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Austin Transportation Department

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To Stakeholder, Property Owner, or Resident:

In response to requests by area residents, the Austin Transportation Department (ATD) is assessing a new street configuration to provide for a shared use pathway along Old Cedar Lane and Willow Wild Drive to better accommodate people using the street by walking and riding a bicycle. You are receiving this notification because you live on and/or own property adjacent to Old Cedar Lane and/or Willow Wild Drive in Austin, Texas or are otherwise registered as a stakeholder in the area.

Usted está recibiendo esta notificación porque vive cerca de Old Cedar Lane o Willow Wild Drive, es dueño de propiedad cerca de Old Cedar Lane o Willow Wild Drive, o es parte interesada de Old Cedar Lane o Willow Wild Drive en Austin, Texas. Si necesita un documento traducido en español, llame a (512) 974-7092.

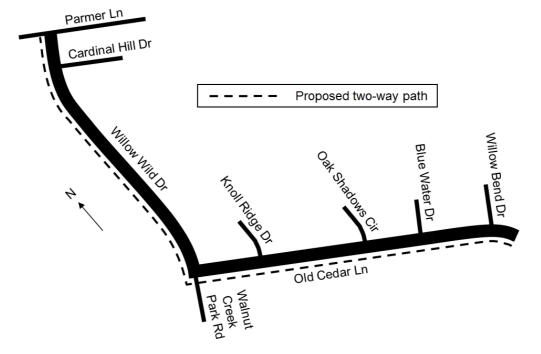
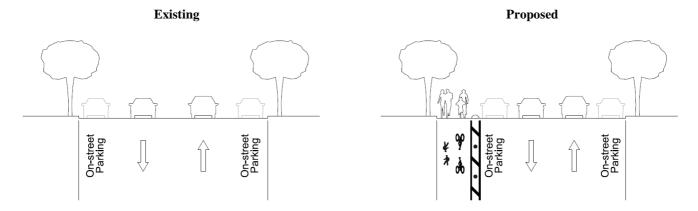


Figure 1 – Old Cedar Lane / Willow Wild Drive Project Area

Typical proposed striping along Willow Wild Drive and Old Cedar Lane is proposed to have a protected, two-way shared use path on one side of the street with parking and travel lanes retained for both directions as shown in Figure 2. Parking will be restricted on Willow Wild Drive from Parmer Lane to 130 feet south of Parmer Lane on the west side of the street to allow for transition features. Design features will allow motor vehicle access through the two-way path to residence driveways.

Figure 2 – Typical Cross Sections for Old Cedar Lane and Willow Wild Drive



Examples of similar projects that have been implemented in other parts of Austin are shown below in Figures 3a and 3b. Protected bikeways and shared use pathways are used to provide more separation between road users in order to improve predictability and comfort for all users of the street.

Figure 3a – Two-Way Protected Bicycle Lane on Bluebonnet Lane, Austin TX



Figure 3b – Shared Use Path on Arroyo Seco, Austin TX



In order to ensure the most appropriate allocation of street space, ATD is seeking feedback from local residents and other users of this street prior to determining final plans. You can obtain additional information about this mobility project and provide feedback at an **open house from 6-7pm on November 1**st at River Oaks Elementary located at 12401 Scofield Farms Dr, Austin, TX 78758. Feedback based on local experience frequently results in improvements to initial project proposals. If necessary, modifications to this proposal can be made after input is received at the open house.

If you cannot attend this open house and have questions or comments, please contact Jesse Duncan at 512-974-7824 or Jesse.Duncan@austintexas.gov.

Sincerely,

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