

# **Bicycle Master Plan Update**

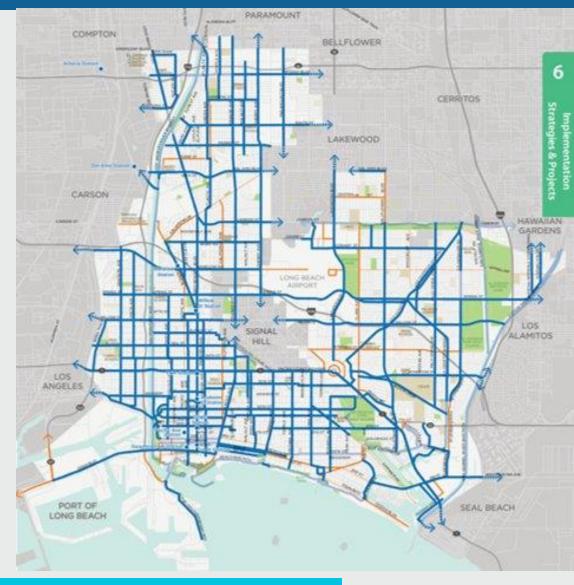
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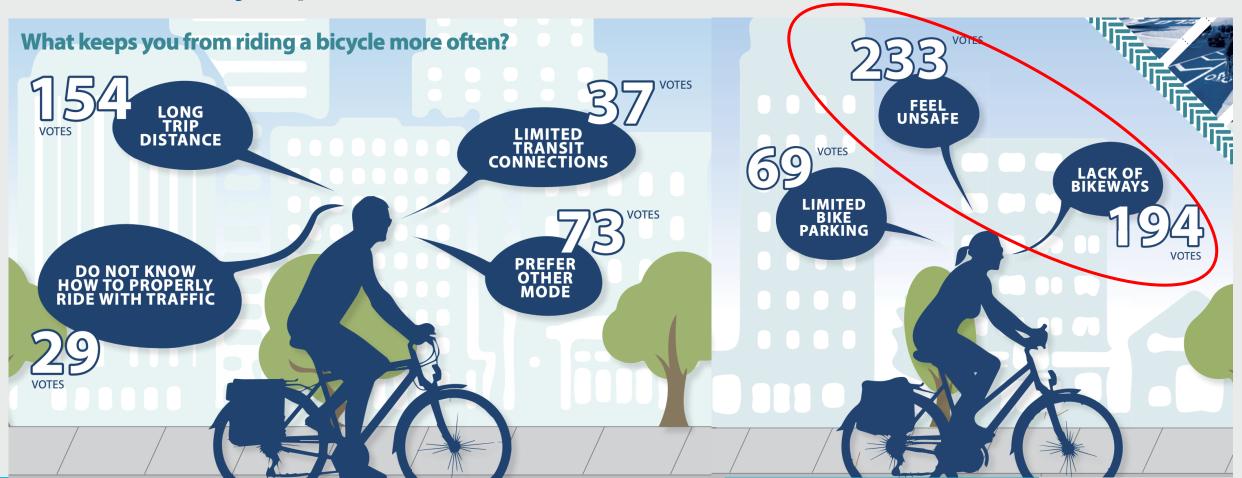
### **Bicycle Master Plan 2040**

- Part of General Plan Mobility Element
- Objective: Shift 30% of all trips to bicycle trips in 30 years
- Vision: 8-to-80 Bicycle Network
- Approaches:
  - Connectivity
  - Education and awareness
  - Equity



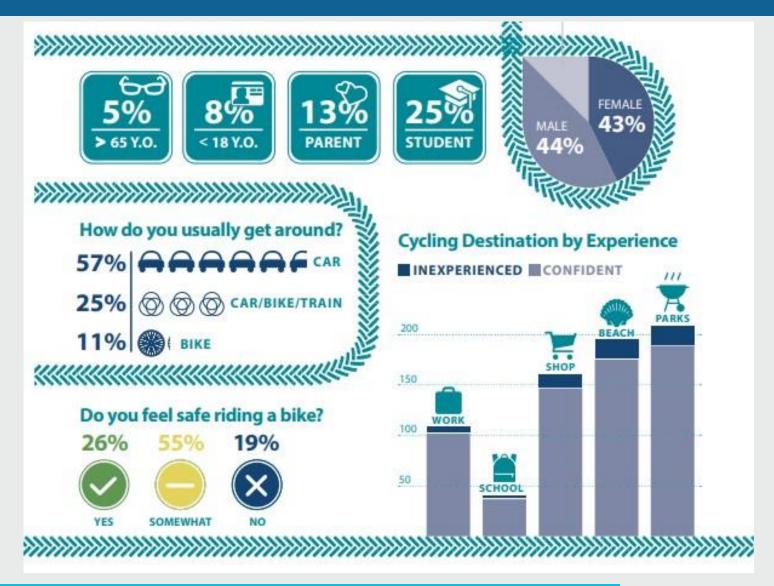


### **Community Input**



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- 469 participated in survey
- 25% of respondents use car, bike, and transit
- Even gender split
- Only 26% said 'yes' when asked if they feel safe riding a bike
- Parks and beaches are most popular destinations for inexperienced riders





#### **Bicycle Master Plan Strategies**

Connectivity

Strategy 1 Bike Network

Strategy 2 Bike Parking

**Strategy 3 Regional Connections** 

**Education and Awareness** 

Strategy 4 Education

Strategy 5 Equity

Strategy 6 Encouragement

Responsibility

Strategy 7 Funding

Strategy 8 Maintenance

Strategy 9 Planning and Evaluation



#### **Strategy 1: Bikeway Network**

#### Achievements:

- Construct bikeway facilities (1.1)
- Upgrade design standards: Curb-protected and sidewalk-level bike lanes (1.2)

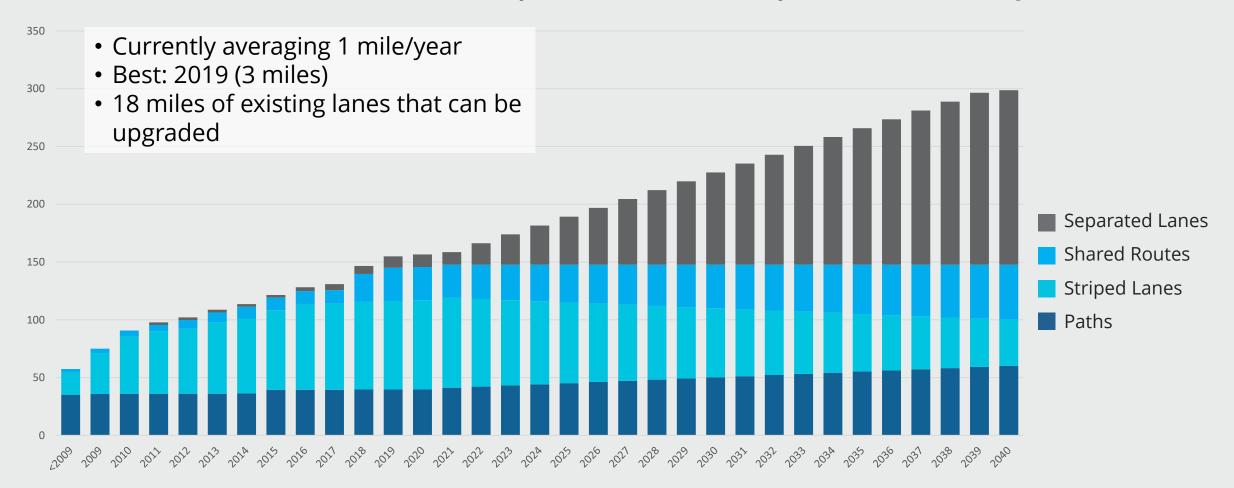
- Advance legislative efforts to allow citywide speed limit reductions (1.3)
- Focus on bridges, intersections, freeway ramps, etc. to improve connectivity and safety (1.4)





# **Bikeway Network Expansion Target**

#### Cumulative Miles of Bikeways Needed to Meet Bicycle Master Plan Target





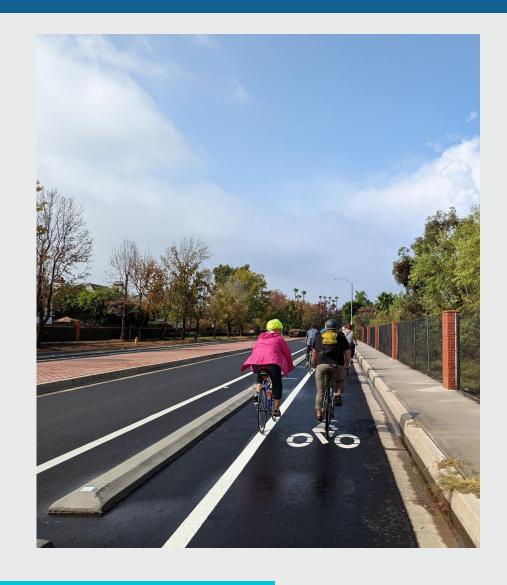
#### **Recently Completed Bikeway Projects**

#### **Protected Bike Lanes Installed in 2022 (2.3 miles):**

- Loynes Dr (Bellflower PCH)
- Del Amo Ave (Atlantic Orange)
- Spring Ave (605 Studebaker)
- Atlantic Ave (10th Anaheim; High Injury Network)
- Costa Del Sol Way (South of Loynes)

#### **Bikeways Installed So Far in 2023**

- Pacific Ave (3rd 1st)
- Pine (south of Ocean)
- Seaside (Pine to Linden)
- South Street (De Forest Atlantic)





### **Forthcoming Funded Projects**

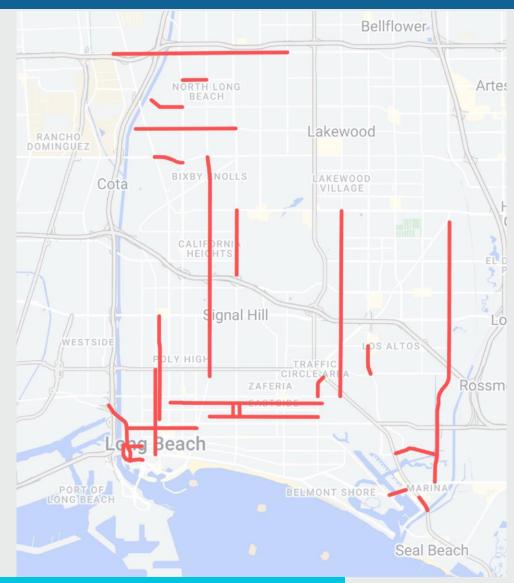
- Artesia Harbor Downey
- Market LA River East City Limit
- Shoreline Drive Realignment
- Pacific Ave Ocean PCH
- **Studebaker Rd** 2<sup>nd</sup> Los Coyotes
- Loynes PCH Studebaker
- Bellflower Atherton Stearns
- **South St** Atlantic Dairy
- Del Amo Blvd Atlantic LB Blvd



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# Forthcoming Funded Projects (Continued)

- Ximeno Ave 15<sup>th</sup> PCH
- Clark Ave Anaheim Carson
- Cherry Ave 405 Carson
- 6<sup>th</sup> St Daisy Alamitos
- Pine Ave 8th Willow
- Pacific Coast Hwy Southeast Gateway
- Orange Ave Alamitos Ave Del Amo Blvd
- 2<sup>nd</sup> St Davies Bridge Naples Plaza Marina Dr
- 8<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> St Mid-City Bike and Ped Connections



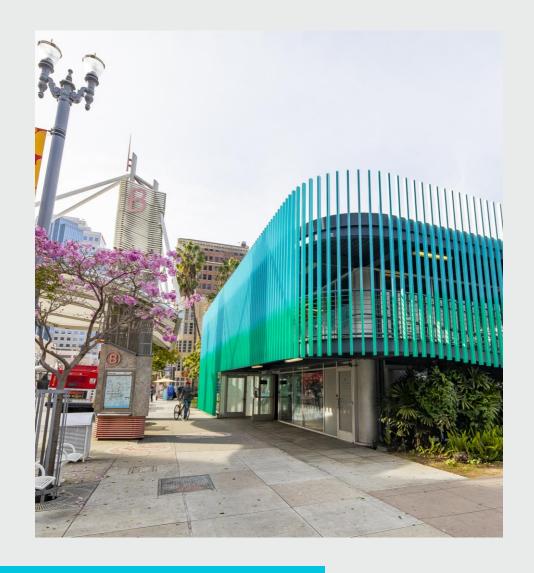


### **Strategy 2: Bike Parking**

#### Achievements:

- Bike rack request program installs approx. 90 racks per year (2.1)
- Expanded bike parking requirements in new specific plans and development agreements (2.2)

- Expanded end-of-trip facilities (2.3)
- LBUSD partnership and bike rack installation (2.4)





#### **Strategy 3: Regional Connections**

#### Achievements:

- Bike share hubs at A Line stations and bus stops (3.1)
- Mark Bixby Memorial Path complete (3.2)

- Artesia Blvd in construction (3.2)
- Build relationships with neighboring jurisdictions to connect existing and future bikeways



#### **Strategy 4: Safety Education**

#### Achievements:

- DHHS Walk and Roll Long Beach (4.1, 4.3)
- Bicycle traffic garden project (4.1, 4.5)
- Bike light giveaway (4.3)
- 14 LBPD bicycle officers (4.4)

- LBUSD partnerships and programs (4.1)
- Third-party classes and workshops (4.2)
- LBPD bicycle awareness/law training (4.4)



### **Strategy 5: Equity**

#### Achievements:

- Funding received for projects focused on HIN and historically underserved areas (5.3)
  - o Artesia Blvd, Mid-City, Pacific Ave, etc.
- Safe Streets and UPLAN outreach process (5.4)
- Bike Share For All Reduced Fare Plan (5.3)

- Expanded education and engagement (5.1, 5.4)
- Municipal Code update (5.2)



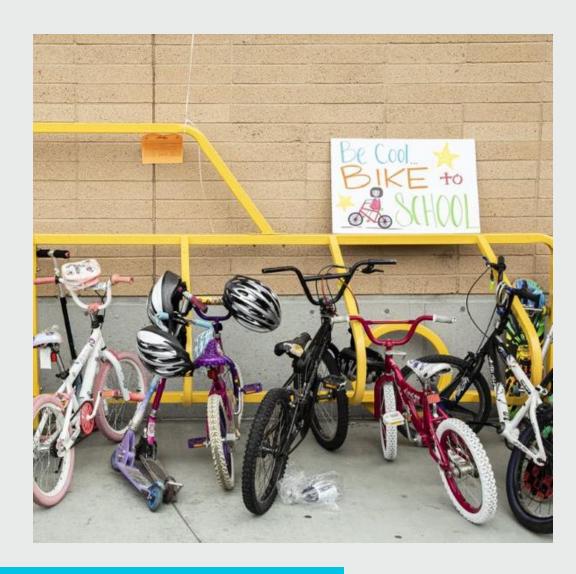
### **Strategy 6: Encouragement**

#### Achievements:

- Pedal Movement bike valet (6.1)
- Beach Streets (6.2)
- Bike Month (6.2, 6.3)
- Bike map distribution (6.4)
- GoActiveLB website (6.5)
- Go Long Beach app (6.6)

#### In Progress and Next Steps:

Additional community rides

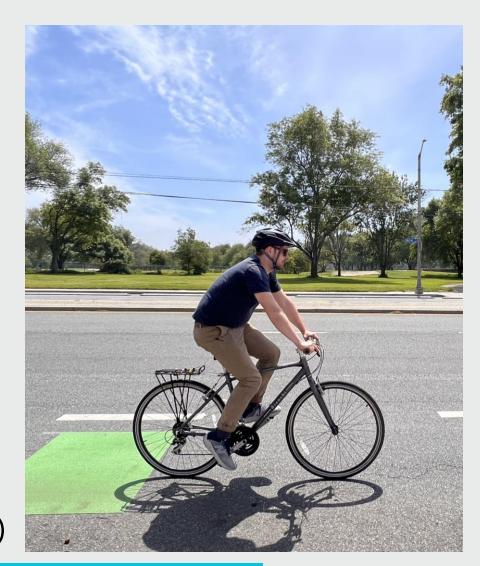


### **Strategy 7: Funding**

#### Achievements:

- Caltrans Active Transportation Program (~\$20 million in Cycles 5 and 6)
- Metro Transit Oriented Communities Atlantic Safety Study (\$200,000)
- Local return Prop C, TDA, AB2766, etc.

- Recent applications: POLB Community Grant -Del Amo, UDOT SS4A - Willow (7.1)
- Continue to pursue state and federal grants (7.1)



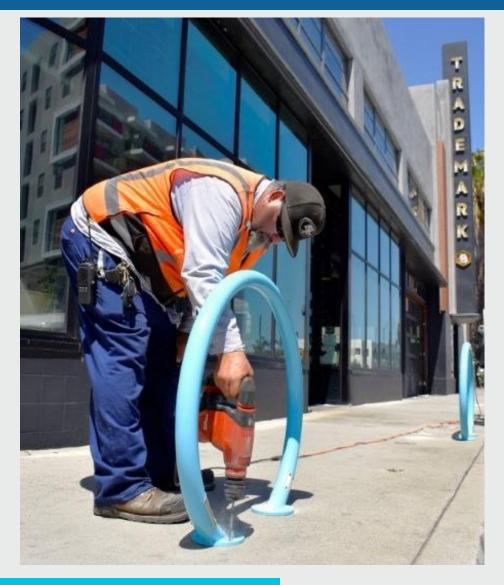


#### **Strategy 8: Maintenance**

#### Achievements:

- Coordination with repaving projects (8.1)
- Repurposed travel lanes (8.5)

- Street Design Guide (8.2)
- Accelerate repaving for bike lane priority projects (8.3)
- Traffic light detection stenciling (8.4)
- Improved construction detours (8.6)



### **Strategy 9: Planning and Evaluation**

#### Achievements:

- Annual Bike Count/data tracking (9.1, 9.10)
- Bicycle community meetings (9.3)
- New bike parking standards in specific plans: SEASIP, Mid-City, etc. (9.5)
- CaCTI legislative policy meetings (9.6)

- Data strategy document (9.1)
- Improve GHG tracking (9.7)
- Bicycle collision reporting with LBPD (9.9)



### A Look Ahead: Coming in 2023

#### **Projects**

- Artesia and Market Completion
- Design begins on:
  - o Pacific Ave.
  - o 6<sup>th</sup> St.
  - o Pine Ave.
  - Orange Ave Backbone



Pacific Avenue Cycle Track

# A Look Ahead: Coming in 2023

#### **Organization**

- High-Injury Network update
- Ongoing speed limit reductions
- Street Design Guide creation
- Public Works Reorganization
  - Quick-build capability
  - New Staff in Transporation
    Projects Bureau





While it takes a team effort to advance Vision Zero and implement the Safe Streets Long Beach Plan, new staff were added in the FY 24 Budget

#### **Engineering Bureau**

Bureau Manager (City Engineer)

City Traffic Engineer

Senior Traffic Engineer (4)

Traffic Engineering Technician

Traffic Engineering Associate (3)

Traffic Engineering Aide (2 new)

**Community Program Specialist** 

Admin Analyst

Assistant Admin Analyst (2)

#### **Transportation Project Management Bureau**

**Bureau Manager (new)** 

Project Management Officer (1 new; 1 existing)

Senior Civil Engineer (3)

Civil Engineer (3 new, 3 existing)

Civil Engineering Associate (2 new, 2 existing)

Principal Inspector (1)

Inspector (5)

Program Manager/Capital Projects Coordinator IV (1 new)

Capital Projects Coordinator (1 existing)

Transportation Planner (3)



<sup>\*</sup>Yellow highlight denotes new positions budgeted

