

Good morning. Hope your morning is going well so far.

I biked downtown this morning from Byron on the TVP, as I do a few times each week for work. This morning was the first time experiencing buses sharing the road. Definitely not as safe as it was without them. I had multiple cars honking at me as I was between the bus and the cars in what I thought was supposed to be the bike lane.

What I would really LOVE to see would be some sort of protected lane for bikes as my family also likes to bike downtown on the weekends to go to the market or parks for events. I think removing the parking on this street would make a huge difference. Looks like it could easily accommodate a cycle track along this stretch which would get many more people out riding as I know most people I chat with feel it's just not safe to ride, even with painted bike lanes.

Just thought I'd share my concerns as I know there were at least five other cyclists on the road with me that were in the same boat.

Thanks,
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