

Potomac Greens Drive Complete Streets Project



What's Happening? A new project on Potomac Greens Drive between Massey Lane and Carpenter Road will be implemented Spring/Summer 2015 to provide traffic calming, bicycle facilities and additional pedestrian safety improvements. The project includes:

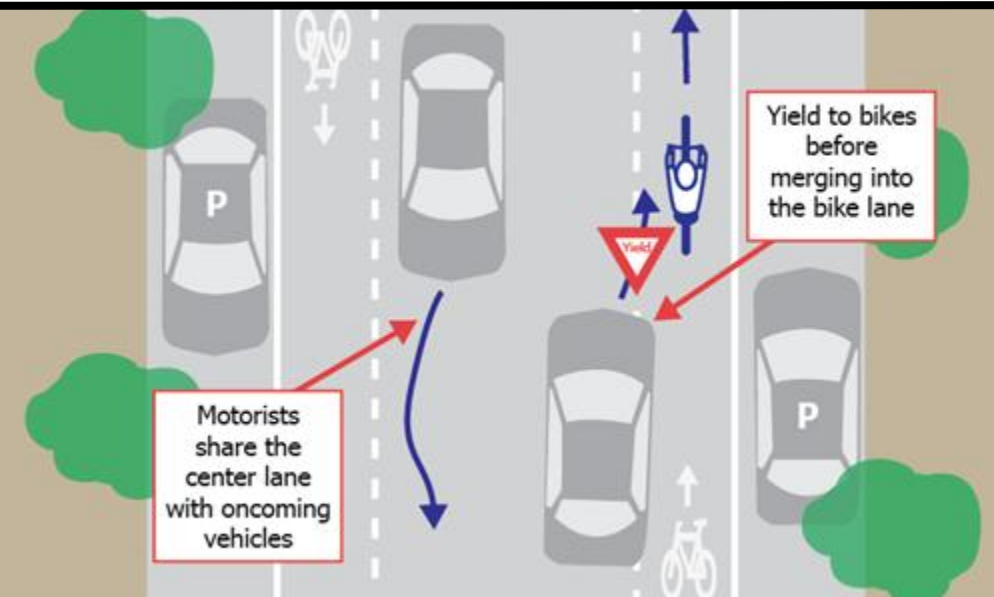
- A new crosswalk with a pedestrian actuated flashing sign near Fitzhugh Way will provide a safer crossing to the park across the street
- Advisory Bicycle Lanes on Potomac Greens Drive will provide both traffic calming as well as dedicated space for cyclists

What are Advisory Bike Lanes? They are bike lanes that create a space on the roadway for cyclists while visually narrowing streets to slow drivers. These bike lanes have a dashed outside lane instead of a solid stripe. A vehicle is permitted to cross this line and merge into the bike lane if they need additional space in the roadway, but only when it is safe; they must first **yield to any cyclists** in the bike lane before entering.

Community Engagement

- A joint homeowners' association meeting was held on 9/16/2014
- A Public hearing at the Alexandria Traffic & Parking Board was held on 2/23/2015

Project Website:
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Motorists share the center lane with oncoming vehicles

Yield to bikes before merging into the bike lane