

### **Speed cushions** Speed cushions are

raised areas, similar to speed humps, but not covering the entire width of the road. They are designed to allow larger vehicles to "straddle" the cushions, while smaller vehicles experience a vertical upward movement when travelling over them.

#### **PROS**

- Reduces vehicle speeds at / near measure
- Self-enforcing

#### <u>CONS</u>

- May increase traffic induced noise and vibrations
- May impact emergency response activities
- May increase vehicle travel time
- May cause discomfort to drivers



View a road with speed cushions in Ottawa on Google Street View







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### Painted Bike Lanes are reserved

cycling lanes delineated with pavement markings and roadside regulatory signage.

#### **PROS**

- Continuity in the cycling network
- Visually narrows the roadway
- May reduce cyclist-vehicle conflict
- Creates buffering for vulnerable road users from motor traffic
- May improve visibility for all road users
- May reduce vehicle speeds
- No impacts on emergency services

#### <u>CONS</u>

All on-street parking would be removed





View a road with painted bike lanes in Ottawa on Google Street View





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Project-specific <u>Proposed Typical</u> Intersection Design has ride-over bulbouts tying into an asphalt raised crossing constructed at a higher elevation than the adjacent roadway on the west side, and at grade ride-through bulb-outs (concrete medians) on the east side.

> The concept plan includes 3 locations along Sherwood with this proposed design









# Sherwood / MacFarlane and Sherwood / Reid

#### Proposed Modification(s)

**Project-specific Proposed Typical Intersection Design** 



### **Purpose**

Offers the positive effects of the existing bulb-outs by narrowing the roadway and improves safety for vulnerable users.

#### **Ride-over bulb-outs and** ride-through bulb-outs



- Reduces width of lanes to reduce vehicle speeds.
- Creates a separation between vulnerable road users and motor traffic

#### **Raised crossing**

- Improves pedestrian mobility, safety, and comfort.
- Improves visibility and slows traffic. •
  - Highlights/clarifies the pedestrian crossing.







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markings

**Painted ladder** 



Orange circled trees are at risk, and red circled trees are at high risk. Tree conditions and impacts will be assessed during the detailed design stage.

# Sherwood / Fairmont / Kenilworth

#### Proposed Modification(s)

#### Purpose

**Project-specific Proposed Typical Intersection Design** 



Offers the positive effects of the existing bulb-outs by narrowing the roadway and improves safety for vulnerable users.

#### Ride-over bulb-outs and ride-through bulb-outs

- Reduces width of lanes to reduce vehicle speeds.
- Creates a separation between vulnerable road users and motor traffic

#### **Raised crossing**

- Improves pedestrian mobility, safety, and comfort. Improves visibility and slows traffic.
- **Bulb-out (Fairmont)** Improves visibility
  - Reduces the crossing distance for pedestrians.
  - Highlights/clarifies the pedestrian crossing.





markings

**Painted ladder** 



Tree conditions and impacts will be assessed during the detailed design stage.



# Sherwood / Old Irving

Proposed Modification(s)	Purpose
<b>Ride-through</b> <b>bulb-outs</b> (west side)	<ul> <li>Offers the positive effects of the existing bulb-outs by narrowing the roadway and improves safety for vulnerable users.</li> <li>Reduces width of lanes to reduce vehicle speeds.</li> <li>Creates a separation between vulnerable road users and motor traffic.</li> </ul>
Removal of existing bulb- outs and replacing with at-grade cycling lanes (east side)	<ul> <li>Continuity in the cycling network</li> <li>Creates buffering for vulnerable road users from motor traffic</li> </ul>





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# Sherwood / Bayswater

Proposed Modification(s)	Purpose
Removal of right- turn channel	<ul> <li>Encourages slower turns.</li> <li>Enhances visibility of pedestrians at the crossing.</li> </ul>
Ride-through bulb-outs	<ul> <li>Reduces width of lanes to reduce vehicle speeds.</li> <li>Creates a separation between vulnerable road users and motor traffic.</li> </ul>
Painted ladder markings	<ul> <li>Highlights/clarifies the pedestrian crossing.</li> </ul>





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#### **Raised crossings** are marked pedestrian and / or cycling crossings at intersections, constructed at a higher elevation than the adjacent roadway

#### <u>PROS</u>

- Reduces vehicle speeds at / near measure
- Self-enforcing
- May improve stopping compliance
- Increases comfort for vulnerable road users

### <u>CONS</u>

- May increase traffic induced noise and vibrations
- May impact emergency response activities
- May cause discomfort to drivers
- May increase vehicle travel time







## **Cycle-friendly bulb-outs**

are horizontal projections of curbs into roadways that includes spaces for cyclists to ride over or through it

#### **PROS**

- Creates a separation between vulnerable road users and motor traffic
- Reduces vehicle speeds
- No significant impacts on emergency services

#### <u>CONS</u>

- Large vehicles may need to cross into adjacent travel lanes to complete turns
- Potential impacts to trees





