

A photograph of three young children riding bicycles on a paved street. The child on the left is wearing a blue patterned shirt and green striped shorts. The child in the middle is wearing a blue t-shirt and blue shorts. The child on the right is wearing a grey t-shirt and blue shorts. All three children are wearing helmets and smiling. The background shows green foliage and a residential street.

Rainier Valley South Stay Healthy Street

2022 Evaluation



Seattle
Department of
Transportation

Our Vision, Mission, Values, & Goals

Seattle is a thriving equitable community powered by dependable transportation. We're on a mission to deliver a transportation system that provides safe and affordable access to places and opportunities.

Core Values & Goals:

Equity, Safety, Mobility, Sustainability, Livability, and Excellence.

Presentation Outline

- COVID-19 Response
- Evaluation
- What's next?
- Q&A

STAY HEALTHY STREETS

Rainier Valley

- Open Restaurant
 - Open Store
 - Temporary Pick Up Zone
 - Stay Healthy Streets
 - ◆ Crossing Improvement
 - ⚡ Crossing Signal
 - ⚡ Flashing Beacon Crossing
- Existing Bike Facilities
- In Street, Minor Separation
 - Multi-use Trail
 - Neighborhood Greenway



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
- Reduce impacts to hospitals and essential workers

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



STAY HEALTHY STREETS

Process for Identifying Permanent Stay Healthy Streets

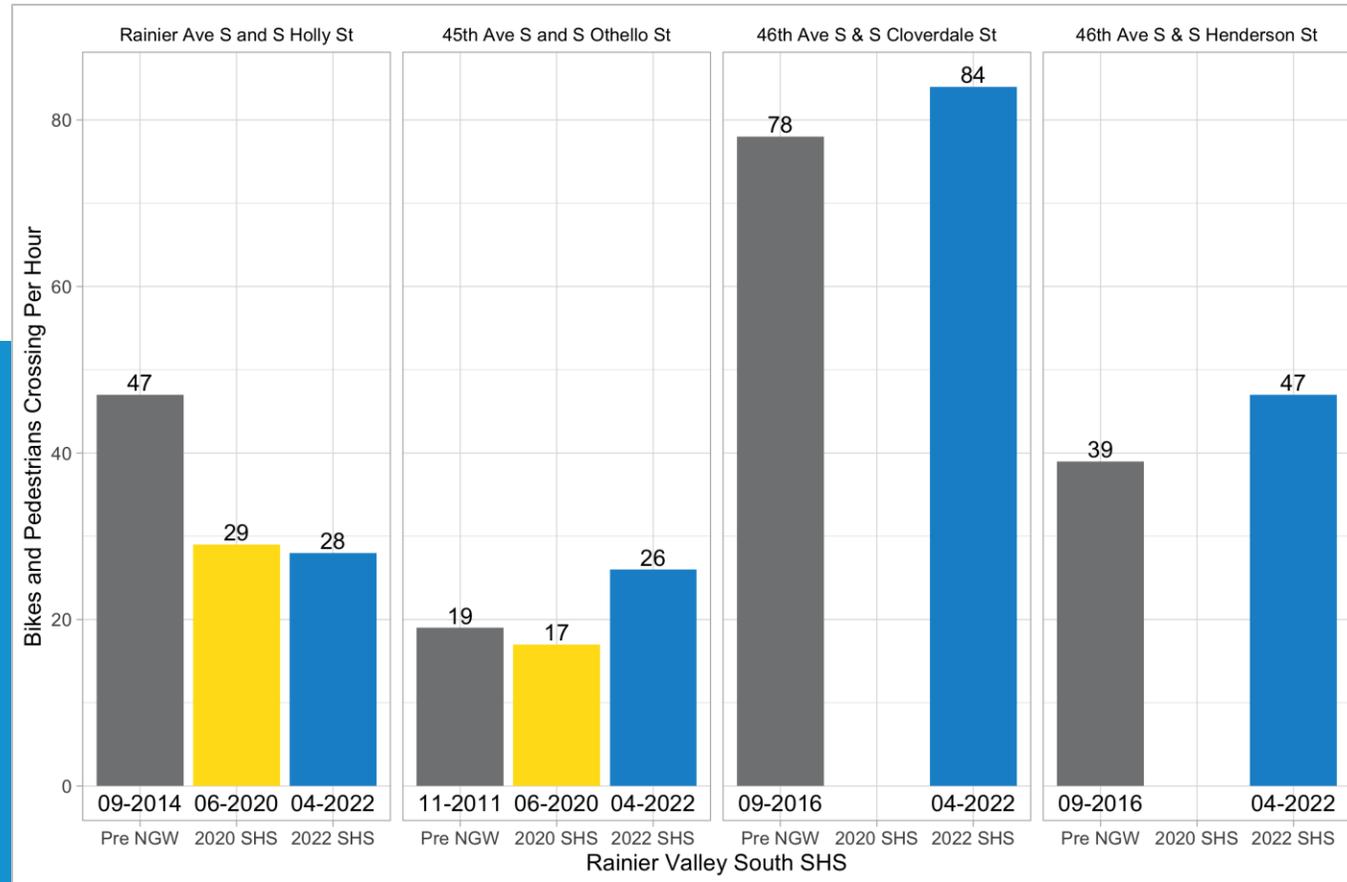


Is this street a good candidate for permanent implementation?



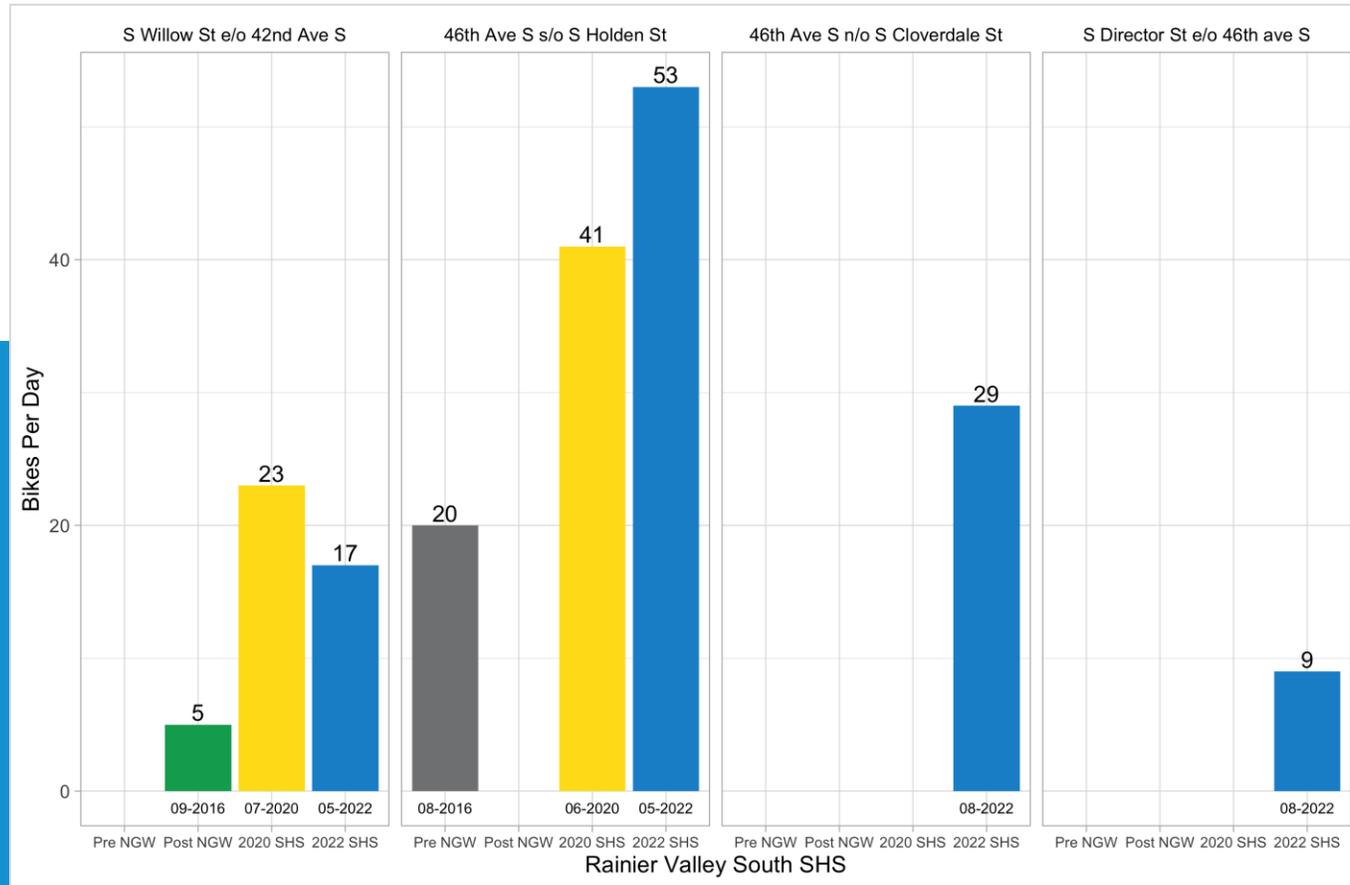
3 PILOT A TEMPORARY STAY HEALTHY STREET	4 EVALUATION OF A PILOT STAY HEALTHY STREET			
 <p>Observe Listen Evaluate</p>	 <p>Are there more people walking, rolling and biking?</p>	 <p>Is there neighborhood support for keeping the Stay Healthy Street?</p>	 <p>How well did this Pilot SHS serve the diversity of the neighborhood? (Race, Gender, Age, Ability)</p>	 <p>Are there fewer vehicles driving on the street? Are the vehicles traveling slowly?</p>

People walking and biking per hour



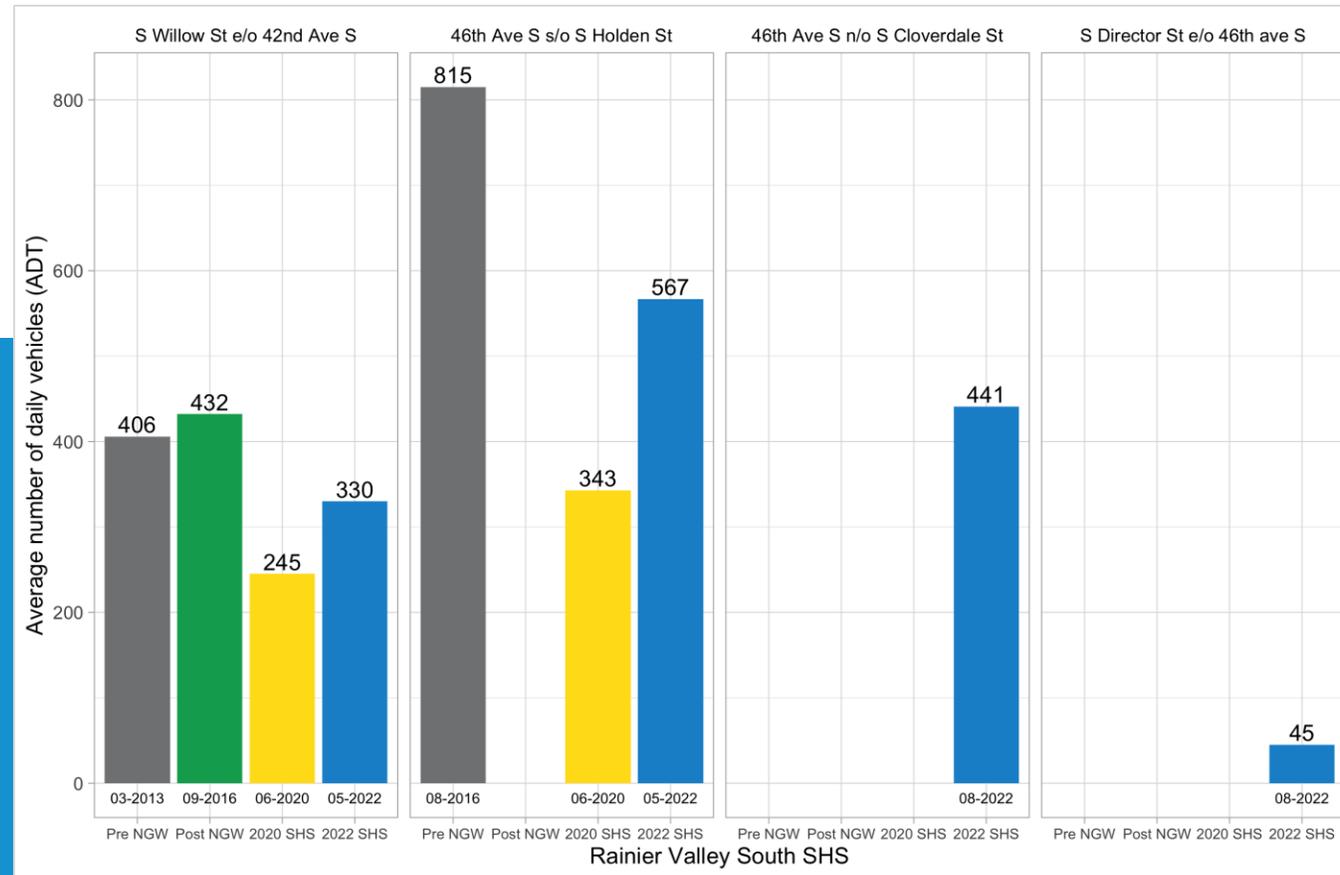
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People biking per day (7 day average)



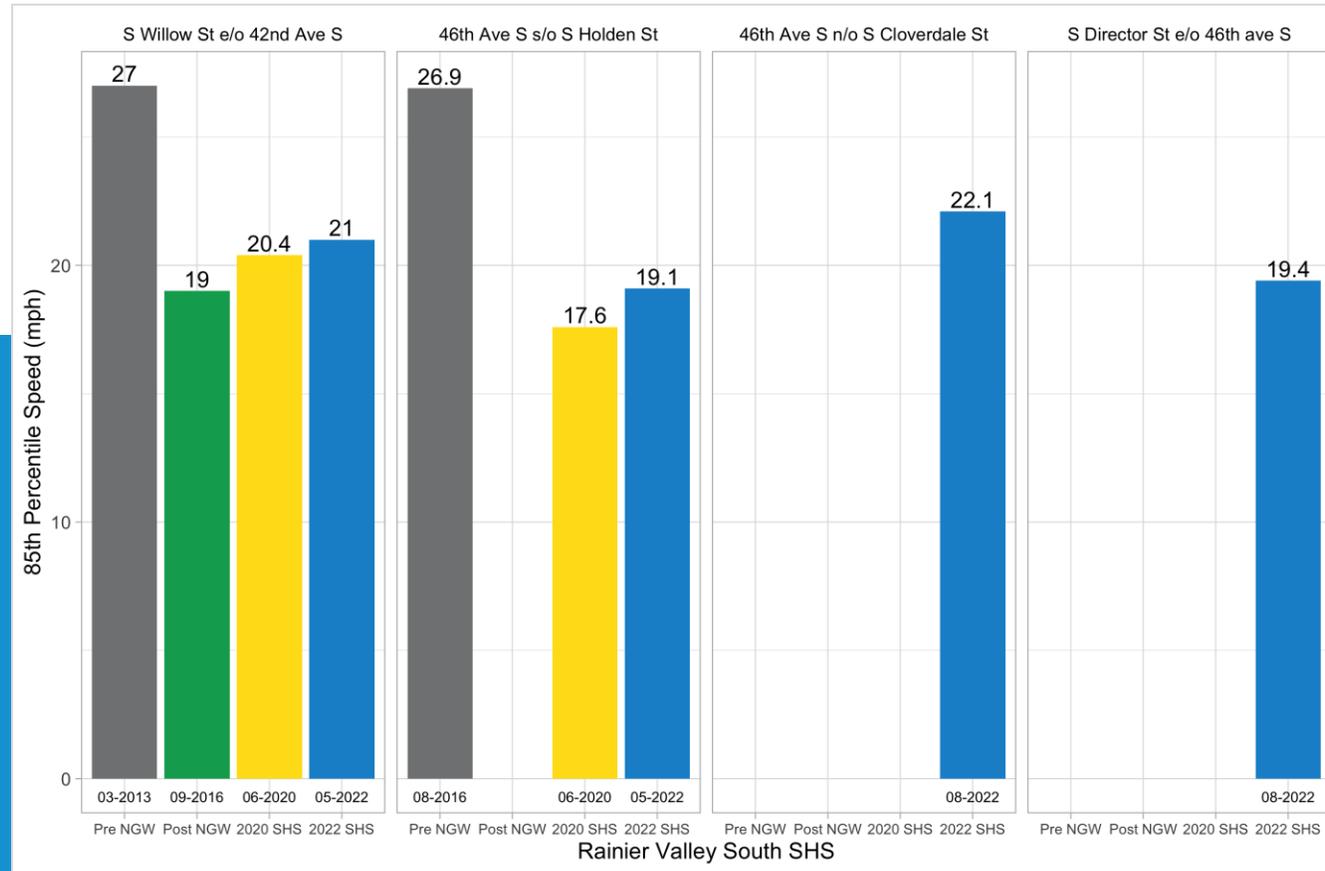

 Are there more people walking, rolling and biking?

Vehicles per day (7 day average)



Are there fewer vehicles driving on the street?
Are the vehicles traveling slowly?

Vehicles speed (85% of vehicles drive this speed or slower)

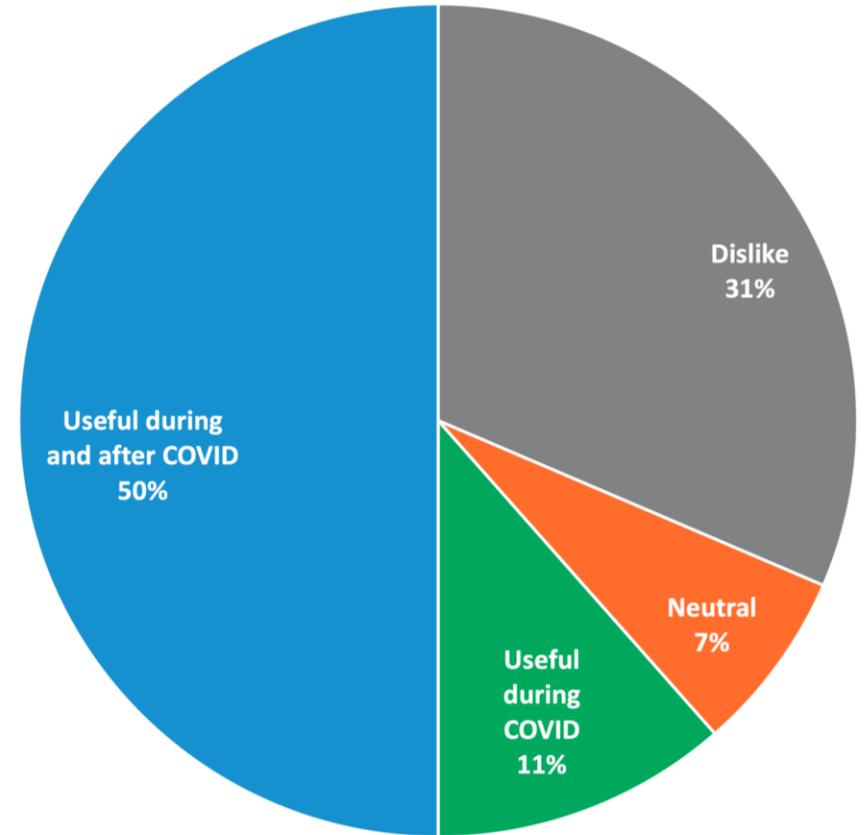


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Online Survey ~ 340 Responses for Rainier Valley

How do you feel about the Stay Healthy Streets that were put in your neighborhood during the pandemic?

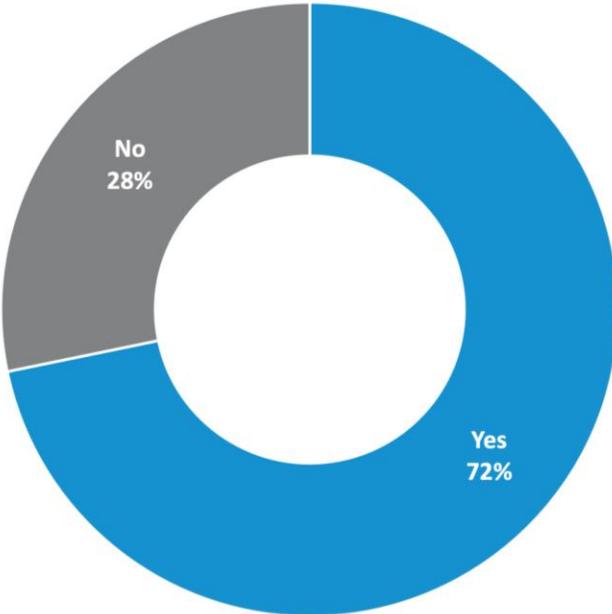
(n= 340 responses)



Results as of July 6, 2022

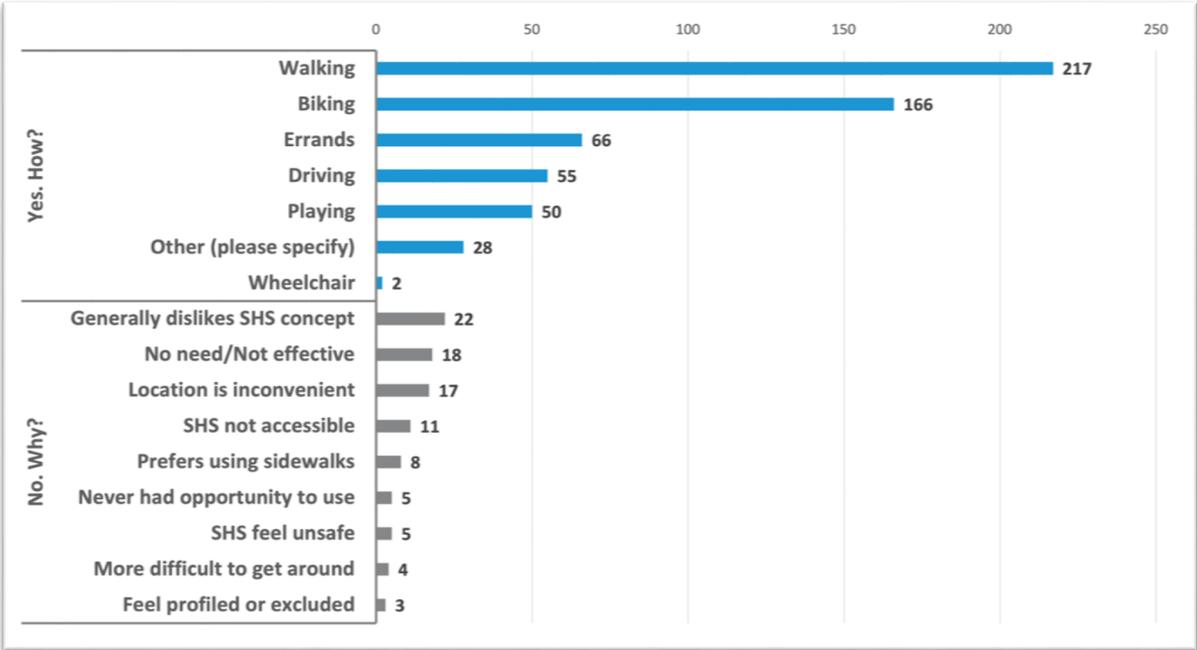
Online Survey

Have you or your household used the Stay Healthy Streets?
If yes, how?



(n= 340 responses)

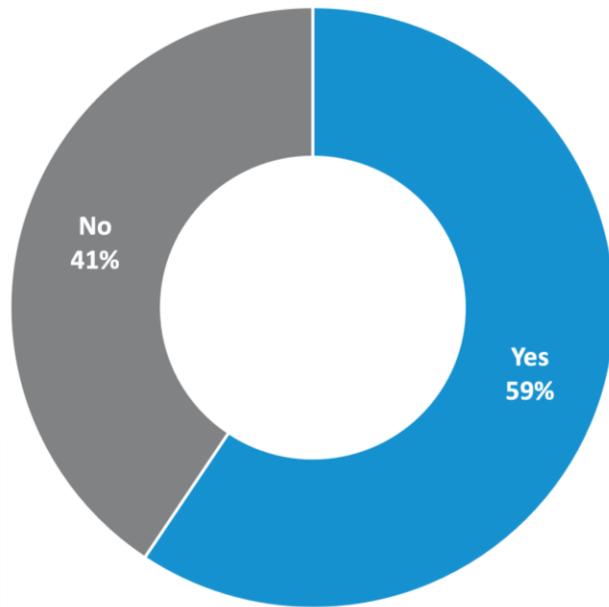
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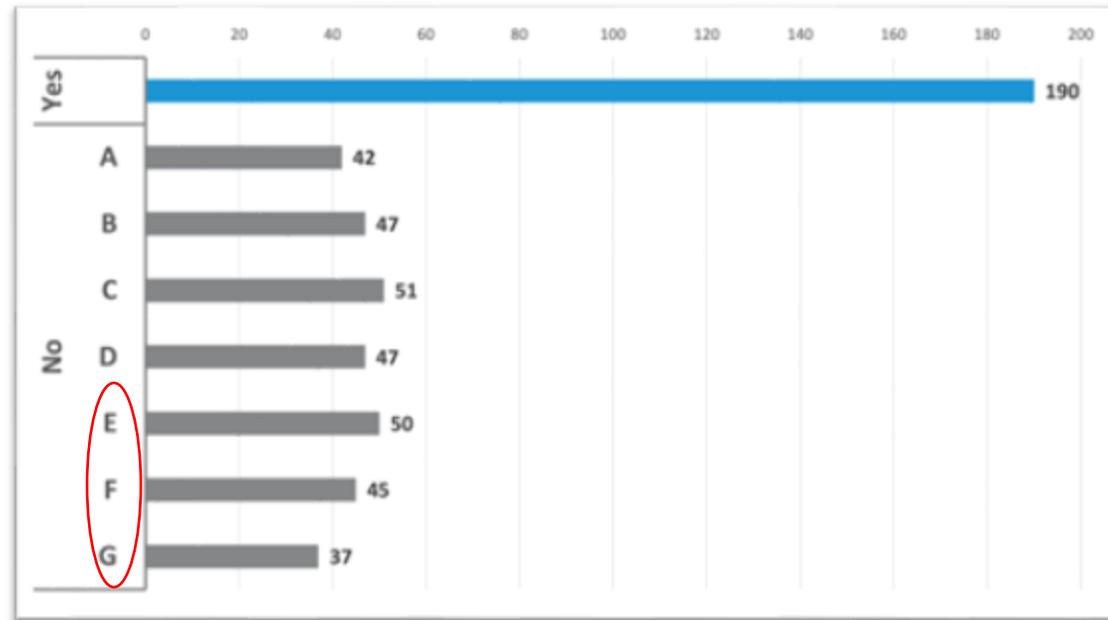
(n= 326 responses)

Online Survey

When using Stay Healthy Streets do you feel safe? If you answered no, where on the Stay Healthy Street do you feel unsafe?



(n= 320 responses)

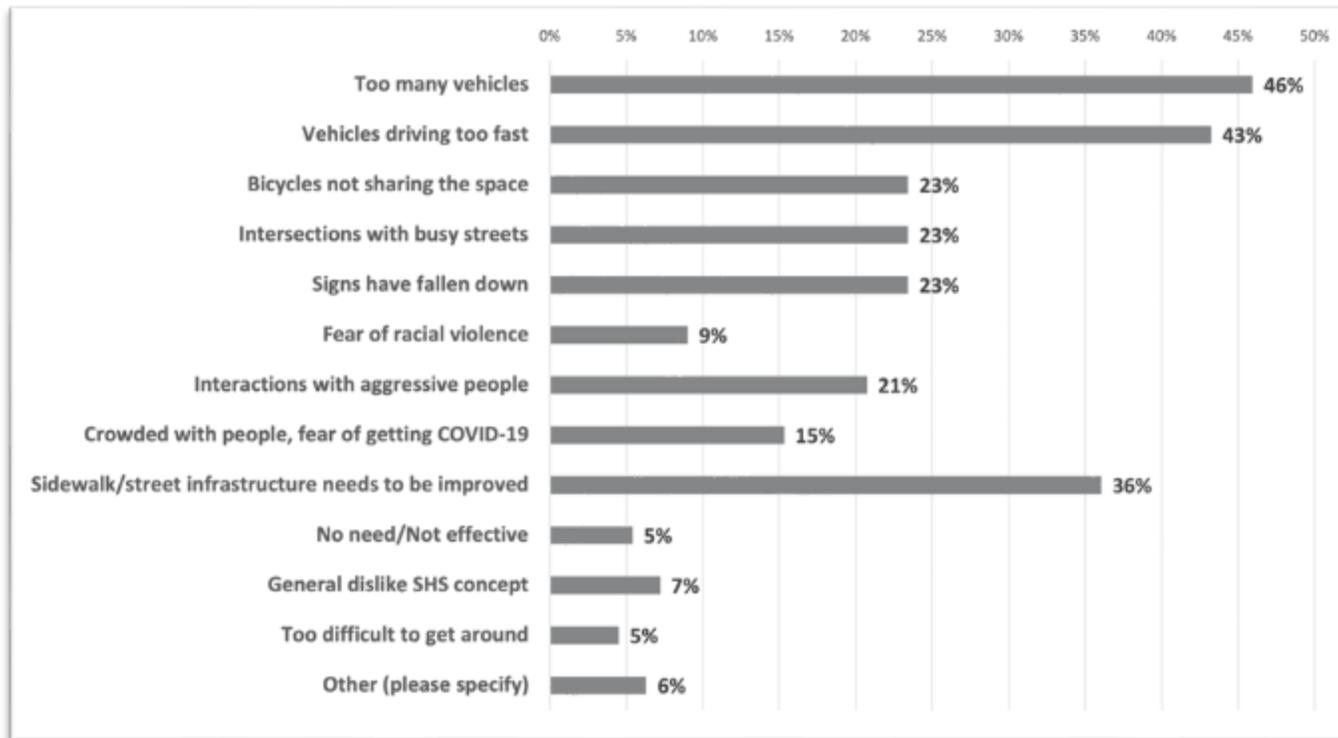


(n= 289 responses)



Online Survey

Why do you feel unsafe on the Stay Healthy Street?



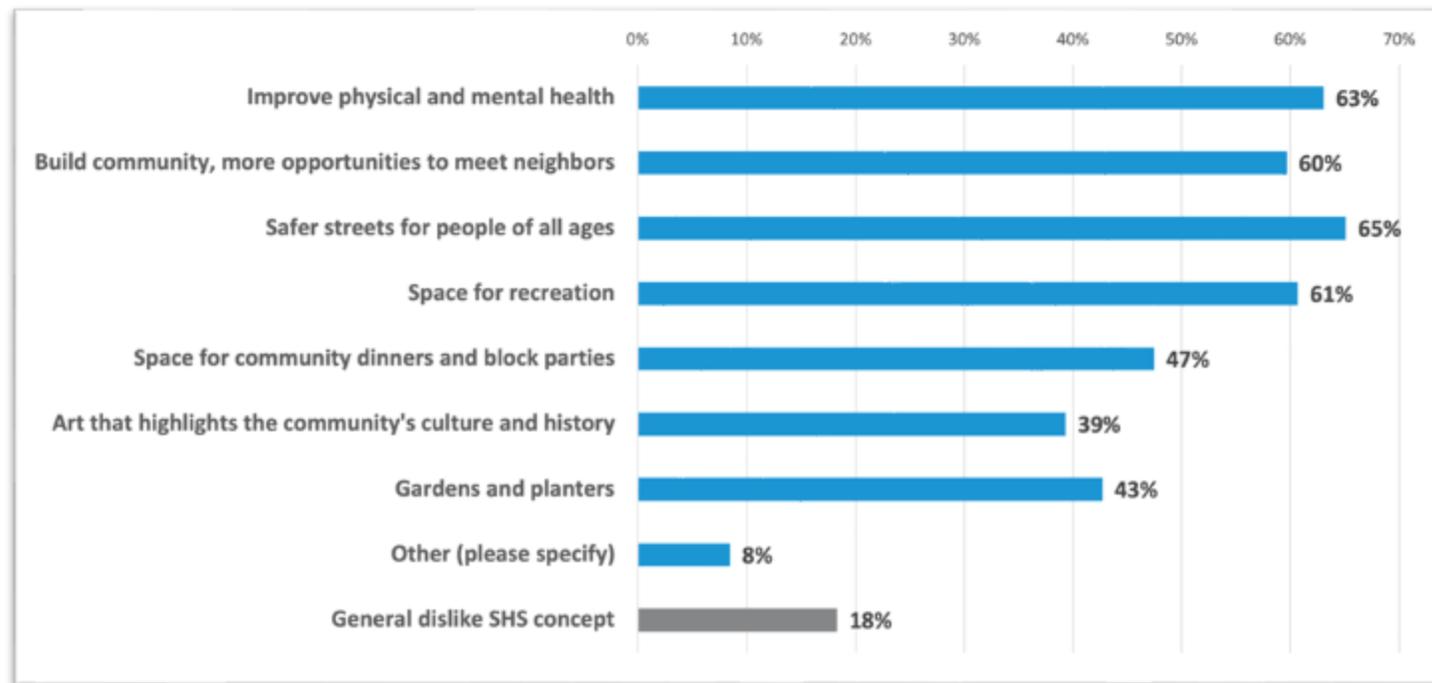
(n= 111 responses)



Is there neighborhood support for keeping the Stay Healthy Street?

Online Survey

Thinking about the future of your neighborhood after COVID-19: How could Stay Healthy Streets improve your community?

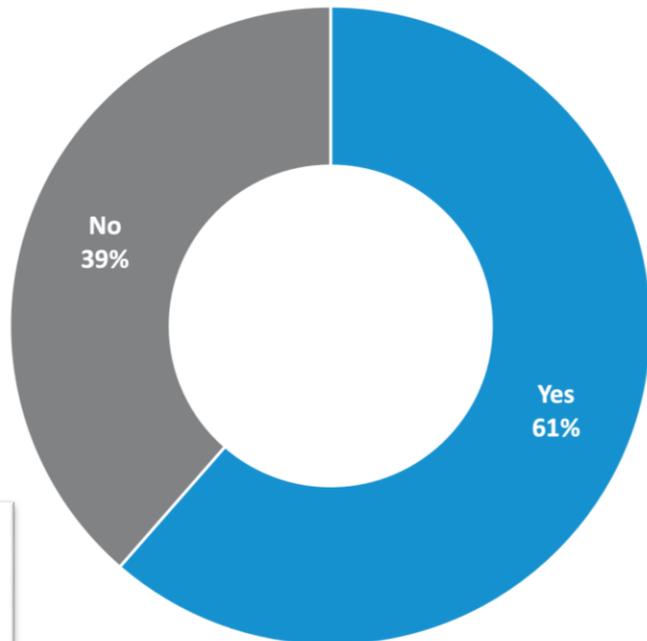


(n= 295 responses)

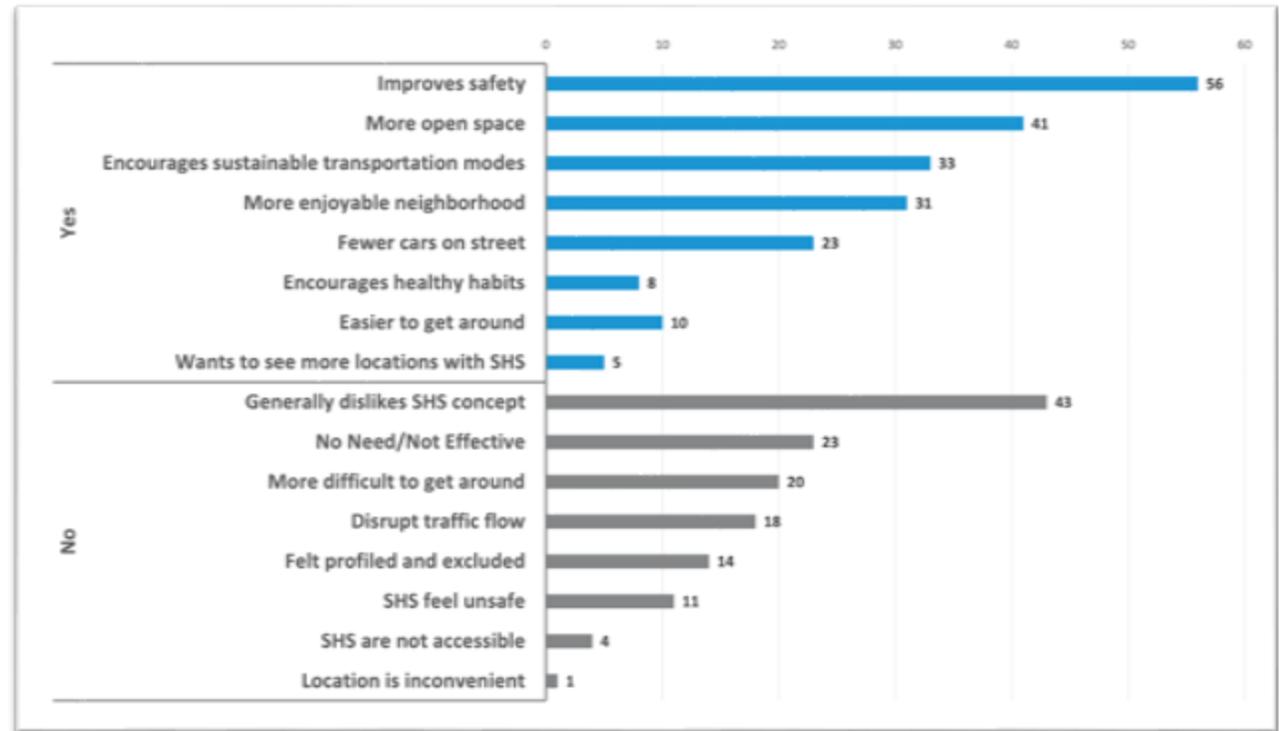


Online Survey

Do you want Stay Healthy Streets to be permanent in your community? Why?



(n= 311 responses)



(n= 227 responses)

Site Visit Photos

S Willow St & 44th Ave S (facing south, entering HS on 44th Ave): only one barricade (without sign on it)



S Holly St w/o Rainier Ave S

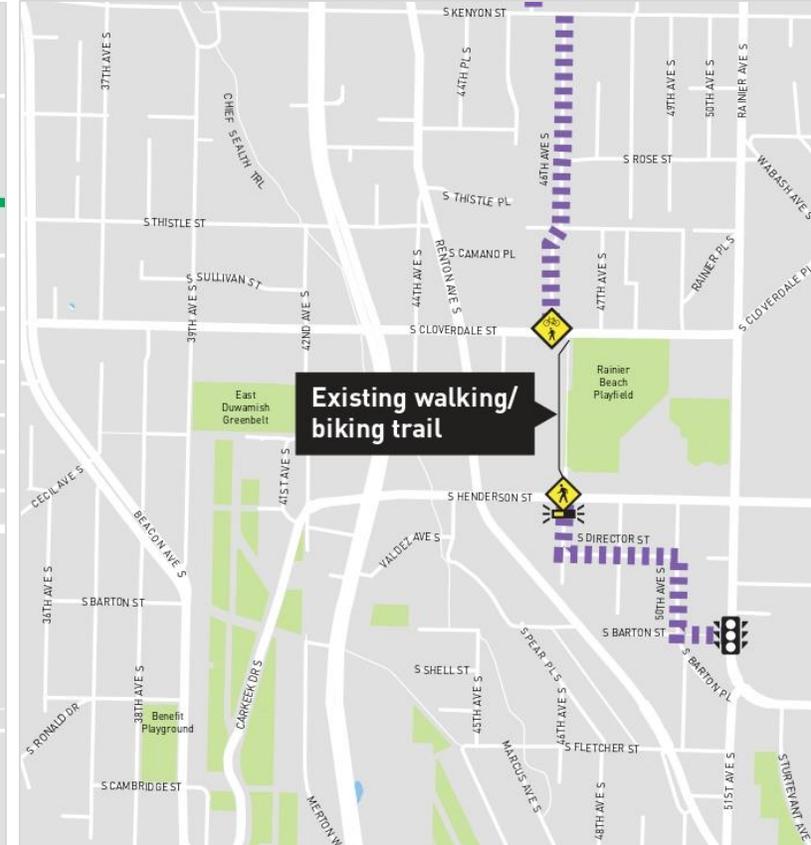
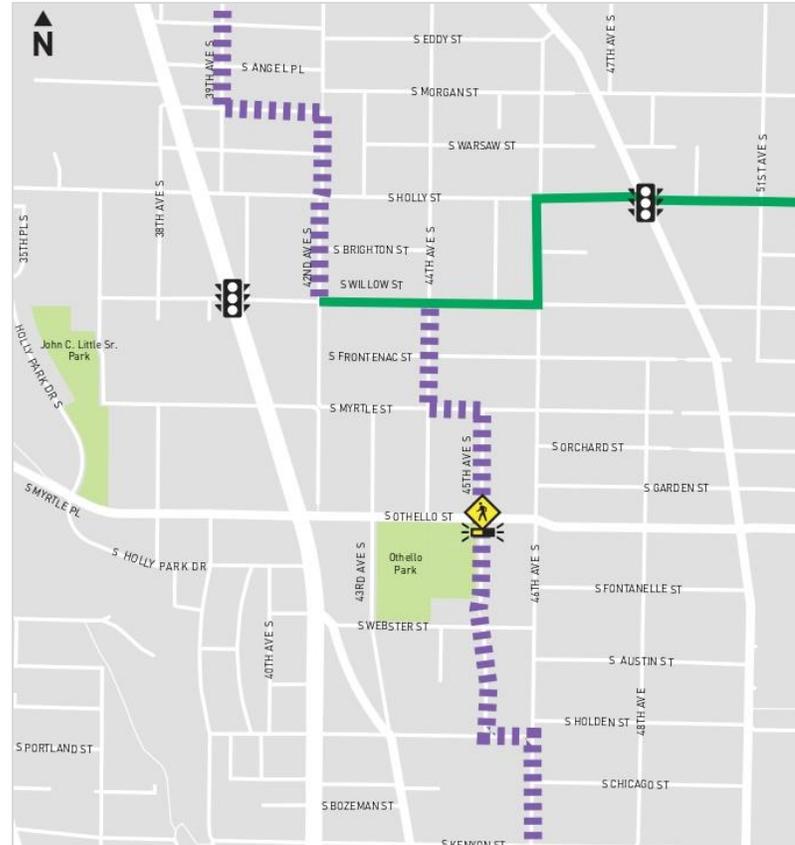


Which sections, if any, should be made permanent?

Recommendations:

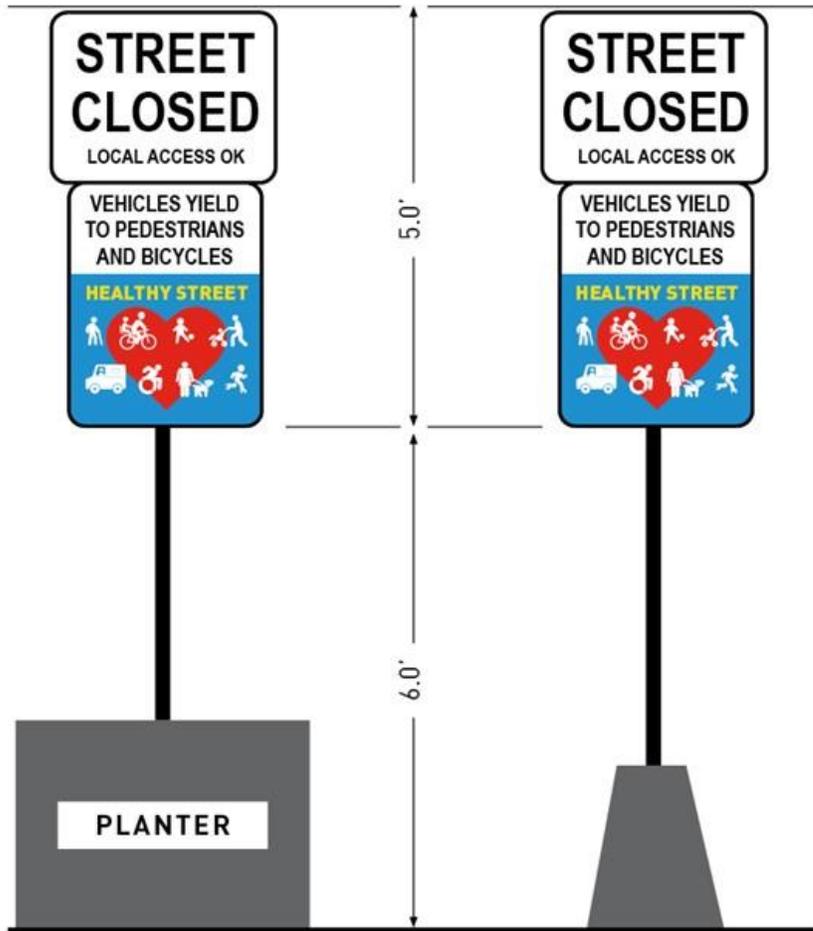
- Continue Pilot: 
- Remove other locations shown on this map:
 - S Willow St between 42nd Ave S and 46th Ave S
 - 46th Ave S between S Holly St and S Willow St
 - Holly St between 46th Ave S and Rainier Ave S

See Below Left



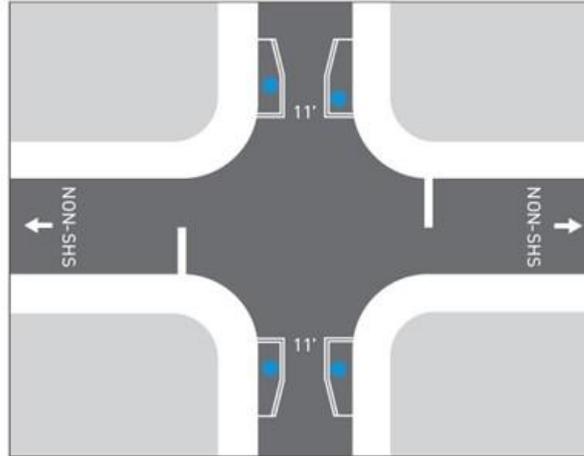
See Above Right

Permanent Healthy Street Options



Planter:
42" Diameter x 30" Tall

Sign Block:
22" Diameter x 23" Tall



Conceptual diagram of Healthy Street intersection



Permanent Healthy Street treatments in Greenwood)



From the entire SDOT Team:
Thank you!

