Complete Streets 101

Dallas, TX
Source: City of Dallas
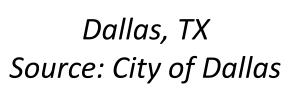

Austin, TX
Source: Smart Growth America

What are Complete Streets?

- "Streets designed to and operated to enable safe use and support mobility for all users." (USDOT)

- Emphasis on roadway safety and increased support of complete streets project throughout the USA

- Approaches to complete streets vary considerably

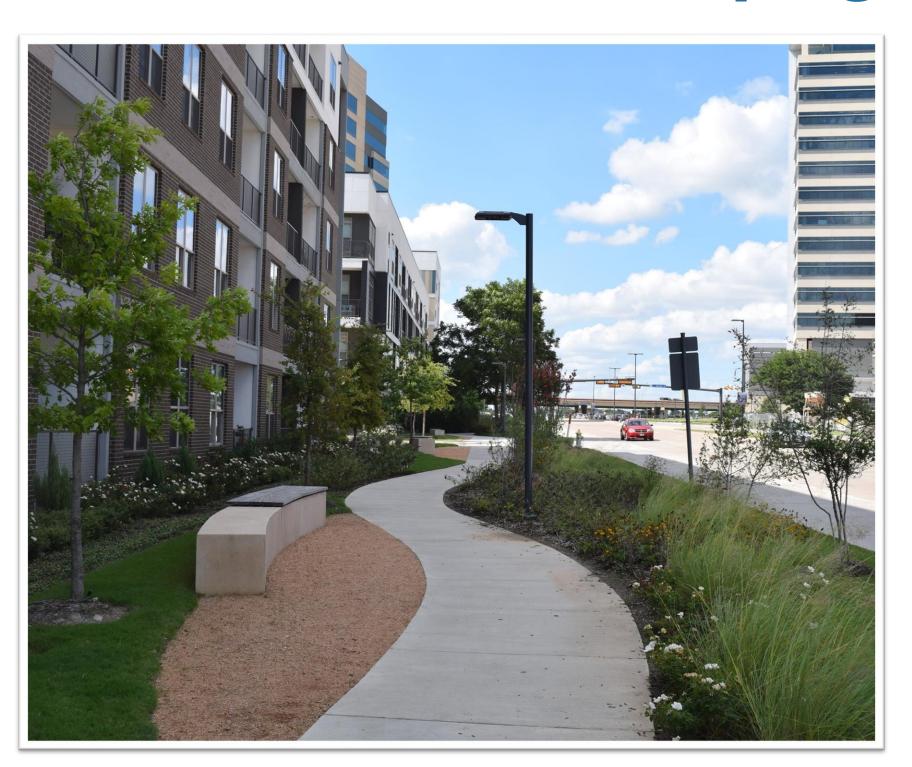- Accommodating all users equitably, curbside access and loading

Common Attributes of Complete Streets

- Sidewalks
- Bike lanes
- Bus lanes and stops
- Lighting
- Parklets
- Benches
- ADA accessible
- Landscaping
- Curb extensions
- Pedestrian refuge islands
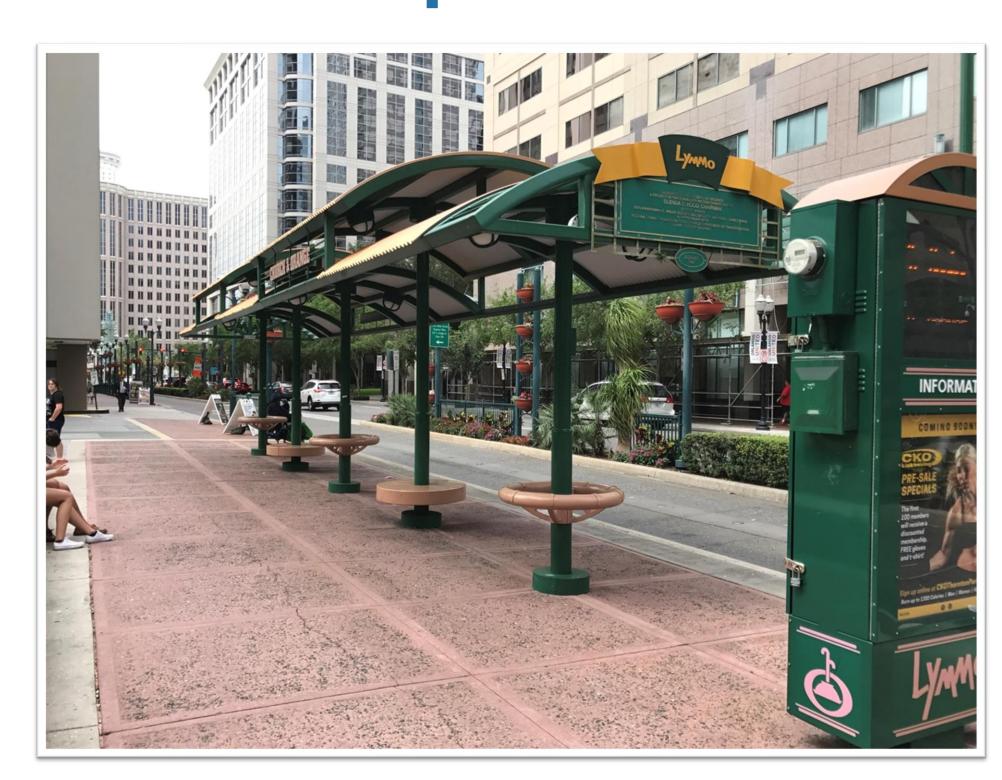- Comprehensive traffic signal systems

Bike Lanes

Bus Stops and Lanes

ADA Accessibility

Benches and Landscaping

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Pedestrian Refuge Islands