BICYCLE LANE
A bicycle lane designates a portion of the roadway for exclusive bicycle use through a dedicated lane, markings, and signage. Bicycle lanes are typically located between the curb and travel lane or on a trail lane. Bicycle lanes are the preferred facility for most bikers.

SHARED ROADWAY
A shared roadway accommodates both vehicular and bicycle traffic by sharing a travel lane. These lanes may include “Share the Roadway” signage, “Share the Roadway” painted markings, or both. Lanes operate on the principle that bicyclists are already allowed on most streets. A shared roadway is typically used on a roadway where bicycle traffic is rarely seen and lane widths is insufficient for a full bike lane. Motorists must maneuver around bicyclists. Shared roadway are the most common type of bicycle facility in use today.

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