



Description and benefits

Since the SR 520 Floating Bridge Trail opened in late 2017, bicycle traffic on the portion of the trail running through Bellevue has increased more than 140%.

This project is a collaboration between the City of Bellevue, City of Redmond and state Department of Transportation. The spot improvements at three busy intersections where people now bicycle on busy city streets – alongside vehicle traffic, rather than on trail segments exclusively for pedestrians and bicyclists – will make it safer and more comfortable for riders.

The project will improve safety for people riding on the corridor and make them more visible to drivers.

What to expect

Improvements will focus on the following intersections:

1. Northrup Way and 108th Avenue NE:
 - Restripe Northrup to add bike box for westbound bicyclists.
 - Add westbound-to-northbound right turn pocket for vehicles.
 - Reconstruct curb ramps on south side of Northrup Way.
 - Add green pavement markings to increase visibility.
2. Northrup Way and NE 24th Street:
 - Add bike signal for eastbound riders.

- Repurpose second eastbound lane on Northrup Way underneath SR520 bridge.
- Repurpose second westbound lane on Northrup Way to extend westbound bike lane under SR520 bridge.

3. 148th Avenue NE and NE 29th Place:

- Add bike signal for new diagonal bike crossing through intersection.

Construction at the three intersections will require closing vehicle and bicycle lanes at times. Work hours will vary depending on location and may include daytime, nighttime and weekend lane closures for both drivers and bicyclists.

Timeline

Construction work was delayed and is now expected to begin in spring 2021 and last for approximately three months. The construction schedule is subject to further change. Subscribe to receive traffic alerts at BellevueWA.gov/trafficadvisories.

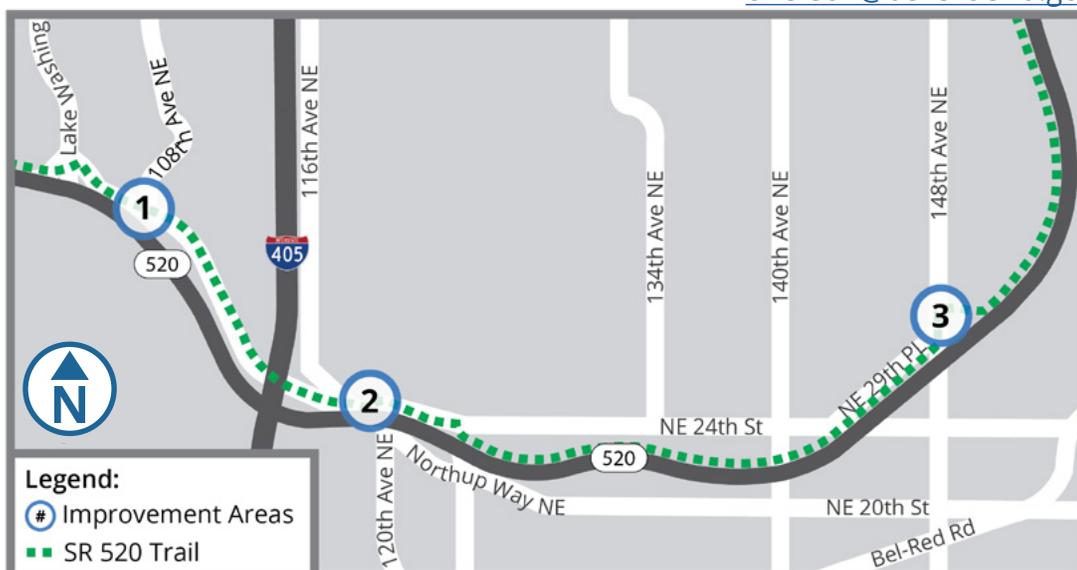
Funding

The total cost of the project is approximately \$650,000, partially funded by the voter-approved Neighborhood Safety, Connectivity and Congestion Levy, and by the city's Capital Investment Program.

Information

BellevueWA.gov/levybike

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Legend:

- ① Improvement Areas
- SR 520 Trail



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