



SHARED LANE SIGNS & MARKINGS

New shared lane pavement markings and signs are being installed to make both cyclists and motorists aware they have equal access to much of the City's roadway.

Cyclists should ride assertively and over the markings, which place cyclists outside of the "door zone" of parked cars. Motorists should be patient and pass bikes only with ample clearance and as a modest speed.

BIKE ROUTE

SHARED LANE

Sign: Pavement Marking:

LEGEND

Class 1, Greenway/Off-Street Path (off-street or designated paths in parks)	Parks
Class 2, Bicycle Lane (on-street striped route)	Open Space and Cemeteries
Class 3, Bicycle Route (on-street signed route)	Airports and Industrial Uses
Class 3, Greenway Connector (on-street signed route, link to greenway)	Sites of Interest
Planned/Proposed Greenway (for future construction)	Landmarks and Museums
Bike Shops	Schools and Universities
Subway Lines and Stations	Theaters
Commuter Rail and Stations	Government
AirTrain Rail	Ferry
Expressways	Bus
Principal Streets	Hospital
Ferry Lines and Terminals	North Arrow

Scale: 0 to 2 Miles / 0 to 2 Kilometers

BIKE LAWS, SIGNS AND MARKINGS

Obey Traffic Signs and Signals

Cyclists are subject to all traffic laws and signals for motor vehicles. Bicycles must obey all NYC Traffic Rules. Cyclists have the same rights, privileges and duties as other vehicles on the road.

Never Ride Against Traffic

Motorists and pedestrians are not looking for bicyclists riding against traffic. It is illegal and dangerous. Ride with traffic to avoid accidents.

Stay Off Sidewalks

Bikes are not permitted on sidewalks unless bike wheels and fenders are less than 36 inches in diameter and the rider is 13 years or younger, or signs allow.

Report a pothole - or other street defect please go to: www.nyc.gov/eoc/c311 - please go to www3.nyc.gov/eoc/c311

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For additional traffic laws regarding cycling see 2015 Vehicle and Traffic Law: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 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2998, 2999, 3000.

SAFETY TIPS

On-Street Biking

Make Eye Contact

Confirm that you are seen. Establish eye contact with motorists to ensure that they know you are on the road. Look over your shoulder regularly or use a mirror to scan the road ahead. Although bicycles have equal right to the road, be prepared to maneuver for safety.

Be Careful at Intersections

Most accidents happen at intersections. Proceed with care. Avoid being in a turn-only lane if you want to go straight through an intersection. In narrow lanes or slow traffic, it may be safer to take the whole lane.

Use Hand Signals

Signal all turns and stops ahead of time. Look over your shoulder for any traffic, then make your intended move only when it is safe to do so.

Keep both hands ready to brake

You may not stop in time if you brake one-handed. Allow extra distance for stopping in the rain, since brakes are less effective when wet.

Keep your bike in good repair

Maintain your bike in good working condition. Check brakes regularly and keep tire properly inflated.

Share the Road

Turning Left - 2 Options

Use a hand signal to indicate your intentions in advance. Move to the curb lane and complete the turn when it is safe. AS A PEDESTRIAN: Ride to the far crosswalk & walk.

Beware of Car Doors

Be wary of parked cars. Motorists can unexpectedly open doors. Be particularly careful if you see a motorist in the car. Ride in a straight line at least three feet away from parked cars.

Lock Your Bike

Lock the frame, and rear wheel of your bike to a sturdy object. If you have a quick release, lock the front wheel as well. Do not lock your bike to trees.

Avoid road hazards

Watch out for parked cars, sewer grates, slippery manhole covers, city pavement, potholes and construction plants. Cross railroad tracks carefully.

Additional Tips for Multi-Use Paths

Right-of-Way

Cyclists and in-line skaters must yield to pedestrians. Pedestrians always have the right-of-way.

Signal to Others

Cyclists sound your bell or call out to warn others when passing or approaching others, then pass safely on the left. Buses and bicycles: Do not perform maneuvers that obstruct the view of heavily used paths.

Keep to the Right

All path users must keep to the right except when passing or turning left. Pedestrians have the right to the path when someone is passing. When the path is narrow, everyone should keep to the right of way. Pedestrians have the right of way.

Stay on the Path

Ride only on designated paths. Do not ride on sidewalks and parkways. Riding a designated pathway is prohibited in NYC Parks.

Use Designated Path

When designated, cyclists and pedestrians must use the designated path. Don't ride on a pedestrian path, don't walk on a cycling path, and don't walk on a crossing. Cyclists: yield to through traffic at intersections. Pedestrians: have the right of way.

Bike Lane Signs

Regulatory Sign

Pavement Marking

Greenway Signs

The Signs for the City's Greenway System are provided by the Department of City Planning and Transportation. Consider the use of information from their systems while getting your way along the path.

BIKES ON THE SUBWAY

10min Avoid Rush Hour Trains

Cyclists can only board passengers on the following lines during rush hour:

- 1- Grand Central
- 2- 42nd Street
- 3- 67th Street
- 4- 71st Street
- 5- 86th Street
- 6- 96th Street
- 7- 103rd Street
- 8- 111th Street
- 9- 125th Street
- 10- 149th Street
- 11- 157th Street
- 12- 161st Street
- 13- 165th Street
- 14- 175th Street
- 15- 181st Street
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