

# Sharrows show the way

Portland is creating a citywide network of safe, traffic calmed streets where people on foot, on bike and at play are given priority. These “neighborhood greenways” will help improve the health, sustainability and livability of our city.

You’ll know you’re on one of these streets when you see a “sharrow”, a white symbol showing two arrows and a bike. Yes, you can still drive and park on these streets.

Sharrows do not designate a particular part of the street for the exclusive use of people riding bikes. Instead they highlight the presence of bikes and remind everyone to share the road safely.

## When on a street with sharrows:

- Motorists should be alert for people riding bikes
- Motorists should pass bicyclists slowly and carefully
- Bicyclists use the sharrow to guide where to ride
- Don’t ride too close to parked cars
- Always follow the rules of the road no matter where you ride or drive

To see a map of Portland’s neighborhood greenway routes and learn more, go to [neighborhoodgreenway.com](http://neighborhoodgreenway.com). Thank you!

