

10 Tenets for Living Streets

Prioritizing **people**, not cars

1. Living streets integrate income and racial equity into their design and function
2. Living Streets are designed for people of all ages and physical abilities whether they walk, bicycle, ride transit, or drive
3. Living Streets integrate connectivity and traffic calming with pedestrian-oriented site and building design to create safe and inviting places
4. Living Streets connect people through everyday interaction and shared responsibility to street design and planning
5. Living Streets strengthen and enhance neighborhoods
6. Living Streets encourage active and healthy lifestyles
7. Living Streets integrate green management and conservation of water, energy, waste and plant life
8. Living Streets are inviting places--with engaging architecture, street furniture, landscaping, and public art that reflect the diversity of the neighborhood
9. Living Streets foster healthy and just commerce
10. Living streets vary in character by neighborhood, density and function