

& EMERGENCIES

01 IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY Call **9-1-1** or tell someone else to call for you

02 IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN A CRASH

- >> Call **9-1-1** or tell someone else to call for you
- If you are in pain, stay put. Moving yourself or someone who is injured could cause even more injury.
- >> If your crash involves a car, make sure you get (1) the driver's name and contact info
- (2) license plate number
- (3) insurance info >> Get an incident report number from the police officer at the scene
- 03 REPORT A ROAD HAZARD OR CLOSE CALL INCIDENT Visit **bloomington.in.gov/ureport** to report close calls, potholes, glass, and other dangerous conditions.



Registering your bike can assist you in recovering your bike if it's stolen. Register your bike through Indiana University for \$10

at the Parking Operations office located in the Henderson Parking Garage, 301 S. Indiana Ave., or FREE through the City of Bloomington Controllers Office, 401 N. Morton St., Suite 240.

BIKÉ?



- U-Locks are best, followed by heavy-duty cable/key locks Securely lock both wheels and frame to a bike rack,
- at the very least lock your front wheel
- Lock your bike where a thief is more apt to be noticed, ie: a busy intersection
- » Bicycles that are registered have a much greater chance of being returned

BIKING at NIGHT

If drivers can see you, they are less likely to hit you. Visibility is key. Wear bright

blinking lights and try to wear reflective clothing.



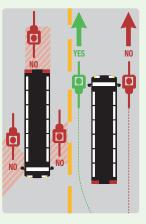
Every Bloomington Transit bus has & RIDE a bike rack that carries up to two bicycles at no additional charge. Simply flip the rack down, load your bike and secure the front wheel with the support arm. Board the bus and

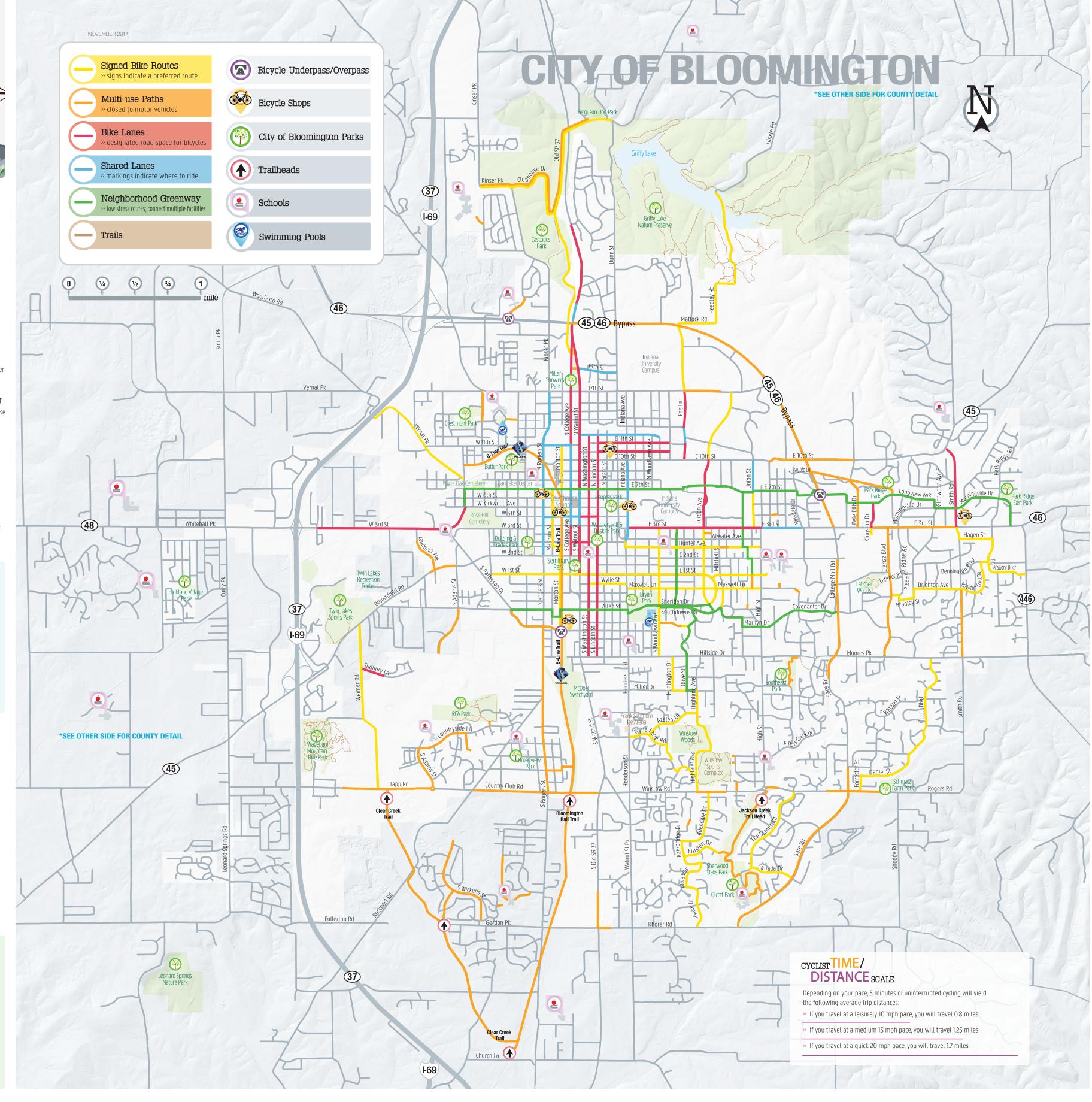


enjoy the ride!

Bus drivers have blind spots to their rear and right. Pass on the left so you don't get squeezed against the curb if the bus is pulling

over or turning right.

















pets who can often be unpredictable.

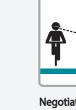


Sidewalk, Ride Bikes on Your movement affects other the Street drivers. Let them know what you Walking your bike keeps our intend to do. Signal as a manner sidewalks clear for safe and of self-protection and courtesy. comfortable walking.





Scan behind you to check for other vehicles prior to changing lanes. Scan the road ahead for pedestrians, hazards, car doors,

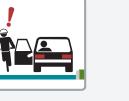


Negotiate with Drivers Communicate with drivers as a manner of safety. Signal and make eye contact with them. Assume they don't see you until they make eye

contact with you.



Use Caution at Intersections The majority of crashes happen at intersections. Make sure you are visible, signal your intentions, be prepared to











safe position. Stay behind traffic at

intersections in case other vehicles

turn right with no warning.





See and Be Seen For safety and courtesy, use lights at night. The law requires the use of a white front light visible from at least 500 feet away and a rear red light visible from 500 feet away.



State law says bicyclists may not ride more than two abreast except on paths or parts of roadways set aside for the exclusive use of bicycles. Riding single file when being passed is courteous to other road users.



- » Bike Shops with Rentals » Bike Shops
- » BICYCLE DOCTOR 8551 W. Gardner Rd. Bloomington, IN 47403 812-825-5050
- >> BICYCLE GARAGE, INC. 507 E. Kirkwood Ave. Bloomington, IN 47408 812-339-3457
- tools to fix your own bike. 214 N Madison St. Bloomington, IN 47404
- and the B-Line Trail > REVOLUTION BIKE AND BEAN 401 E. 10th St. Bloomington, IN 47408 812-336-0241

Also located at Grimes Ln.

> SALT CREEK CYCLES 4001 E. 3rd St. #6 Bloomington, IN 47401 812-334-2453



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An initiative of the League of American FRIENDLY Bicyclists, the Bicycle Friendly America program is "a tool for states, communities, businesses and universities to make bicycling

a real transportation and recreation option for all people." Bloomington was the first League designated Bicycle Friendly Community in Indiana and is proud to be recognized as a Gold rated community.

The following local organizations have also been recognized by the League





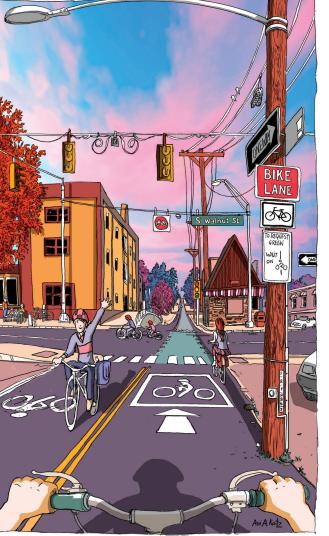








BLOOMINGTON / MONROE COUNTY BICYCLE MAP



Bloomington, Indiana A COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON AND MONROE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS ADDITIONAL GRANT FLINDING PROVIDED BY THE INDIANA GREENWAYS FOLINDATION

