Supporter Agreement

Whose streets? Our streets.

Our Streets PVD is an alliance of community organizations, local businesses, schools, institutions, civic leaders, and engaged individuals advocating for people-friendly streets in Providence. We support providing more transportation options to improve safety, equity, sustainability, prosperity, health, and quality-of-life in our city and region.

We believe in constructing streets in a way that best accommodates all people safely and easily, no matter how they travel – whether driving, walking, biking, taking transit, and/or using mobility-assistance devices.

More mobility choices and multimodal infrastructure will result in reduced traffic congestion and air pollution, fewer crashes, and a more healthy and just city. There’s peace on the road when everyone has a piece of the road.

The City of Providence is releasing its final Great Streets plan this winter, which envisions that every street in Providence should be safe, clean, healthy, inclusive, and vibrant. The plan also proposes the creation of a “spine” network of urban trails that will connect every Providence neighborhood. The City also released its Climate Justice Plan in October 2019 — a vital roadmap for creating a truly equitable, low-carbon, climate-resilient city. The Division of Statewide Planning is also completing Rhode Island’s first Bike Mobility Plan. Additionally, RIPTA, RIDOT, and the Division of Statewide Planning are currently working on a Transit Master Plan for Rhode Island. Our Streets PVD supports implementing these plans as quickly as possible in the most effective way possible.

The People for Bikes Foundation is granting operational support for Our Streets PVD for the next two years.
What Our Streets PVD will do with its Supporters:

- Promote your work related to bicycling, walking, transit, urban planning, transportation equity, affordable housing, smart growth, the climate crisis, public health, community organizing, social justice, and/or cultural identity via our communications channels (fall 2019-fall 2021).

- Deliver a ~$1 million advertising campaign supporting the implementation of multimodal infrastructure improvements throughout Providence. The campaign will direct its viewers to OurStreetsPVD.org, where Supporter logos and websites will be listed and linked (spring 2020).

- Connect Partners and Supporters to each other in terms of programming opportunities, overlapping constituencies and missions, and support of local businesses (fall 2019-fall 2021).

What Our Streets PVD can/may do with its Partners and Supporters:

- Develop bicycle education, urban planning, transportation equity, community organizing, and/or cultural identity programming, events, and workshops together.

- Host public events, rides, and walks celebrating the construction of urban trails.

- Develop governance, funding, and programming strategies for Our Streets PVD.

What Supporters will do with Our Streets PVD:

- Publicly express support for Our Streets PVD’s stated goals by being listed as a Supporter (on website, brochures, etc).

- Vocalize support when needed online and in local communities.

- Receive email updates related to Great Streets projects and related transportation issues from Our Streets PVD.

- Commit to a healthy, prosperous, sustainable, equitable Providence community.
Sign on to Our Streets PVD:

We, the undersigned organizations, businesses, community groups and associations, strongly support streets built to share that provide safe and convenient transportation options for everyone - whether driving, walking, biking, taking transit, or otherwise. Improving biking, walking, and transit infrastructure benefits everyone - even people who primarily drive - by increasing roadway safety for everyone, reducing traffic congestion and parking demand by providing alternative transportation options, promoting economic engagement with local businesses, fostering equitable access to opportunity and jobs, enhancing public health, and contributing to overall quality-of-life for everyone.

Yes! Our organization / business agrees with the above statement of support and formally signs on as an Our Streets PVD Supporter, and we look forward to occasionally receiving campaign updates and speaking up for streets built to share.

Organization Name ____________________________

Organization Website ____________________________

Organization logo: please send a high resolution logo to liza@ourstreetspvd.org along with this completed form.

(Required) Lead Supporter Contact Name______________________________

Title __________________________________________________________________________

Signature ____________________________ Date __________

Email ____________________________ Phone ____________________________

(Optional) Communications Supporter Contact Name______________________________

Title __________________________________________________________________________

Signature ____________________________ Date __________

Email ____________________________ Phone ____________________________