Mid-Valencia Pilot 1 Month Evaluation Summary

September 2023

Overall Evaluation Findings

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The table below shows the findings from the traffic safety and mobility metrics used in the evaluation of this project:

Metric	Finding
Daily vehicle speed Measured at the average, 50 th (median) and 85 th percentile	No significant change – vehicle speeds are lower in post- implementation condition
Daily vehicle volume	Significant decrease (approx28%) in vehicle volume – especially along northern portion of the corridor
Daily bicycle volume	Significant decrease in bicycle volume – a little under a half (approx46%)
2-hour pedestrian volume (AM and PM peak)	There is a decrease in pedestrian volumes (approx18%), but not at the same magnitude as vehicle and bicycle volumes
Vehicle left turn frequency (turn restriction compliance)	Vehicle left turn's have decreased across the project intersections. They represent about 1-2% of total thru volume and in the before condition it was about 8-10%
Double parking and loading in the bikeway (vehicle loading)	There are more vehicles loading in the loading zones than in baseline conditions. Looking only at Wednesday loading observations, baseline double parking was 71% of all loading events and in post-implementation conditions it is 14%.
	Double parking in the vehicle travel lane is still an issue, especially with TNCs.
	Only 2 incidents of vehicle's loading in the bikeway were observed during this round of post-implementation data collection and evaluation.
Bike Positioning	Only one location was observed for the 1-month evaluation.
	In pre-implementation conditions, about 80% of observed bicyclists were in the bike lane. In post-implementation conditions there was an 18 percentage point increase (98.2%) in people bicycling in the bikeway versus other locations along the road.

Metric 1 – Daily Vehicle Speed

Location - Metric	Weekday	
	Pre	Post
Corridor Estimate		
Mean Speed	19	18
Median Speed	18	17
85th Percentile	24	22
% Exceed 30 mph	2%	1%
% Exceed 40 mph	0%	0%
Valencia St Between 18 th St and 19 th St		
Mean Speed	19	17
Median Speed	18	16
85th Percentile	24	23
% Exceed 30 mph	2%	1%
% Exceed 40 mph	0%	0%
Valencia St Between 21 st St and 22 nd St		
Mean Speed	20	19
Median Speed	19	18
85th Percentile	24	21
% Exceed 30 mph	3%	2%
% Exceed 40 mph	0%	0%

Metric 2 – Daily Vehicle Volume

Location	Pre- Implementation	Post- Implementation	Difference	%Δ
Valencia St Between 18 th St and 19 th St	4,300	2,500	-1,800	-42%
Valencia St Between 21 st St and 22 nd St	4,100	3,500	-600	-15%

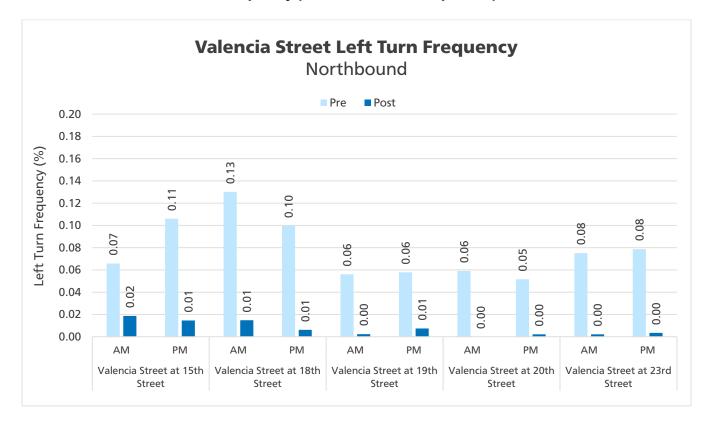
Metric 3 – Daily Bicycle Volume

Location	Pre- Implementation	Post- Implementation	Difference	%Δ
Valencia St Between 18 th St and 19 th St	3,500	2,100	-1,400	-40%
Valencia St Between 21 st St and 22 nd St	3,400	1,600	-1800	-53%

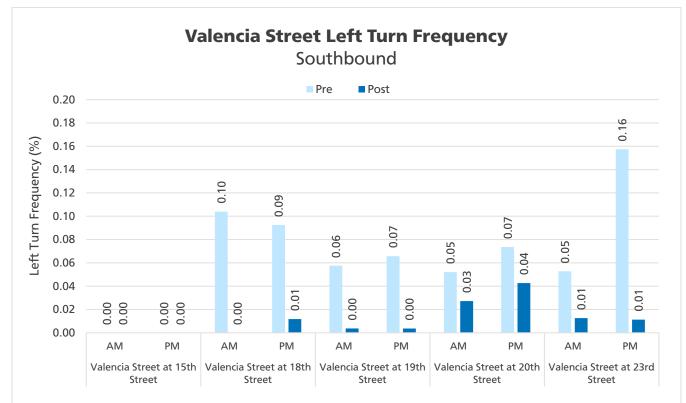
Confirm where the tubes can count. Confirm data quality.

Metric 4 – 2-hour Pedestrian Volume (AM and PM Peak)

Location and Time Period	Pre Post		Difference	%Δ	
Valencia Street at 15th Street	1810	1601	-209	-12%	
AM	642	574	-68	-11%	
PM	1168	1027	-141	-12%	
Valencia Street at 18th Street	2925	2795	-130	-4%	
АМ	807	941	134	17%	
PM	2118	1854	-264	-12%	
Valencia Street at 19th Street	2374	1811	-563	-24%	
AM	439	457	18	4%	
PM	1935	1354	-581	-30%	
Valencia Street at 20th Street	2330	1536	-794	-34%	
AM	490	462	-28	-6%	
PM	1840	1074	-766	-42%	
Valencia Street at 23rd Street	1445	1218	-227	-16%	
АМ	431	505	74	17%	
PM	1014	713	-301	-30%	
Grand Total	10884	8961	-1923	-18%	

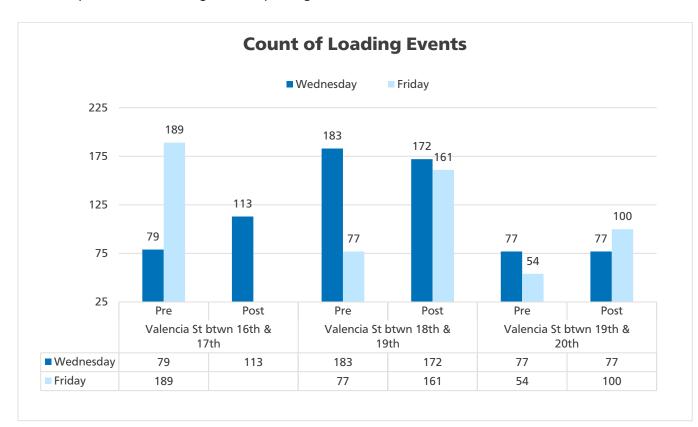


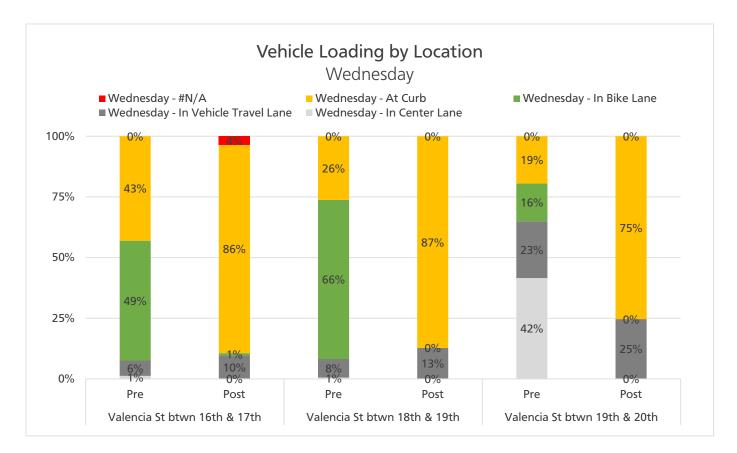


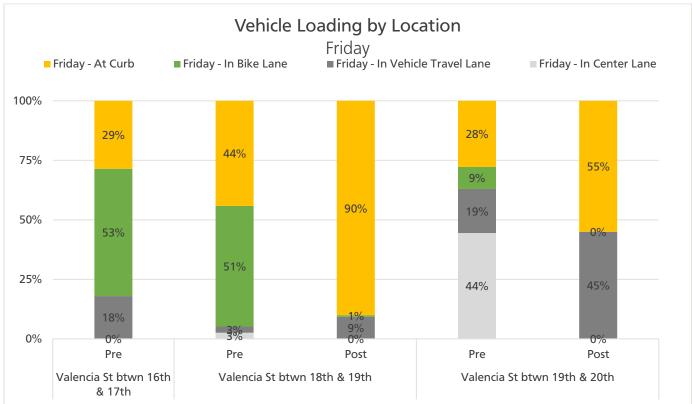


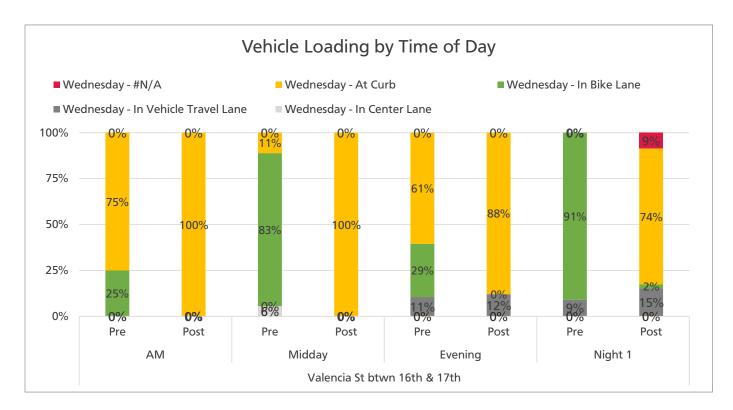
Metric 6 - Double Parking and Loading in the Bikeway (vehicle loading)

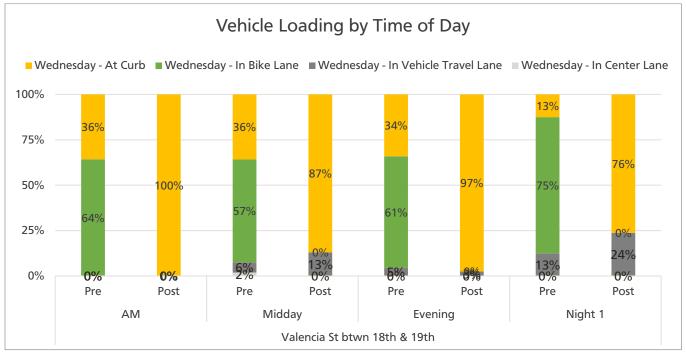
Loading data does not show events of vehicles entering the center-running protected bikeway to bypass double parked vehicles or to make illegal U-turns mid-block. The events recorded are only events where a vehicle stops to unload or load goods and passengers.

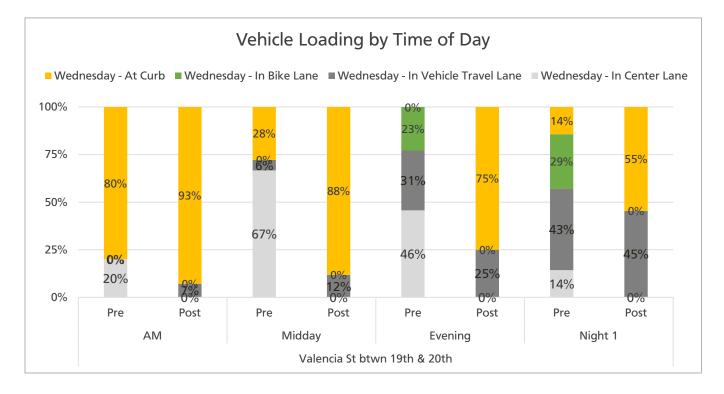












Double Parking Frequency by Vehicle Type (Wednesday only):

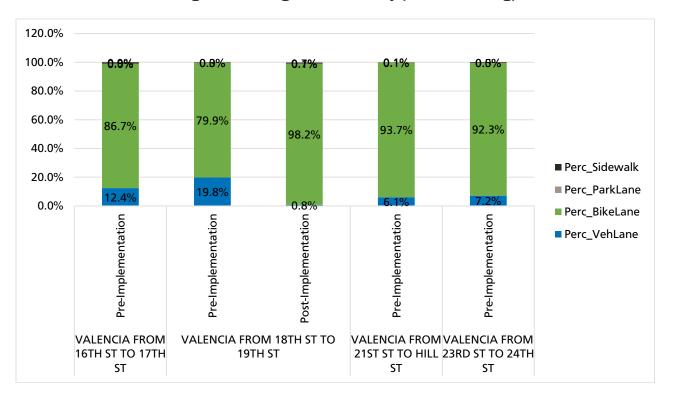
Double parking = Sum of loading events in the vehicle travel lane or center lane (bikeway)

Valencia Street Between 16 th and 17 th streets	Pre-Implementation	Post-Implementation
Large Commercial Vehicle	44% (9)	0% (1)
Other	0% (0)	0% (1)
Passenger Vehicle or Pickup Truck	50% (44)	9% (83)
Small Commercial Vehicle	66% (12)	0% (10)
Taxi	0% (0)	0% (1)
TNC (Uber/Lyft/Doordash)	78% (14)	25% (17)

Valencia Street Between 18 th and 19 th streets	Pre-Implementation	Post-Implementation
Large Commercial Vehicle	75% (12)	25% (8)
Other	100% (1)	0% (2)
Passenger Vehicle or Pickup Truck	67% (112)	4% (118)
Small Commercial Vehicle	58% (12)	0% (11)
Taxi	100% (1)	100% (1)
TNC (Uber/Lyft/Doordash)	93% (45)	44% (32)

Valencia Street Between 18 th and 19 th streets	Pre-Implementation	Post-Implementation		
Large Commercial Vehicle	100% (8)	43% (7)		
Other	0% (0)	0% (1)		
Passenger Vehicle or Pickup Truck	86% (40)	13% (46)		
Small Commercial Vehicle	53% (13)	0% (8)		
Taxi	0% (0)	0% (2)		
TNC (Uber/Lyft/Doordash)	82% (16)	77% (13)		

Average Vehicle Loading Duration Minutes								
Location and Vehicle	Α	М	Mid	day	Ever	ning	Nig	ght
Туре	Pre	Post	Pre	Post	Pre	Post	Pre	Post
Valencia St btwn 16th	6.7	8.8	7.9	8.2	8.6	5.6	2.2	4.4
& 17th								
Large Commercial	9.4		18.1			2.0		
Vehicle								
Other						6.2		
Passenger Vehicle or	6.1	9.2	5.6	6.4	10.3	6.1	3.6	5.0
Pickup Trucks								
Small Commercial	5.3	8.1	8.4	15.5	8.1	8.5	1.9	
Vehicle								
Taxi						0.8		
TNC (Uber/Lyft)	0.3		0.2	7.4	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.7
Valencia St btwn 18th	11.6	8.0	3.8	10.8	3.5	6.6	2.3	3.1
& 19th								
Large Commercial	11.0	14.9	1.6	29.6	10.1			
Vehicle	22.0							4.0
Other	33.8							4.6
Passenger Vehicle or	0.9	7.5	5.3	8.3	4.0	6.9	2.9	4.4
Pickup Trucks Small Commercial	12.7	10.6	5.2	9.0	3.5			
Vehicle	12.7	10.0	5.2	9.0	5.5			
Taxi	12.3					0.6		
TNC (Uber/Lyft)	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.4	1.4
Valencia St btwn 19th	16.5	6.3	13.2	18.2	3.9	10.7	9.2	1.4
& 20th	10.5	0.5	13.2	10.2	5.9	10.7	9.2	1.0
Large Commercial	7.6	9.1	14.4	16.0	12.6	2.2		
Vehicle								
Other								0.4
Passenger Vehicle or	25.1	6.6	4.9	30.1	4.9	12.1	12.2	3.2
Pickup Trucks								
Small Commercial	15.1	5.3	17.5	8.3	5.1		4.3	
Vehicle								
Тахі		2.9		0.5				
TNC (Uber/Lyft)	0.9			0.3	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.4
Grand Total	11.3	7.8	6.5	11.7	5.2	7.3	3.3	3.3



Metric 7 - Double Parking and Loading in the Bikeway (vehicle loading)