

# What Motorists Should Know

## Park Ave. Corridor Bike Friendly Waterloo



Park Avenue no longer has four traffic lanes for cars.

- ⇒ 2 Motorized Traffic Lanes, center lines shift at some intersections
- ⇒ 2 Bicycle Lanes, next to the curb
- ⇒ Parking Spots between car and bike lanes
- ⇒ Speed limit is now 20 mph



### Parking is NOT next to the curb.

- ⇒ Park in the designated area closest to the automobile traffic lane
- ⇒ DO NOT drive through the parking area
- ⇒ Be aware of bicycles while entering and exiting parking spots and opening vehicle doors
- ⇒ Meter payment is still required



### Right Turn Lanes- "Spare them the right hook"

- ⇒ YIELD to bikes when making right turns
- ⇒ Cross the dashed lines to enter the right-turn lane
- ⇒ Signal your right turn
- ⇒ Watch blind spots
- ⇒ Stay alert

### BICYCLES ARE VEHICLES TOO

Bicyclists have all the rights and duties of motorists.  
Iowa Code (Sec. 321.234)

- ⇒ Give cyclists 3 feet of clearance
- ⇒ Look before opening car doors
- ⇒ Respectful cyclists' safety
- ⇒ Stay alert