

Sharrows Are Coming To Solana Beach

- **When:** In June, as part of the Highway 101 improvements.
- **What:** Sharrows are additional roadway markings that show cyclists and motorists where bicycles should be most safely operated on the road. See [Sharrows fact sheet](#) from the San Diego County Bicycle Coalition.
- **Where:** Southbound Highway 101, right lane.
- **Why:** The new 101 streetscape with west-side diagonal parking will have two narrow lanes as a traffic calming measure. The narrow lanes cannot accommodate both a car and bicycle side by side, so sharrows instruct both cyclists and motorists for safest bicycle placement in the lane.



Bicycles May Use Full Lane

- These signs will also be part of the Highway 101 improvements, further enforcing cyclists' right to the travel lane.



Are Sharrows and "Bicycles May Use Full Lane" New Laws?

- California law remains unchanged. The new signage in Solana Beach is provided to clarify existing law.
- Signs for Sharrows and "Bicycles May Use Full Lane" are part of the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices. Their use reinforces lesser-known, but well-established, laws as they pertain to bicycling.

What is BikeWalkSolana?

- BikeWalkSolana is the name of the Solana Beach Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee.
- BikeWalkSolana is providing this information on new bicycling signage to prepare both motorists and cyclists for the completion of the Highway 101 Project.
- BikeWalkSolana is promoting active transportation, by cycling or walking, as a viable transportation mode for Solana Beach and San Diego County destinations. The committee advocates, through the City of Solana Beach, for improvements to bicycling and pedestrian infrastructure, as well as educational and encouragement activities to achieve active transportation goals.
- Visit BikeWalkSolana at <http://bikewalksolana.org> and on Facebook.