



WSMP Workshop
December 16
6:30 to 8:30 pm
PSB, 3200 SE Harrison

Walk Safely Report Template

Instructions:

- The first priority of a Walk Safely Report is to identify key barriers to walking and biking.
- Please structure your report in whatever way makes sense to you. The questions below are guidelines/suggestions for reporting on walking and traffic conditions in your neighborhood.
- Please consider multiple perspectives, particularly vulnerable populations such as neighborhood youth, elderly, or disabled.
- Please direct questions to Nicole West at (503) 786-7643 or westn@ci.milwaukie.or.us.
- City staff will provide you with accident and speed data; the City walk and bike master plans; and previously identified projects (binders will be available at the December 16 workshop).
- Please submit your Report to PSAC by **February 15, 2011**.

Pedestrian/Bike Focus

- ◆ Where do neighbors walk or ride a bike most often? Please mention specific walking routes and destinations. Which design aspects or features make these streets pleasant for walking and biking?
- ◆ What/where are the most significant physical barriers to walking or riding a bike in your neighborhood? Please use a map and/or photos to indicate specific locations where intersection conditions, vegetation, lack of adequate sidewalks or safe crossings, or other factors inhibit safe walking or biking.
- ◆ What types of street improvements and features do you think could make walking and biking more safe and/or more pleasant at these specific locations? Would the sites benefit from safer crossings, sidewalks, or pedestrian amenities such as benches, shade trees, vegetated medians, or public art?
- ◆ What are the most important non-physical barriers, such as lack of interest or awareness, lack of time, poor weather, safety concerns, etc., to walking and biking in your neighborhood?
- ◆ What types of educational programs and/or encouragement campaigns could help people overcome these barriers and be more likely to choose walking or riding a bike?

Motor Vehicle Focus

- ◆ Describe general driver behavior and traffic problems in your neighborhood. What are the specific locations where driver behavior is particularly problematic?
- ◆ What types of enforcement, educational programs, or street design projects do you think could improve driver behavior and/or calm traffic in these locations?

Community Involvement

- ◆ How was the neighborhood at large involved in the development of this Walk Safely Report? Was input solicited from schools, businesses, or other community groups?
- ◆ How could additional community members or organizations be invited to join this conversation?

Thank you for your investment in creating safer, more walkable communities!

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