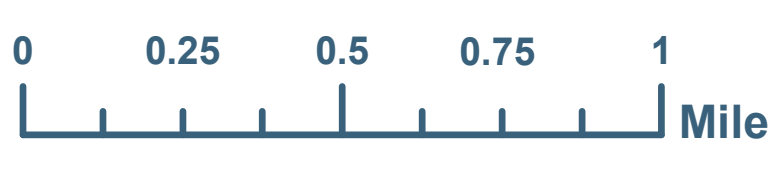
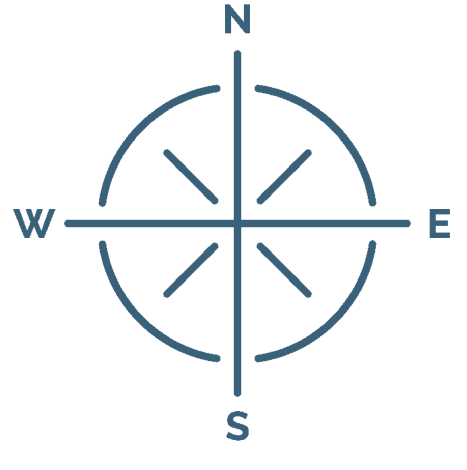
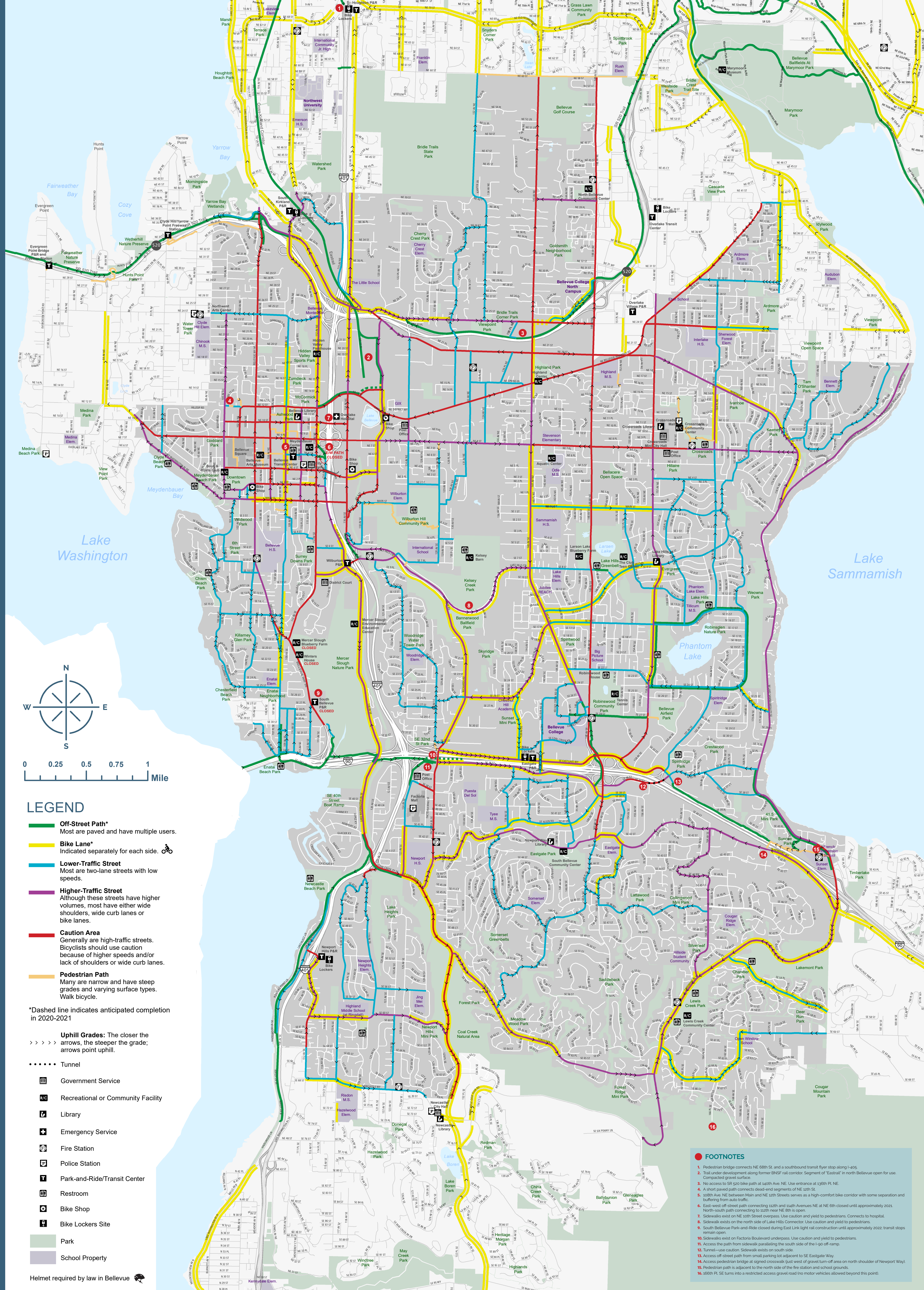


BELLEVUE BIKE MAP



LEGEND

- **Off-Street Path***
Most are paved and have multiple users.
- **Bike Lane***
Indicated separately for each side.
- **Lower-Traffic Street**
Most are two-lane streets with low speeds.
- **Higher-Traffic Street**
Although these streets have higher volumes, most have either wide shoulders, wide curb lanes or bike lanes.
- **Caution Area**
Generally are high-traffic streets. Bicyclists should use caution because of higher speeds and/or lack of shoulders and/or wide curb lanes.
- **Pedestrian Path**
Many are narrow and have steep grades and varying surface types. Walk bicycle.

*Dashed line indicates anticipated completion in 2020-2021

>>>> **Uphill Grades:** The closer the arrows, the steeper the grade; arrows point uphill.

- Tunnel
- Government Service
- Recreational or Community Facility
- Library
- Emergency Service
- Fire Station
- Police Station
- Park-and-Ride/Transit Center
- Restroom
- Bike Shop
- Bike Lockers Site
- Park
- School Property

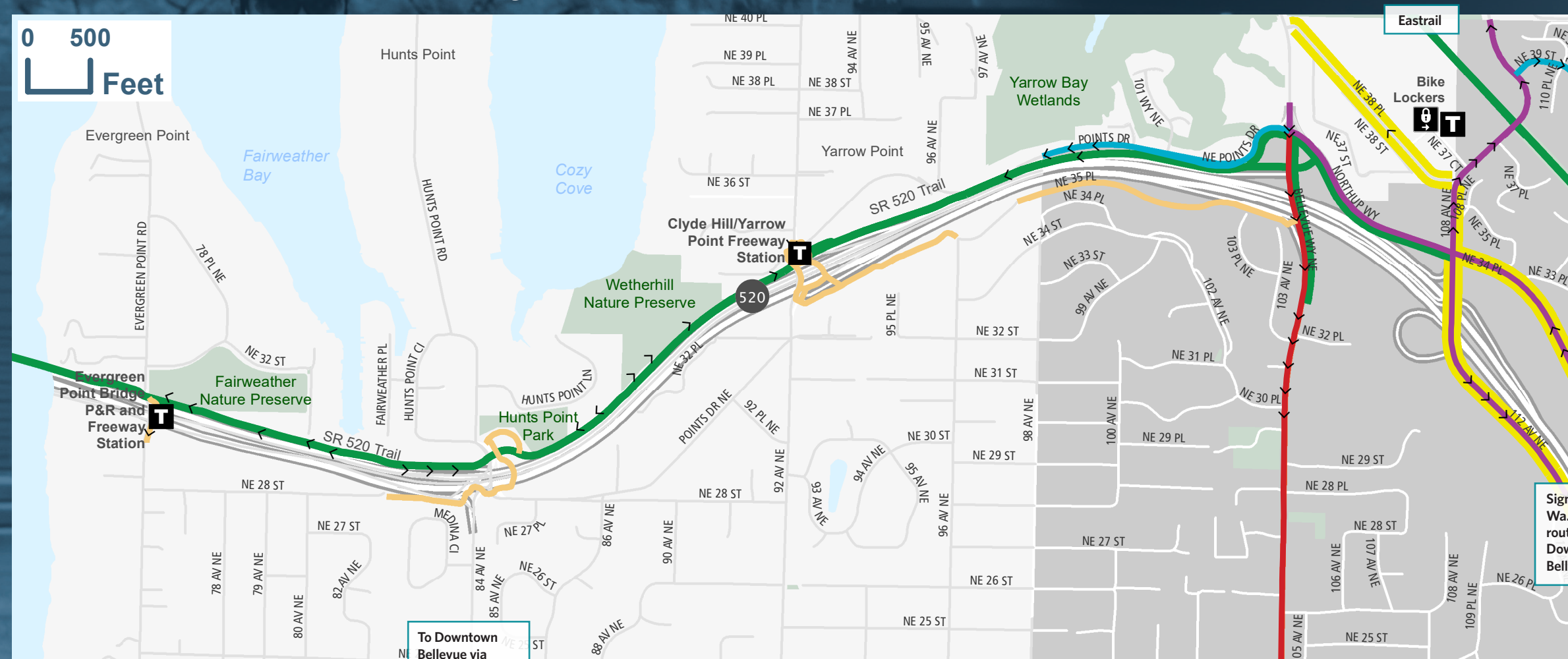
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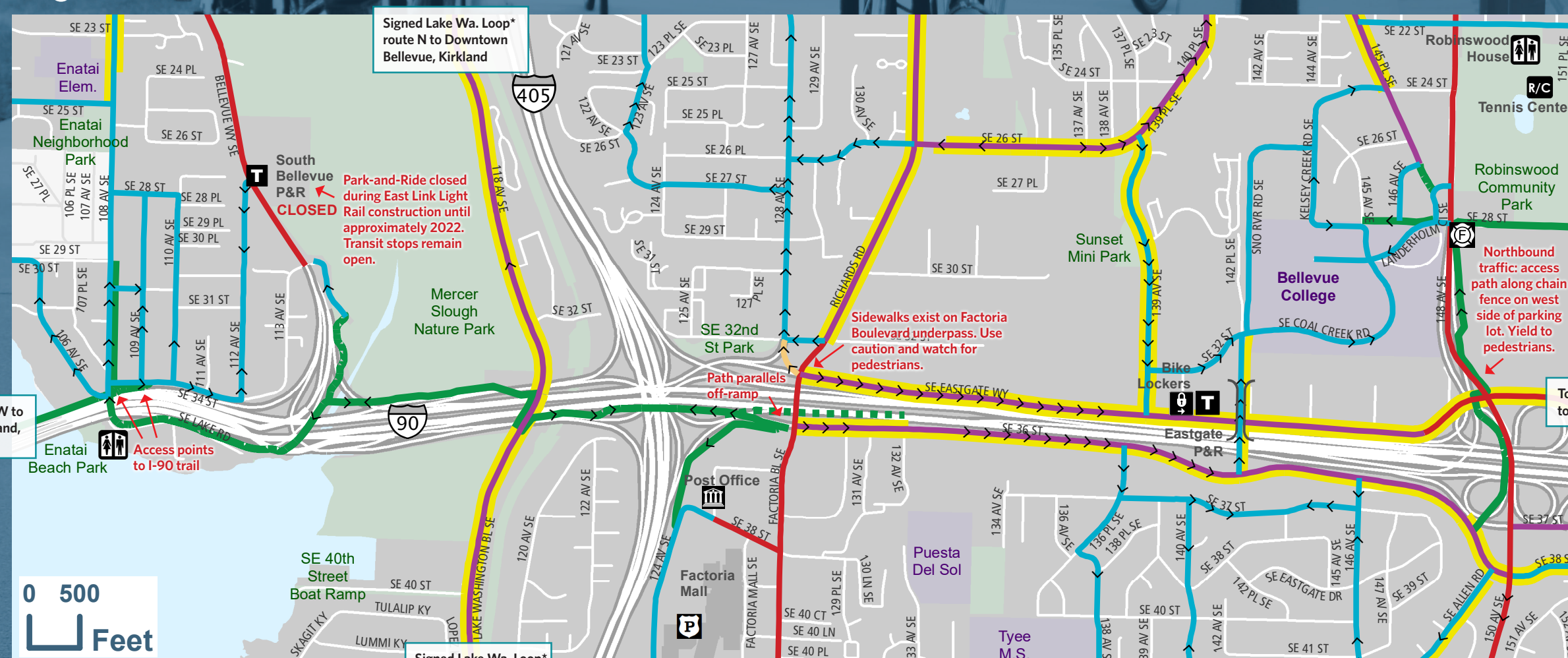
1. Pedestrian bridge connects NE 68th St. and a southbound transit flyer stop along I-405.
2. Trail under development along former BNSF rail corridor. Segment of "Eastrail" in north Bellevue open for use. Compacted gravel surface.
3. No access to SR 520 bike path at 140th Ave. NE. Use entrance at 136th Pl. NE.
4. A short paved path connects dead-end segments of NE 12th St.
5. 120th Ave. NE between Main and NE 12th Streets serves as a high-comfort bike corridor with some separation and buffering from auto traffic.
6. East-west off-street path connecting 112th and 114th Avenues NE at NE 6th closed until approximately 2021. North-south path connecting to 112th near NE 6th is open.
7. Sidewalks exist on NE 10th Street overpass. Use caution and yield to pedestrians. Connects to hospital.
8. Sidewalk exists on the north side of Lake Hills Connector. Use caution and yield to pedestrians.
9. South Bellevue Park-and-Ride closed during East Link light rail construction until approximately 2022; transit stops remain open.
10. Sidewalks exist on Factoria Boulevard underpass. Use caution and yield to pedestrians.
11. Access the path from sidewalk paralleling the south side of the I-90 off-ramp.
12. Tunnel—use caution. Sidewalk exists on south side.
13. Access off-street path from small parking lot adjacent to SE Eastgate Way.
14. Access pedestrian bridge at signed crosswalk (just west of gravel turn-off area on north shoulder of Newport Way).
15. Pedestrian path is adjacent to the north side of the fire station and school grounds.
16. 16th Pl. SE turns into a restricted access gravel road for motor vehicles allowed beyond this point.



EVERGREEN POINT & SR 520



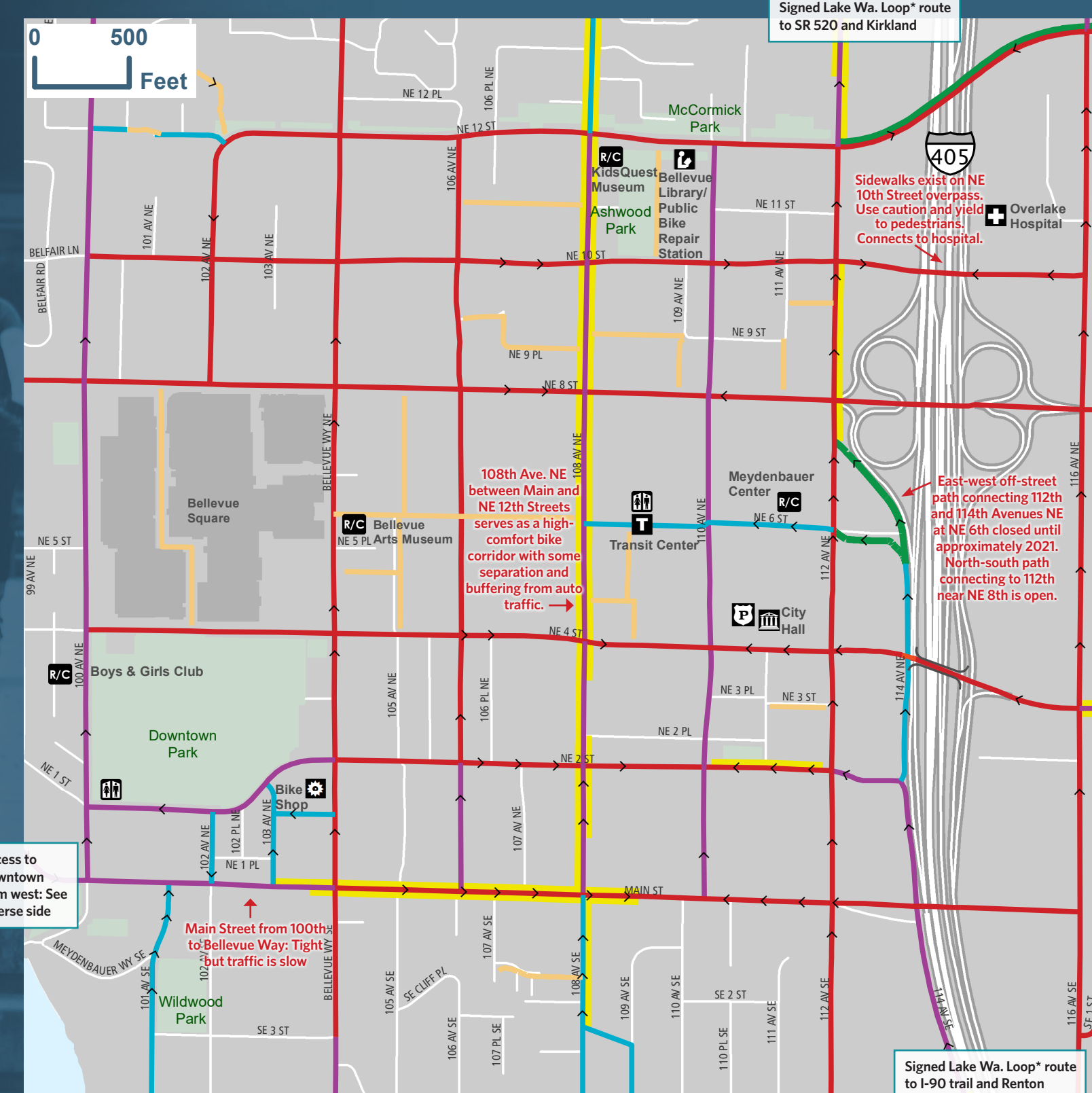
1-90/MERCER ISLAND CONNECTION & BELLEVUE COLLEGE



LEGEND

- Off-Street Path*
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DOWNTOWN BELLEVUE



- Special notes about bicycling in Downtown Bellevue:**
- In the downtown area, blue, purple, and red routes reflect relative motor vehicle volumes, not speeds or the existence of bicycle facilities.
 - When moving at the same speed as motor vehicles, bicyclists should occupy the full lane on roadways, especially in the downtown area.
 - Expect congestion on most downtown streets on weekdays, especially during rush hour.

SAFETY TIPS

Obey Traffic Signals & Signs

As a vehicle, bicycles must obey all the rules of the road. Cyclists have the same privileges and responsibilities as other vehicles.

Bike Detector Loops

Trigger the traffic signal by stopping bike over the white "X" or bicycle painted on the roadway.

Passing

Use your voice, "on your left," or bike's bell before passing on left of a pedestrian.

Communicate with other Drivers

Make eye contact and signal your turns and lane changes.

Beware of Car Doors

Ride at least three feet from parked cars and be alert to car doors opening suddenly.

Use a Light at Night

At night, bikes must have white light on front, red reflector on back.

Be Careful at Intersections

Proceed carefully, make sure you are visible, and signal your intentions. Watch cars at intersections carefully. Make eye contact with drivers. Be visible. Ride further out in the lane as you approach intersections. Be prepared to stop or make an emergency turn if necessary.

Ride to the Right in a Straight Line

Ride as far to the right as practicable, but stay far enough away from the curb to avoid hazards. Ride in a straight line at least three feet away from the curb to allow room for moving around road hazards. Watch for cars entering from driveways.

Scan the Road Ahead

At intersections, watch for turning cars and pedestrians. When mid-block, watch for cars pulling out of driveways, alleys and parking spaces. Make eye contact with other drivers. Yield the right-of-way to pedestrians in crosswalks.

Pay Attention to Motorists Making Right-Hand Turns

Be alert for drivers speeding up and then slowing down as they pass you. Do not pass cars on the right near intersections; you will be in the driver's blind spot. Do not rely on other drivers' turn signals.

Riding on Sidewalk

Bicycle riding on sidewalk permitted in Bellevue. Use caution and yield to pedestrians.

Crossing Railroad Tracks

Cross railroad tracks at a right angle to avoid getting your front wheel caught. Slow down and look behind you for traffic. Change your lane position if necessary to line up to cross the tracks at a right angle. Return to your original lane position after crossing the tracks.

Changing Lanes

To change lanes, look behind you for traffic and signal first. Traffic in the lane you want to move into has the right of way. Look back and wait for an opening in traffic before moving over.

Making Left Turns

There are two ways to make a left turn: 1) Look back for traffic, signal, then make the turn when safe. 2) Ride straight through the intersection, dismount at the opposite corner, and walk your bike across the street in the pedestrian crosswalk.

Always Ride With Traffic

Riding against traffic is unpredictable. Drivers turning at intersections, exiting driveways or leaving parking spaces are not expecting wrong-way bicyclists.

STOP

LEFT TURN

RIGHT TURN

Use Hand Signals

TOOLS & RESOURCES

BikeWise

bikewise.org
A place to learn about and report bike crashes, hazards, and thefts. You can help by reporting issues you see.

MapMyRide

mapmyride.com
Map your bike routes, track your bicycle activity and connect with friends. The Bike Bellevue group hopes that cyclists in Bellevue will identify their preferred bicycle routes so that others interested in cycling in the city will benefit from your knowledge.

Strava

strava.com
Lets you track your rides via your iPhone, Android or dedicated GPS device and helps you analyze and quantify your performance. Provides motivation and camaraderie between riders, as well as information for new riders about where other cyclists currently ride.

Google Maps

google.com/maps
On your desktop you can choose between driving, transit, walking and bicycling when you request directions. It shows you a route, elevation gain and estimated time.

MyBellevue Mobile App

bellevuewa.gov/mybellevue.htm
Allows users to report issues, request services and stay connected to the city using their smart phone or other mobile device. Cyclists can use this app to report bicycle-related maintenance needs. A web-based version is at asstf.bellevuewa.gov.

Bike Share

The city has established a permit process for private companies to operate dockless bike share in Bellevue. Find information about current operators and how to use their service at bellevuewa.gov/BikeShare. When you use bike share, please park bikes responsibly in designated areas, at bike racks, or along sidewalks next to curbs.

Combining cycling with riding the bus

Sometimes the weather or a flat tire can keep us from biking home once we've already geared up for a ride. Luckily, King County Metro and Sound Transit buses all come equipped with a place for three bikes on the front of the bus. Visit metro.kingcounty.gov/tops/bike for more tips on how to combine bicycling and riding the bus.

Park your bike at a park-and-ride or other transit hub

<https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/transportation/metro/travel-options/bike/parking.aspx>

Meet your vanpool by bike

For those in King County Metro vans, Metro provides a free bicycle rack on vanpools at the request of riders and hold up to three bicycles. If you are in a Metro vanpool and would like a rack, contact King County Metro at 206-425-4500 or vanpool@kingcounty.gov. For more information visit metro.kingcounty.gov/tops/bike/bikevan.html.

Secure bicycle parking

Your work building might have secure bike parking. Check with your building manager, or if you work downtown, visit ChooseYourWayBellevue.org/bike for access to a downtown map of building bike amenities.

City of Bellevue pedestrian and bicycle planning

Visit the city's Pedestrian and Bicycle Implementation Initiative web page at bellevuewa.gov/PBI to see the city's plan for, and information about, ongoing efforts to make Bellevue a great place to walk and bike.

Levy-funded bicycle projects

The city's Neighborhood Safety, Connectivity and Congestion Levy, approved by voters in 2016, is helping to fund new and improved bike lanes that are being installed across Bellevue. For more information about recent and upcoming projects, visit bellevuewa.gov/LevyBike.



WASHINGTON STATE BIKE LAWS

RCW	Code Description	NOTE: Helmet required by law in Bellevue
46.04.071	A Bicycle is defined as a human powered device with 2 wheels bigger than 16 inches.	46.61.755 A bicycle is a vehicle on the road or a pedestrian on the sidewalk.
46.60.169	Electric-assist bicycles permissible with no more than 1,000 watts of power and maximum speed of 20mph with or without assist.	46.61.758 Must signal turns with left hand (right-up, left-out, stop=down). But right-hand signal for right turn is an acceptable substitute.
46.61.050	Bicycles must obey traffic lights and stop signs (as well as all other traffic control devices).	46.61.760 Only one person per bicycle seat.
46.61.310	Overtaking on the left ("Safe passing").	46.61.765 Clinging to vehicles is illegal.
46.61.126	Bicycles & Pedestrians must follow traffic laws.	46.61.770 Ride as far to the right as is safe and practical except when turning or passing.
46.61.160	Bicycles cannot ride on some limited access highways.	46.61.775 Bicycles are not required to use a bike lane or shoulder.
46.61.261	Bikes forbidden: SR 520, I-405, I-90 (exit 0 to exit 17), I-5 (Lakewood to Marysville), parts of 18, 518, 522 & 599 and a few others.	46.61.777 Bicycles can and should use turn lanes.
46.61.700	A bicycle must yield to a pedestrian on a sidewalk or crosswalk.	46.61.778 Bicycles can ride on the left (with the traffic flow) on one-way streets.
46.61.710	Mopeds and gas powered bikes & scooters are not allowed on sidewalks or trails.	46.61.779 Can ride 2 abreast, not more.
46.61.710	Electric-assist bicycles allowed on sidewalks and trails but may be locally forbidden. (Note: As of this printing, Bellevue City Code does not prohibit this.)	46.61.779 Can legally take the lane if necessary.
46.61.750	Bicyclists riding on roads must obey all traffic laws.	46.61.775 Must have at least one hand on the handlebars at all times.
46.61.750	Bicyclists may be ticketed for violating traffic laws.	46.61.777 Cannot ride carrying anything with both hands while riding. Bikes must have brakes.
46.61.750	Traffic laws apply on bicycle trails too.	46.61.780 At night, bikes must have white light on front, red reflector on the back.
46.61.755	Bicycles have all the same rights and responsibilities as cars.	46.61.780 Steady or flashing red rear light may be used in addition to the reflector.
		46.61.790 Police may impound bicycle if you are too impaired.
		47.36.025 New and updated traffic signals must detect bicycles.

Adapted from posting at Washington Bikes website. For more information and full text, go to www.wabikes.org/resources and click on "Washington State Bicycle Laws."

As a bicyclist, you are responsible for understanding and following the current laws and rules of the road. This may not be a comprehensive or up to date summary of the laws that apply to bicyclists.

HELMETS: THE RIGHT FIT

NO! Cover forehead

NO! Tighten strap

NO! Wear correct size

YES!

- The straps on each side of your head should form a "V" over your ears, with one part of the strap in front of your ear, and one behind—just below your earlobes.
- If the helmet leans forward, adjust the rear straps. If it tilts backward, tighten the front straps.
- Buckle the chinstrap securely at your throat so that the helmet feels snug on your head and does not move up and down or from side to side.
- Always buy a new helmet. If you are in a crash and your helmet takes a hit, always replace it as it will not offer the same protection.

Helmets are required by law in Bellevue. Your helmet should fit on your head—make sure it is level and is not tilted back or forward. The front of the helmet should sit about one or two finger widths above your eyebrows to protect your forehead.

ABOUT CHOOSE YOUR WAY BELLEVUE

ChooseYourWayBellevue.org is an online shop for learning about all of your transportation options. Bellevue's transportation system offers a range of choices that provide people who live and work in Bellevue with alternative ways to get around town. We offer information and resources to help you choose the best alternative to driving alone. Go to www.ChooseYourWayBellevue.org to learn more.

Choose Your Way Bellevue Rewards is an online trip logging, rewards and ride matching program. You can earn rewards for using public transit, walking, or biking. Rewards are used to offset the cost of your next trip. Go to www.ChooseYourWayBellevue.org/rewards to learn more.

Choose Your Way Bellevue is a program of the Downtown Bellevue Association that connects Bellevue workers and residents with fellow commuters, and encourages them to share information and resources to help them choose the best alternative to driving alone. Go to www.ChooseYourWayBellevue.org to learn more.

FIND CHOOSE YOUR WAY BELLEVUE ON SOCIAL MEDIA—WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

- facebook.com/ChooseYourWayBellevue
- chooseyourwaybell
- info@chooseyourwaybell
- 800.925.5450
- www.ChooseYourWayBellevue.org

FREQUENT TRANSIT SERVICE

Routes Serving Bellevue, Spring 2020

- 245 Redmond - Overlake - Crossroads - Bellevue
- 246 Kirkland - Crossroads - Eastgate - Factoria
- 250 Redmond - Kirkland - Bellevue
- 255 Brinkyard - Totem Lake - Kirkland - Seattle
- 271 Eastgate - Bellevue - U. District
- 277 Redmond - Seattle
- 282 Bellevue - Seattle

WEEKDAY SERVICE FREQUENCIES (in minutes)

Peak	Off-Peak	Night
8-15	10-15	30-60

ALL SERVICES AT MAJOR HUBS

- BELLEVUE TRANSIT CENTER**
B Line: 226, 232, 237, 240, 241, 249, 250, 271, 282, 283, 285, 288, 289, 293, 295, 306, 346, 346, 567
- EASTGATE PARK & RIDE**
212, 216, 217, 218, 219, 221, 226, 240, 241, 245, 246, 271, 284, 355, 356
- FACTORIA**
240, 241, 245, 246
- SOUTH BELLEVUE (Park and Ride is closed)**
241, 249, 250, 355, 356, 560
- CROSSROADS**
B Line: 221, 226, 245
- OVERLAKE TRANSIT CENTER**
B Line: 232, 242, 245, 249
- REDMOND TRANSIT CENTER**
B Line: 221, 232, 250, 545
- KIRKLAND TRANSIT CENTER**
242, 249, 255, 540
- SOUTH KIRKLAND PARK & RIDE**
249, 250, 255, 540

- Frequent ### - All-Day ### - Peak Only

BELLEVUE BIKE MAP

Choose Your Way Bellevue

Additional Resources:

- Emergency: 911
- When needed, first call on a roadway or sidewalk that results in a crash or injury: 206-425-4500 (call 711 for non-emergency)
- City of Bellevue: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Police Department: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Fire Department: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Public Works: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Parks and Recreation: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Library: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Community Center: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Senior Center: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Youth Center: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Community College: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue University: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue High School: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Middle School: 206-425-4500
- Bellevue Elementary School: 206-425-4500