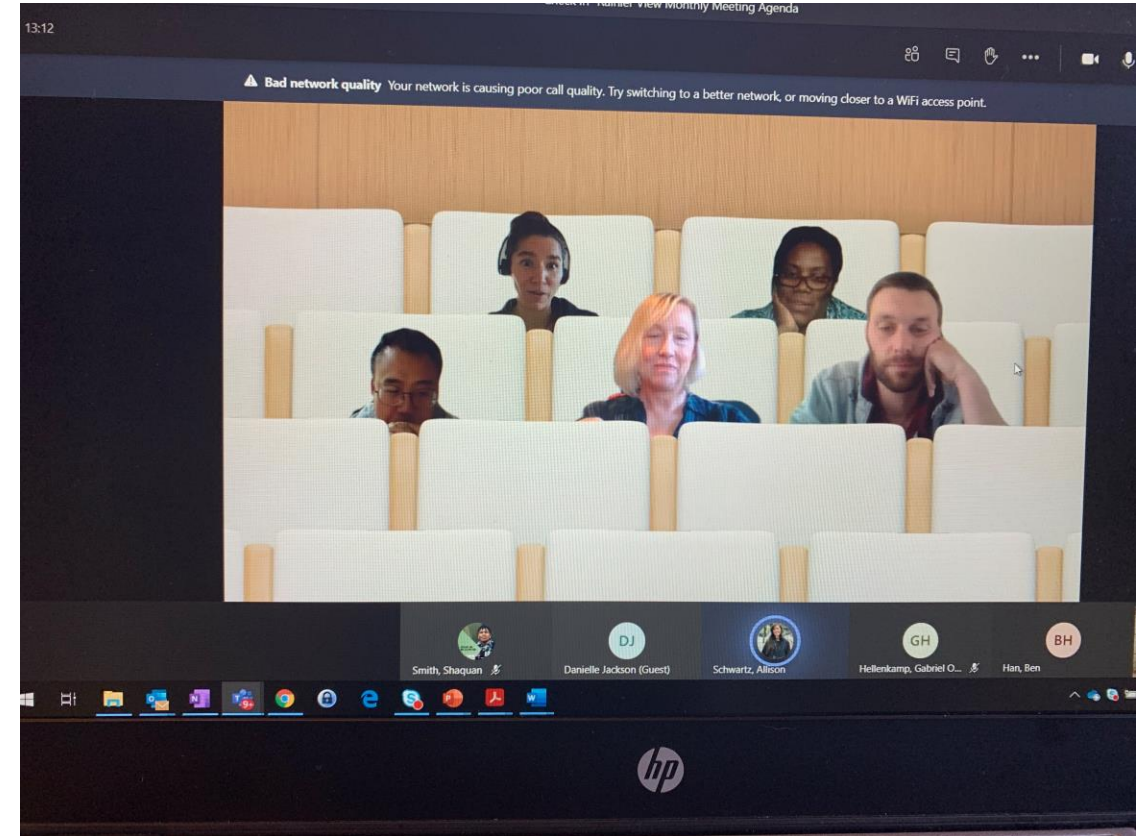
# What we're learning

- Unclear when people can drive
- People have experienced racism when driving on streets
- Shift outreach to include more Black, Indigenous, and People of Color



# What we've changed

- Hosting virtual community meetings
- Translating a survey
- Designing in-language videos, media, and phone line
- Changing routes to be less confusing
- Trying out new locations in Lake City, South Park
- Changed signs to have fewer words and more graphics





# Would you like Stay Healthy Streets to continue?

After COVID-19 we can make Stay Healthy Streets permanent. They can be used for:

- Playing sports
- Creating spots for gardening



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They could be used for:

- Having outdoor potlucks and celebrations
- Doing art projects

What else?



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# Schedule



# We want to hear from you

- How do you feel about the temporary Stay Healthy Streets?
- Have you used them?
- Did you feel safe?
- Can Stay Healthy Streets improve your community?
- Where should they be made permanent?



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