

TYPES OF BIKE FACILITIES



BIKE LANE:

On-road striped lane with bicycle markings between 4-6 feet wide for use by bicyclists. Bike lanes are one-way facilities in the direction of traffic flow. You can find bike lanes on Clover Hill Road and Prince William Street.



SIGNED SHARED ROADWAY:

Signed bicycle route with shared lane markings – or sharrows – that are placed in the middle of the rightmost travel lane on a roadway with a speed limit of 25 miles per hour. This alerts both motorists and bicyclists to share the roadway. Examples of signed shared roadways in the city include Portner Avenue and Signal Hill Road.



SHARED USE PATH:

Multi-use, paved trail up to 10 feet wide designed for two-way travel by people walking, running, rolling, or bicycling. Most of the city's shared use paths, such as the Godwin Trail, are located parallel to a roadway. Others, such as the Winter's Branch Trail, are in a city park or provide local street connections.

MAINTENANCE



Inspect your bicycle regularly to check that it is safe and working properly. Ensure that tires have sufficient air pressure, brakes are working properly, and chains are responsive to gear switches. Check that a white front light is sufficiently bright and red rear reflector is visible for nighttime riding. A free repair station and air pump are available at our Bike Friendly Station at the entrance of the Downtown parking garage.

PARKING YOUR BIKE



Currently, public U-racks are available at 29 locations throughout the city, including at public buildings, parks, and schools, as well as sheltered bike racks at the Manassas VRE Station. Place your bike alongside and parallel to the U-rack and secure with a bike lock.

PARKING E-SCOOTERS



Electric scooters should be parked standing upright out of the way of foot, motor, and bicycle traffic. This can be on the edge of a sidewalk or paved shared-use path parallel to the direction of traffic. In the Downtown core area, scooters should be parked next to a bike rack at City Hall, Harris Pavilion, Train Depot, or Manassas Museum.

BIKE TO TRANSIT



DOWNTOWN BIKE LOCKERS

Scan the QR code for instructions on how to use the free bike lockers located at the entrance to the downtown parking garage.



TAKE YOUR BIKE ON THE VRE

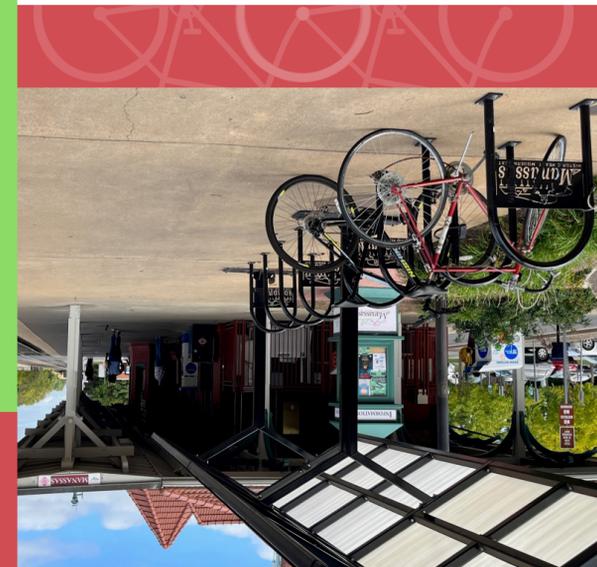
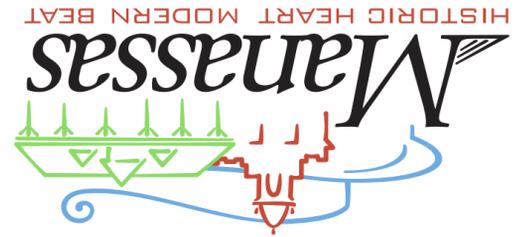
Bicycles are permitted onboard all VRE trains. Scan the QR code to view VRE's bicycle policy.



OMNI RACK-N-RIDE

Scan the QR code to learn about how to load and unload your bike on an OmniRide bus, as well as which buses are equipped with bike racks.

BIKE MAP



BIKE SAFELY



WEAR A HELMET

Helmets are strongly recommended for persons of all ages to reduce the risk of serious brain injury from a bicycle fall or crash.



SIGNAL BEFORE TURNING

Use hand signals in advance of an intersection to alert others before turning right or left.



LOOK BEHIND

Check behind you before moving laterally, changing lanes, or making a turn. In dense traffic, cross one lane at a time, scanning and signaling each time.



PASS ON THE LEFT

Use caution when passing motor vehicles, bicyclists, or pedestrians on the right.



SHARING THE ROAD

Ride in the right-most travel lane when not passing or turning. Avoid riding too close to the curb or gutter to stay clear of hazards. Ride outside of the door zone (leave a 5-foot gap) when passing parked cars. Motorists must give a clearance of at least 3 feet when passing bicyclists, by law. If the lane is too narrow for vehicles to safely pass, take control of the lane by riding in the center.



KEEP TO THE RIGHT

Always ride on the right side of the roadway and with traffic flow. Never ride against traffic.



SHARING THE TRAIL

Be courteous and moderate your speeds in the presence of pedestrians and slower bicyclists and whenever the trail is crowded. Clearly and audibly announce at least 2-3 seconds in advance before passing pedestrians or bicyclists on a shared-use path or sidewalk.



RIDE PREDICTABLY

Ride in a straight line. Do not weave in and out between parked vehicles.



STAND OUT

Consider wearing bright, reflective clothing to make yourself more visible to drivers. One or more white headlights and red rear reflectors and/or trail lights are required after dark and can also improve visibility in daylight.



FOLLOW THE RULES OF THE ROAD

Bicyclists must follow all traffic laws for drivers when traveling on the roadway. Obey all traffic signals, signs, and pavement markings.



RAILROAD CROSSINGS

Always cross railroad tracks at a right angle perpendicular to the tracks.

DIRECTORY

In the event of an emergency, dial 911

REPORT SCOOTER CONCERNS

- hello@bird.co
- (866) 205-2442
- Or report through the Bird app

PARKS, CULTURE & RECREATION

- www.manassasva.gov/parks
- (703) 368-1873

REPORT BIKE THEFT

Manassas City Police Department

- (703) 257-8000

VISITOR CENTER

- info@historicmanassasinc.org
- (703) 361-6599

Request a bike rack or trail connection through Manassas Connect!

You can also request trail maintenance via this portal.

Download the Manassas Connect app, use the QR code below, or go to use.govoutreach.com/manassascityva



Top row (L to R): Bike to Work Day; Richmond Ave; Winter's Branch Trail
Bottom row (L to R): Bike Friendly Station; Gateway Blvd Trail; Portner Ave

Learn more about the history of Manassas by visiting the Manassas Museum! Here, you will also find maps showing our parks system and historic trails. The museum is located at 9101 Prince William Street, across from the Downtown Parking Garage and Train Depot. Also be sure to check out our new storybook trail located adjacent to Metz Middle School.

Check out our Long-Range Bike Network Plan, located in the Mobility Chapter of the city's 2040 Comprehensive Plan. Since the adoption of the Plan in February 2020, Manassas has added over 15 miles of bicycle facilities. The bike network continues to be expanded each year!



This map was developed by the City of Manassas Transportation Planning Program. This program works to implement the mobility goals of the city's Comprehensive Plan by identifying and responding to the transportation needs of the community. Please reach out to us with feedback on ways to improve our bicycle network in the city by calling 703-257-8235.

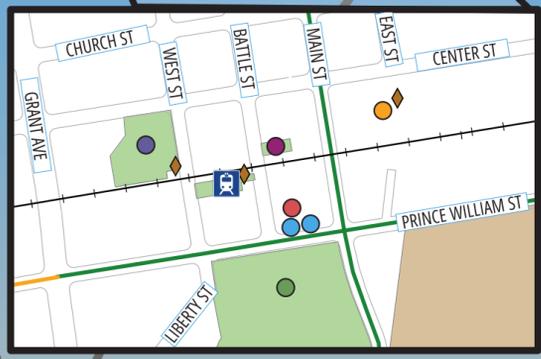
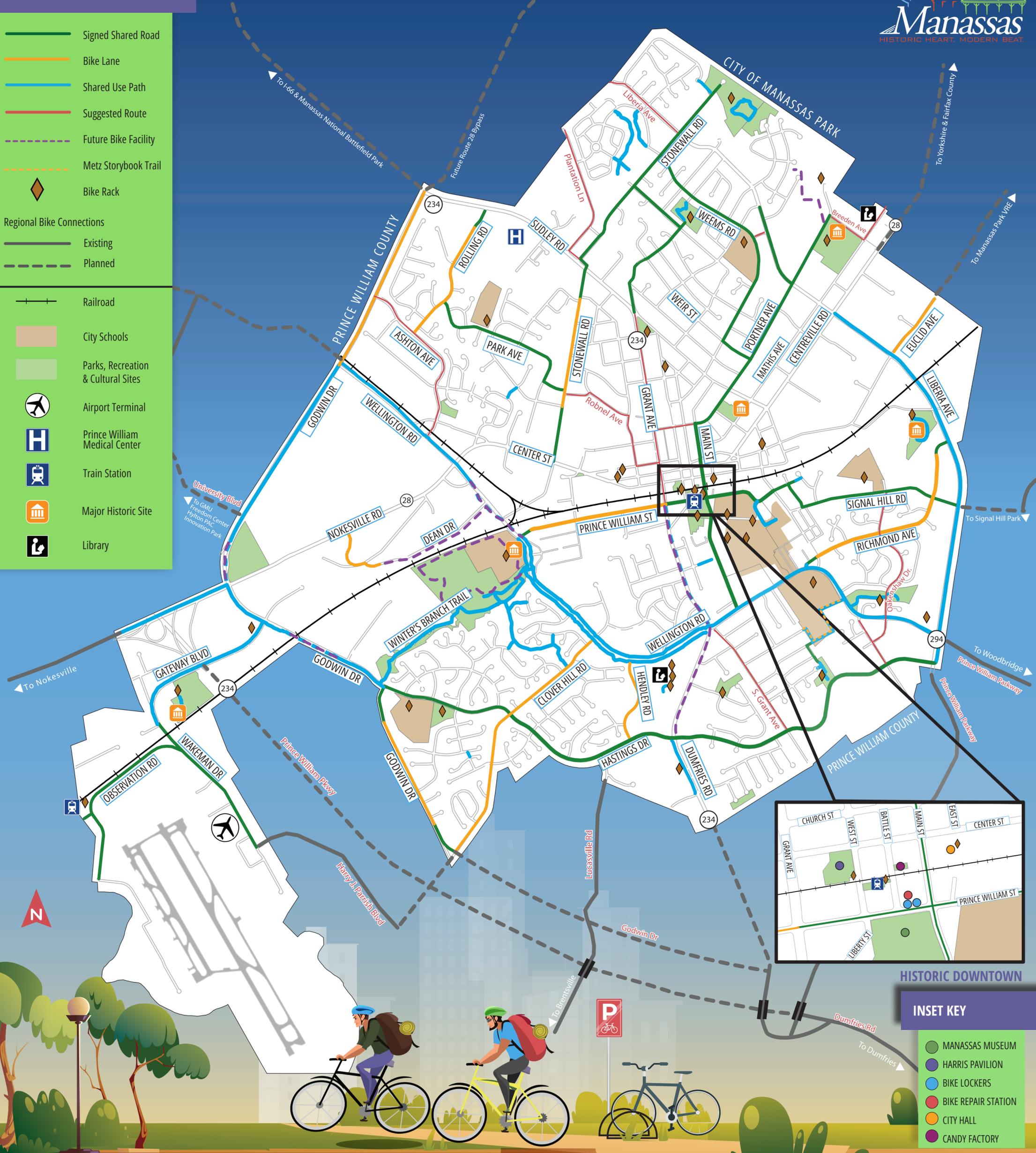
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- Signed Shared Road
- Bike Lane
- Shared Use Path
- Suggested Route
- Future Bike Facility
- Metz Storybook Trail
- Bike Rack
- Regional Bike Connections
 - Existing
 - Planned
- Railroad
- City Schools
- Parks, Recreation & Cultural Sites
- Airport Terminal
- Prince William Medical Center
- Train Station
- Major Historic Site
- Library



HISTORIC DOWNTOWN

INSET KEY

- MANASSAS MUSEUM
- HARRIS PAVILION
- BIKE LOCKERS
- BIKE REPAIR STATION
- CITY HALL
- CANDY FACTORY

