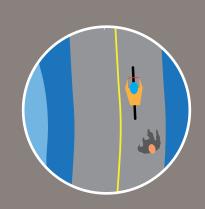


# DENVER **BIKE MAP**

The City and County of Denver continues to strive toward making Denver a world class bicycling city. By the end of 2017, there will be over 150 miles of on-street bikeways throughout the City, which is an estimated annual growth of 10%. Denver is continuing to expand the network of low-stress bicycle facilities, including protected bicycle lanes on Lawrence St, Arapahoe St, and Stout St. Denver will install its first neighborhood bikeway in 2017. Denver Public Works continues to expand travel options while promoting bicycling as a healthy, sustainable, and cost-effective way to enjoy the Mile High City.

## **DENVER'S BIKEWAYS**



**Multi-use Trail** 



**Protected Bike Lane** 



**Buffered Bike Lane** 



**Bike Lane** 



**Shared Roadway** (Sharrow marking designates best bicycle position outside of "door zone" of parked cars)

## THE STREET-SMART BICYCLIST



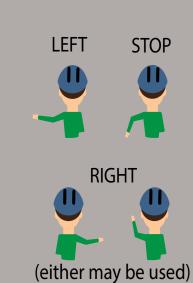
## **USEFUL ACCESSORIES**



**Bell or Horn** Rack

Saddle Bag/ **Pannier** 

### **HOW TO SIGNAL**





Always look over shoulder and ahead before switching lanes or



**Never Use Headphones** Headphones make you less aware of what is going on around you.

### **PREVENTING THEFT**

- Always use a high quality u-lock or chain.
- Always lock the frame and front
- For extra security, remove the front wheel and lock it with the frame and rear wheel.



wheel.



Register your bike with the Denver **Police Department for free at** www.denvergov.org/BikeRegistration

## DENVER B cycle

- 1. Purchase 24-hour access at any B-station,
- or buy longer access on-line
- 2. Choose any bike from any B-Station 3. Ride! Remember to keep rides under 30
- minutes to avoid usage fees 4. Dock your B-cycle back into any station
- 5. Repeat

**Bike Sharing** 

Visit **denver.bcycle.com** for more information or to sign up for an annual membership.

#### **Bicycle Advocacy**



BikeDenver is Denver's bicycle advocacy group dedicated to promoting and encouraging bicycling community wide.

Visit **BikeDenver.org** for more information.

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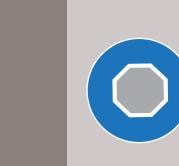
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Arts & Venues

## **RULES OF THE ROAD & COURTESY ON TRAILS**



Colorado Statute 42-1-102 (6) People on bikes "...have all of the rights and duties applicable to the driver of any other vehicle..." Obey stop signs and

People on bikes may ride two

abreast unless it impedes

the normal and reasonable movement of traffic. When

there is motorized traffic, switch

to single file as a courtesy. Ride

People on bikes are required to

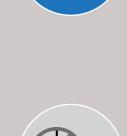
have a front white light and a

minimum of rear red reflector.

**Riding Two Abreast** 

single-file on trails.

When Riding at Night



U- Lock

#### Safe Speeds on Trails

Please ride 15 mph or less on multi-use trails. Be cautious on hills, under/over bridges, and on bends.

#### **Stay off Sidewalks**

People on bikes are prohibited from riding on sidewalks **UNLESS:** 

- Sidewalk is part of a designated bike route
- They are within one block of dismounting to park (speed limit 6 mph)
- Engaged in delivering newspapers



On Multi-use Trails & Sidewalks Yield to pedestrians and keep right, except to pass on the left. Call out or ring bell when

## **LOADING BIKES ON BUSES**



1. Squeeze handle to release rack



3. Place front wheel on side labeled "front wheel"



4. Pull support arm over wheel

• Tell driver when exiting that you are unloading a bike.

• Return rack to upright position if last person to remove bike.

• RTD is not responsible for lost or stolen bikes, or damage to bikes due to improper loading.

## For more information about riding a bike i Public Works.

Denver Bike Map is a production of Denver **Public Works** 

> 720.913.2000 Non-Emergency FMergency Police Department

dial 311. For all bikeway issues including maintenance

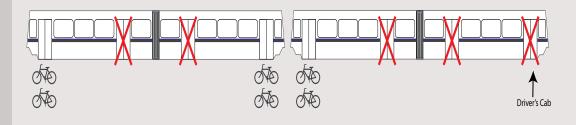
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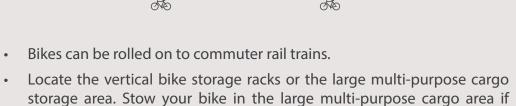
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## *RESOURCES*



**LOADING BIKES ON LIGHT RAIL** 

- Load bike at the front or rear of train (except near occupied driver's cab) and lean bike up against platform.
- Stand with bike and leave room for passengers to clear doorway at all



LOADING BIKES ON COMMUTER RAIL

ratchet straps when using the vertical racks. • Take a seat after securing your bike. Unlike light rail, you do not need to stand next to your bike.

space allows, or, secure your bike with the provided elastic straps and

## **HOW TO USE ENHANCED BIKEWAYS**





Bike signals are similar to traffic lights for cars, and they give bicycles their own time to move across the intersection.



A bike detection icon indicates to the traffic light that a person on a bike is waiting for the signal to turn green. A person on a bike should position their bike on the green pavement marking.



Green pavement markings indicate bicycle facilities and increase awareness of people on bikes.



"D" signage marks regional



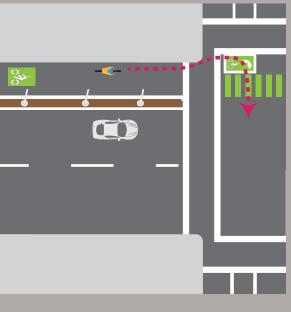
**BICYCLE BOX** 

"Bike boxes" allow bicycles to move ahead of motorized traffic when the light is red and have priority once light is green.



#### **MIXING ZONE**

Mixing zones are areas where motorists intersection. People in cars must yield to people on bikes and are encouraged to look left before entering the shared space.



#### **TURN QUEUE BOX**

"Turn queue" boxes position a person on a bike ahead of the crosswalk of the intersecting street to make a right turn from a bike lane on the left side of the street. A person on a bike should position bike in the turn queue box in then proceed through intersection after light is green.



## **ADVANCED STOP BAR**

Advanced stop bars allow bikes to stop slightly ahead of stopped cars at an intersection. This way, a person on a bike becomes more visible to a person in a car intending to make a right turn.

