



# MEDINA, WASHINGTON

## AGENDA BILL

September 8, 2025

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**Subject:** Medina Complete Streets Ordinance

**Category:** City Business

**Staff Contact:** Ryan Osada, Public Works Director

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### **Summary**

The state legislature passed the Complete Streets Act in 2011 (codified in RCW 47.04.320-.340), encouraging local governments to adopt their own complete streets ordinances that would provide safe access to all “including bicyclists, pedestrians, motorists, and public transportation users.”

RCW 47.04.320 establishes a grant program to help cities, towns, and counties pay for complete streets projects. To be eligible for a grant, RCW 47.04.320(2)(b) requires local governments to adopt a jurisdiction-wide complete streets ordinance. Note that the statute specifically refers to an ordinance, so it is unclear whether jurisdictions that adopt a complete streets policy by resolution will be eligible. The grant program is managed by the Washington State Transportation Improvement Board (TIB).

This project meets and supports Council's priorities 2-5:

1. Financial Stability and Accountability
2. Quality Infrastructure
3. Efficient and Effective Government
4. Public Safety and Health
5. Neighborhood Character

*\*Complete Streets Ord will be inserted in chapter 12.01*

### **Attachment(s)**

Complete Streets Ordinance No. 1044

**Budget/Fiscal Impact:** n/a

**Recommendation:** Adopt Ordinance No. 1044.

**City Manager Approval:**

**Proposed Council Motion:** I move to adopt the Medina Complete Streets Ordinance No. 1044.

**Time Estimate:** 15 minutes