



BE PREDICTABLE Ride so drivers can see you and predict your movements. Remember that rules in the drivers manual apply to bicyclists also.

BE EQUIPPED Always wear a helmet. It's the law for 17 year-olds and younger. Wear highly visible clothing and use lights when riding at night.



RIDE IN THE DIRECTION OF TRAFFIC Never ride against traffic.

DO NOT RIDE ON SIDEWALKS Riding a bike is prohibited on sidewalks in downtown Woodland and other places with high pedestrian use.

OBEY TRAFFIC SIGNS, SIGNALS AND LAWS Bicyclists must follow the same laws as motorists. Stop at red lights and stop signs just as you would in a car.



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USE HAND SIGNALS

Hand signals tell others what you intend to do. Signal as a matter of courtesy and of self-protection.

SCAN THE ROAD AROUND YOU

Look ahead and anticipate what other traffic is likely to do. Learn to look back over your shoulder without losing your balance or swerving.



SHARROWS Short for "Shared Lane Markings," these pavement symbols indicate the best lane position for cyclists to avoid possible collisions with car doors, usually in a lane that is too narrow for cars to pass bikes safely.

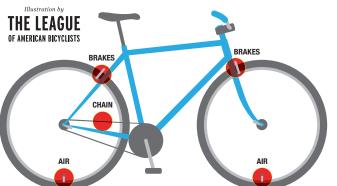


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has designated Woodland as a bronze level Bicycle Friendly Community. The award is given only to cities with a strong commitment to the promotion bicycling within their community.

AS SIMPLE AS ABC

- A: AIR If your tires give a bit when you press with your thumb, they need some air.
- B: BRAKES When you squeeze your brakes hard, you should still be able to fit your thumb between the brake levers and the handlebars. Check that your brake pads aren't worn out - if they are, replace them.
- C: CHAIN, CRANK, CASSETTE Make sure your chain is running smoothly - lightly oiled and free of rust and gunk - by spinning it backwards a few revolutions.





USE THIS MAP TO PLAN A GOOD BICYCLING ROUTE

Bicycling is most enjoyable when you can find a route that avoids high-traffic streets, and takes advantage of bike lanes (space on streets set aside for bikes), and off-street bike paths. ocal streets shown in white on this map are generally low traffic, except for some in the downtown area. Busy streets are shown in gray and light blue. When planning your route, find intersections across busier streets with traffic signals (indicated with symbol). Recommended routes for cross-town travel are darker blue (less busy streets with bike lanes), and yellow dashed lines (Woodland Bike Loop). Enjoy the ride!

CYCLING TO WORK CAN CUT CANCER AND HEART DISEASE P TO 50%, SAYS STUDY!

The biggest study into the issue linked regular cycling with halving the risk of cancer and heart disease

The five-year study compared people who had an "active" commute with those who were mostly stationary.

During the course of the study, regular cycling cut the risk of death from any cause by 41%, the incidence of cancer by 45% and heart disease by 46%.

The cyclists clocked an average of 30 miles per week, but the further they cycled the greater the health boon.

Ref: British Medical Journal 2017 http://www.bbc.com/sport/get-inspired/2906404

LOCKING YOUR To lock your bike, use a u-shaped

lock. Secure the frame to an immovable object or bike rack. Avoid leaving your bike outside overnight or in the sun/rain all day.



LOADING YOUR BIKE ON BUSES WITH FRONT RACKS

Travel car-free with your bicycle to Davis, Sacramento, West Sacramento, and SMF Airport on Yolobus, route 42A/42B. Use the bike rack on the front of the bus. For routes, stop locations and schedules,

WHY BIKE?

Walking and bicycling bring a sen of joy and independence.

traffic congestion, boosting a sense of community, and improving neighborhood connections benefits everyone!

HEALTHIER HABITS A bike trip is a fun way to get the physical activity and psychological benefits we all need.

Reducing car trips to work and school with bicycling reduces traffic congestion and pollution.

TY Building sidewalks, providing educational programs and adding traffic calming measures are some Biking to work, school and shopping builds support for infrastructure improvements.

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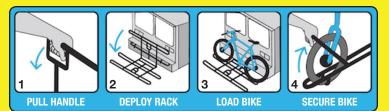


When you shake your head from side to side, a correctly fitted helmet will stav in place.

- 2: Two-fingers width between eyebrows and helmet.
- V: Side straps make a "Y" below the ear.
- 1: One finger between your chin & the strap.

Make sure you have the driver's attention before loading your bike. Let them know where you plan to get off the bus.

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