

# Is Los Angeles bike friendly?

## Introduction

(this survey takes less than 5 minutes)

Hi! Thanks for taking our survey. This is a short survey (5 simple questions) with a simple goal: to find out if Los Angelinos feel Los Angeles is bike friendly.

By bike friendly, we really mean "cyclist friendly." We're not asking if LA is a place you want to ride your bike - you may hate biking or love it, and you may want to ride in Los Angeles whether it's bike friendly or not. We're asking if Los Angeles - its streets, its people, its weather, its everything - encourages and supports cycling.

We're also asking this question of non-cyclists. After all, how non-cyclists perceive bike riding in Los Angeles impacts whether they choose to start riding. Please share the survey with you riding and non-riding friends!

We're going to ask you if you think LA is bike friendly, but we'll ask the question three times, just to come at it from different angles. Here we go!

### **1. Before we get started, are you a cyclist who rides in Los Angeles?**

- No, I live or spend time in Los Angeles, but I don't ride bikes.
- No, I ride bikes, but not in Los Angeles.
- Yes, I ride bikes in Los Angeles frequently.
- Yes, I ride bikes in Los Angeles, but infrequently.

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**2. Do you think Los Angeles is bike friendly? In other words, does Los Angeles, from the weather, to the police, to drivers and pedestrians, encourage and support cycling?**

- Yes
- No

**3. Put another way, on a scale from 0 to 10, how bike friendly is Los Angeles? (0 being not at all bike friendly, and 10 being very bike friendly.)**

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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**4. If LA is not bike friendly today, how many years will it take LA to become bike friendly at its current rate of improvement? (assuming there is any.)**

**Choose the answer that best fits how long you think it will take.**

- LA is already bike friendly
- at least 1 year
- at least 2 years
- at least 5 years
- at least 10 years
- at least 20 years, or perhaps more.

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## Demographics, email address and commentary.

Thanks for taking our survey. This page is totally optional, but if you don't plan on filling it out, please scroll down and click "Done." Gratz!

**5. To help us get a sense for where our survey responses are coming from, can you tell us what zip code you live in in Los Angeles? If you don't live in Los Angeles, but you spend time there, the zip code you most often spend time in or ride in will work.**

Zip Code

**6. If you'd like to join Bikeside's newsletter, please enter your email address.**

**7. We'd love to hear from you about why LA is or is not bike friendly, and what you think could be done!**

**8. Can we share your survey responses, including your comments above (if any) but excluding your email and zip code, with the general public?**

Yes

No