

## **Neighborhood Notification: Bicycle Improvements on** 7th Street from University Drive to Lincoln Street

As part of the Street Transportation Department's core mission, we strive to improve the City's roadways to create a safe and efficient transportation network. Our ongoing pavement maintenance program provides opportunities to change the current traffic lane striping to improve safety for people who walk, drive, ride bicycles and use transit.

## **About the Project**

Where: 7th Street from University Drive to Lincoln Street.

What: Where there is enough space on the roadway, buffered bicycle lanes will be added.

**When:** Pavement maintenance (new asphalt) is scheduled for Winter 2021 and traffic lane improvements will happen shortly after.

**Why:** Buffered bike lanes add space between people driving and people walking or biking for increased protection from vehicles, improved safety and added comfort. Additionally, the slight narrowing of the lane widths to accommodate the bike lanes will help to guide cars and deter speeding. The proposed bicycle lanes also provide connectivity between nearby bicycle lanes.

