

Design Advisory

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Bicycle Pavement Markings for Dedicated Bicycle Lanes and Trails/Multi-Use Pathways

The large bicycle symbol, with the dimensions labeled "ROAD" on PAVE-900, is intended for placement in vehicular travel lanes in conjunction with the "XING" legend in advance of a bicycle trail or multi-use pathway crossing the roadway. The "BIKE" legend can be used in vehicle travel lanes interchangeably with the large bicycle symbol.

The shared lane symbol, commonly referred to as a "sharrow", is placed in roadway travel lanes where bicycles do not have a dedicated lane and instead must share the travel lane with motor vehicles. For dimensions and placement guidance see PAVE-961 and Traffic and Safety Note 306.

The small bicycle symbol, with the dimensions labeled "BIKE LANE/PATH" on PAVE-900, is to be placed in dedicated bicycle lanes and where bicycle symbols are desired on trails or multi-use pathways. The bicycle directional arrow on PAVE-900 supplements the small bicycle symbol in dedicated bicycle lanes and on multi-use pathways.

References: [PAVE-900](#), [PAVE-961](#), [Procedure for Installing Shared Lane Marking-Traffic and Safety Note 306](#)