

Venice Bikeway Network

Survey Results



Motivation for Venice Bikeway Network

- 5x more people bike in Venice vs. Los Angeles City average
- 2035 Mobility Plan Bicycle Network for Venice shown on the right. We need a more comprehensive network



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Survey: <https://forms.gle/Tw6nn1vBV5pppCsba>

Hi everyone, just wanted to let you know that the Venice Neighborhood Council has put out a bike network survey to explore expanding and upgrading bike routes in the neighborhood. We'd love your input.



Help Shape the Future of Biking in Venice
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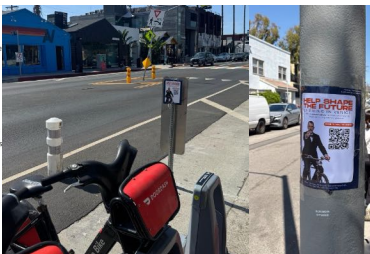

The Venice Neighborhood Council's Parking, Transportation & Infrastructure Committee are working on a proposal to improve Venice's Bikeway Network, and they want your input!

Complete this two minute survey to share your thoughts on the proposed changes to the Bikeway network in Venice.


The purpose of this survey is to converge on a Bikeway Network Proposal that serves the stakeholders of Venice and can be formally presented to the VNC board. Once the network is adopted, then next phase will be to assess what features (roadway markings etc) will be needed to increase the safety of each link of the network. These recommendations may also need to go to the VNC. Ideally, city agencies will have to agree and implement the recommended safety features over time.

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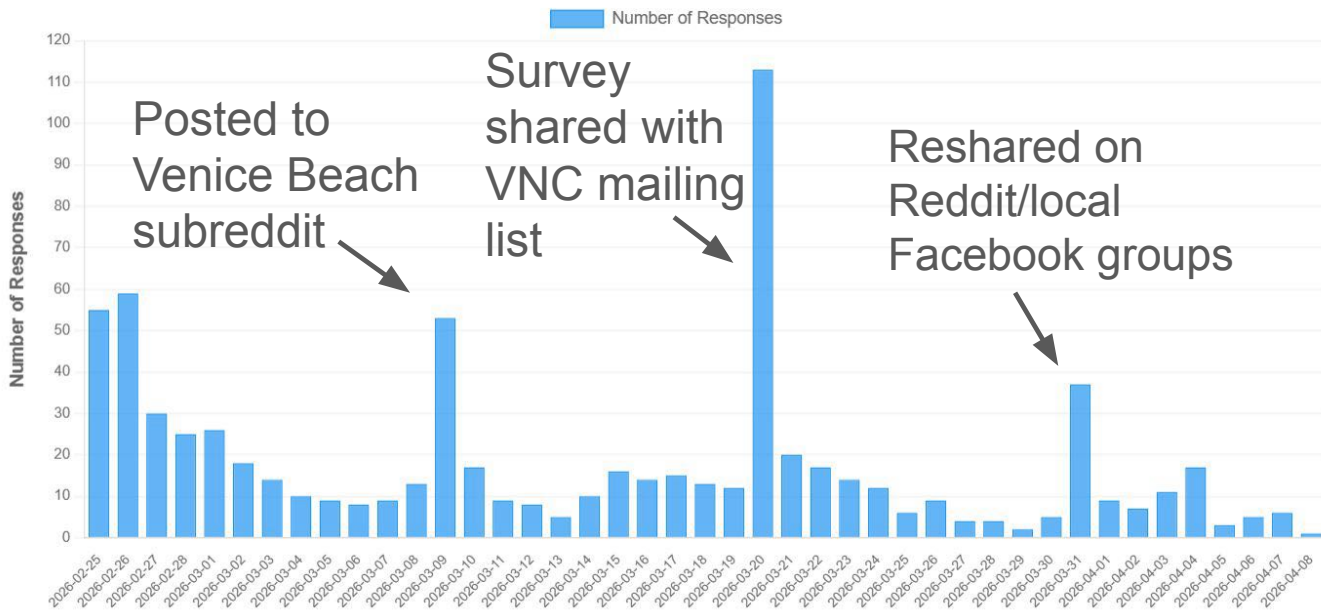
Questions? Comments? Concerns? Reach out to the Parking, Transportation & Infrastructure committee at pti@veniceca.org

Take the Survey
— Complete this 2-minute survey to provide your input on the proposed update to the Venice Bikeway Network. This existing proposal expands the Venice Bikeway Network to encourage safer bicycle use throughout Venice. Follow [this link](#) to take the survey.

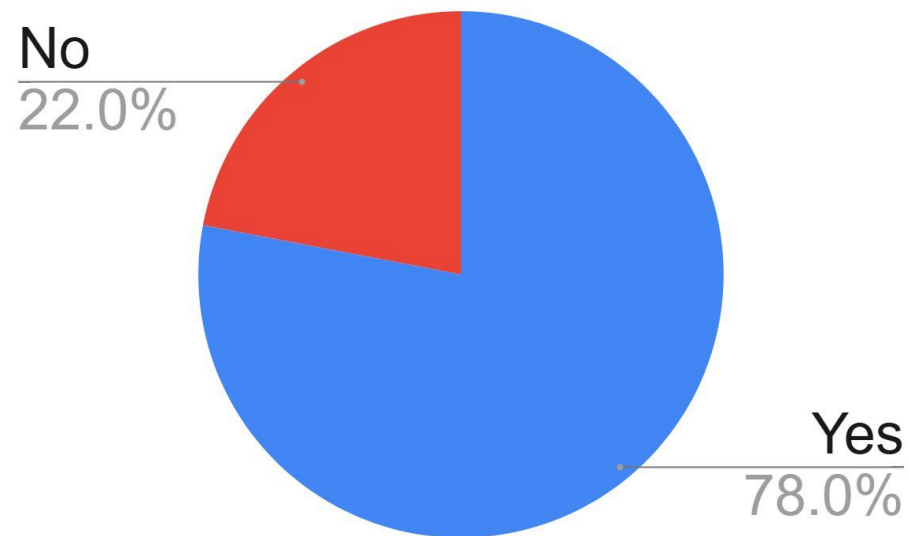


Survey shared through VNC meeting/website/ mailing list, Nextdoor, Facebook, Reddit, Instagram, flyers in neighborhood hotspots, schools



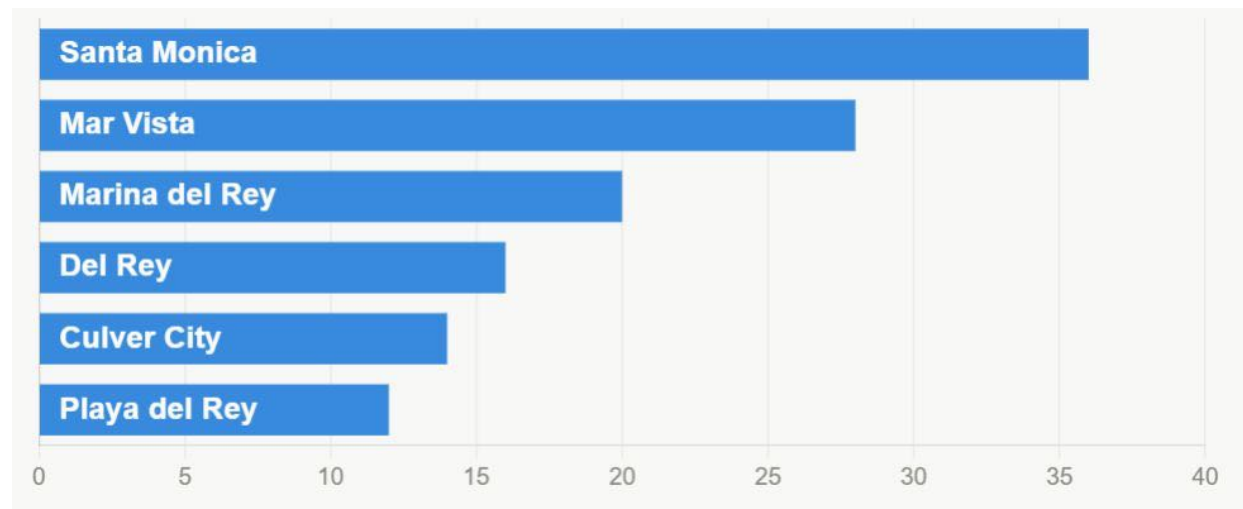
749 responses received over 6 weeks

Do you live or work in Venice?



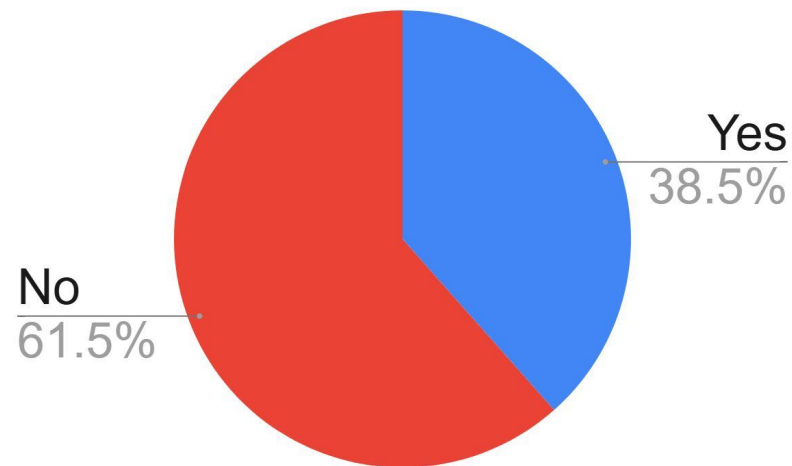
Three quarters of respondents live or work in Venice

If you don't live or work in Venice, where do you live?



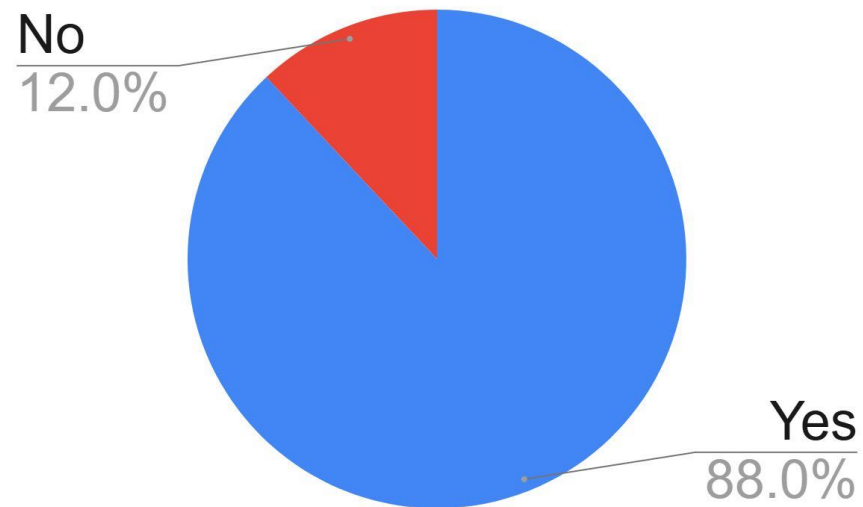
Top areas: Santa Monica, Mar Vista, Marina Del Rey

Do you live on one of the proposed Venice Bikeway Network streets?



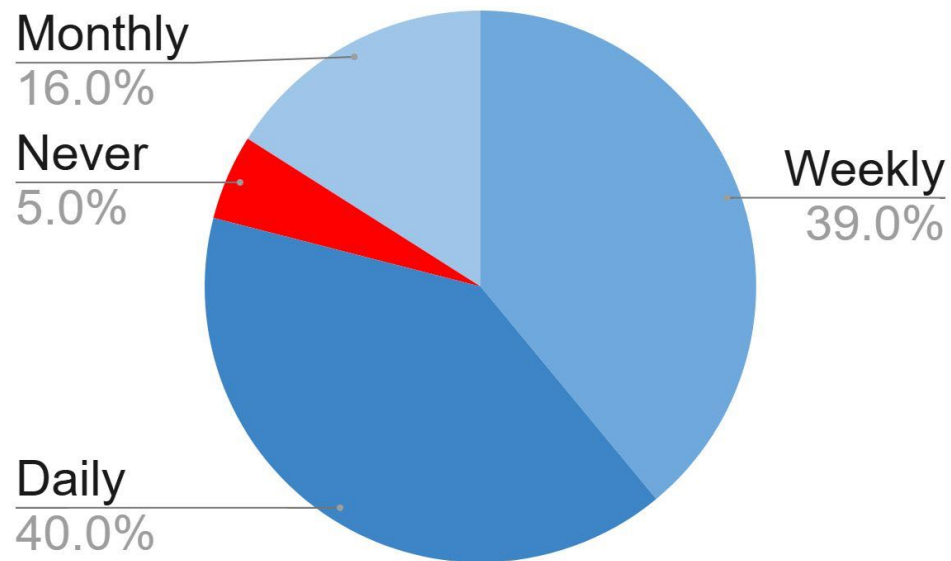
Impressive response from Venetians on bikeway streets

Do you own a car?



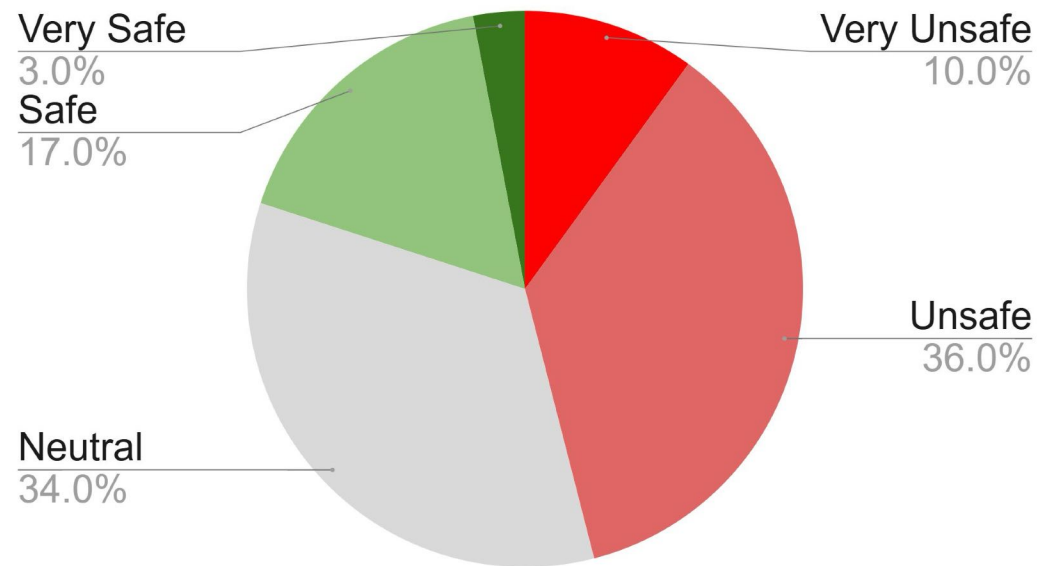
1 in 8 Venetians need non-car ways to travel

How often do you use a bicycle to get around Venice?



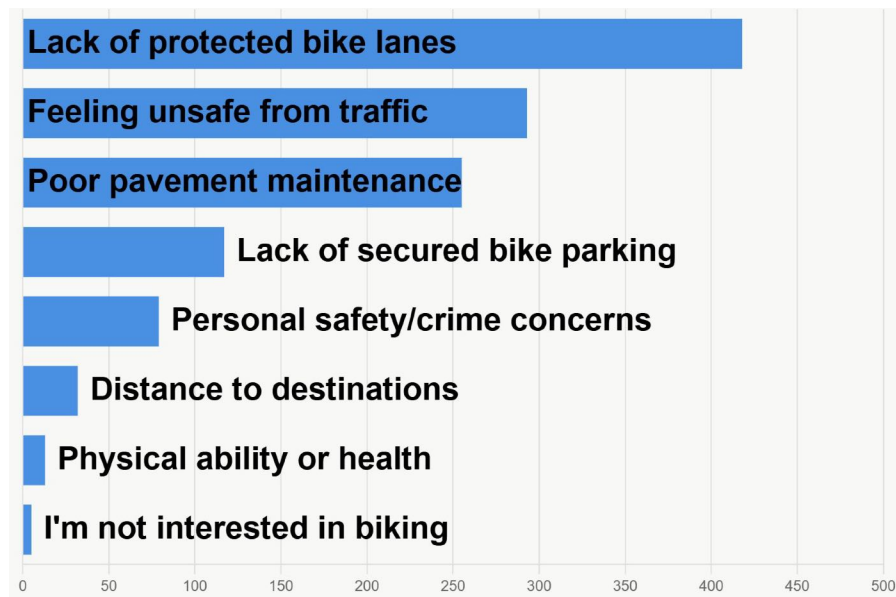
Respondents often use bicycles to get around

How safe do you feel biking on the streets in Venice?



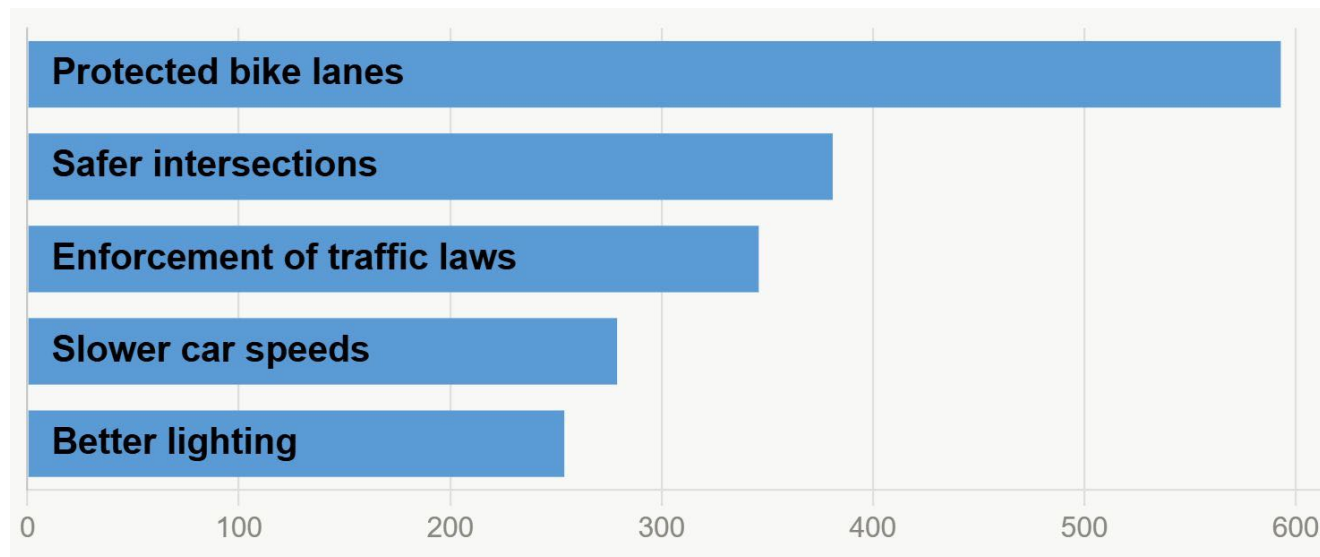
Even those that do cycle often feel unsafe

What prevents you from biking more often?



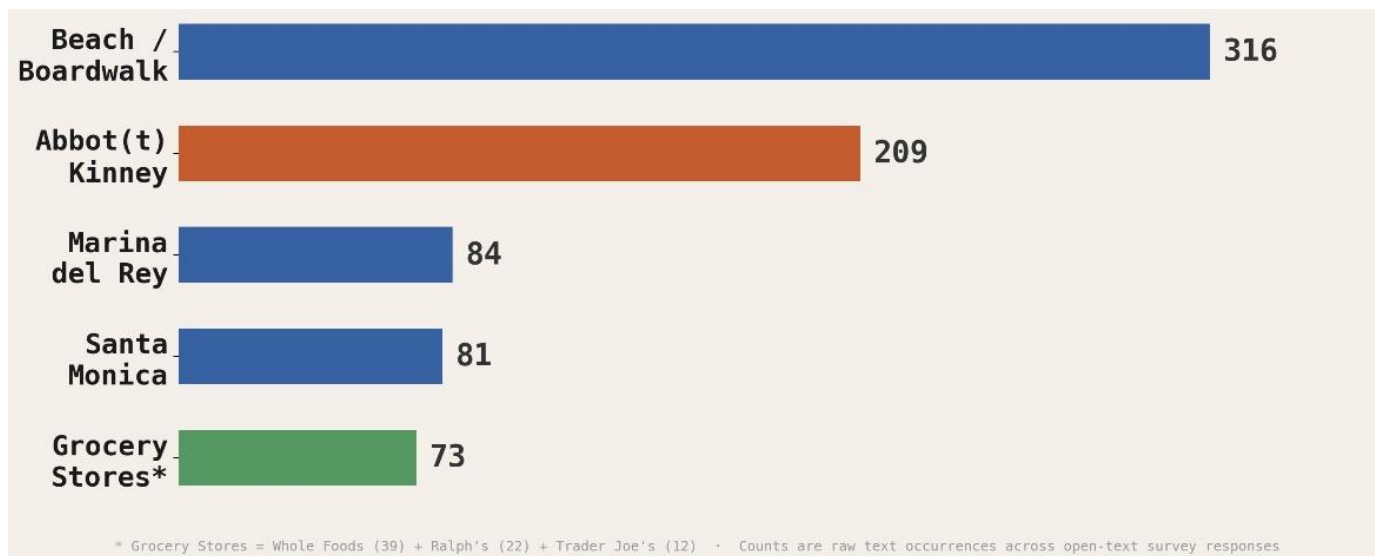
Lack of protected bike lanes is the #1 reason

Which conditions would make you feel safer?



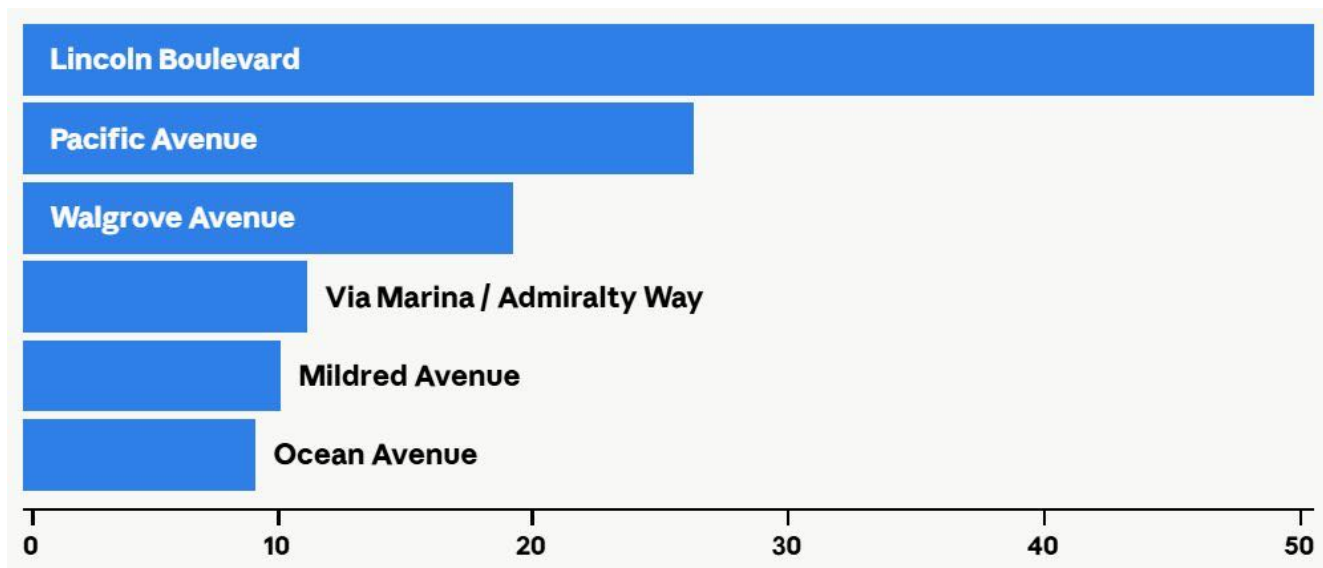
Crossing major intersections safely is also a major concern

Where do you travel in Venice?



Trips include by bike and car

What streets would you like to see added?



More north-south routes requested

Summary of Comments

Top Upgrade Requests:

- Washington Boulevard - Physically protected bike lanes is the most requested upgrade
- Venice Boulevard - Upgrade its full length to protected bike lanes
- Major Intersections - Make intersections safer for cyclists, Lincoln Blvd and Pacific Avenue, especially, where bikeways cross them

Summary of Comments

Other Notable Themes

- Venice's coastal bike path needs to be kept swept, widened, and pedestrians given their own walkway (like Santa Monica's section)
- Enforcement is needed of speeding vehicles along and in bikeways
- More maintenance is needed (pavement, potholes, path sweeping)
- Bike theft and is a major concern preventing more bike use

Pre-Survey Venice Bike Network



Recommended Venice Bikeway Network

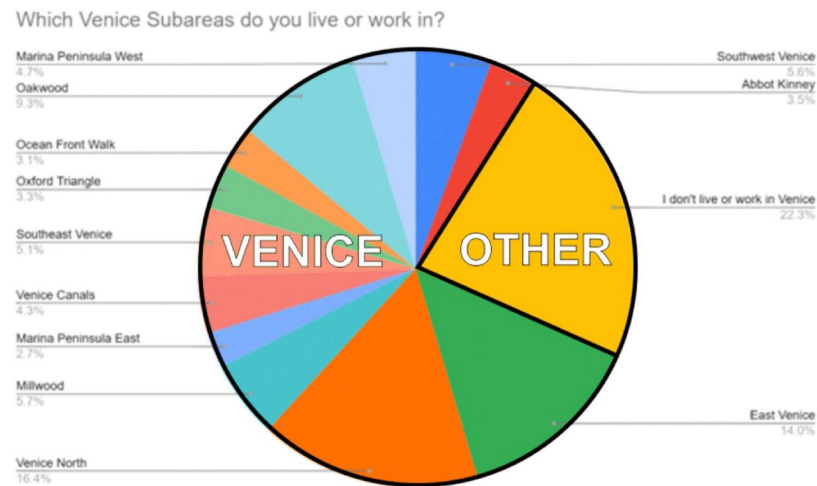
Post Survey

Given community input, the Venice Neighborhood Council Parking, Transportation and Infrastructure Committee would like to propose the following map as the Venice Bikeway Network



Backup Slides

Which Venice Subareas do you live or work in?



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