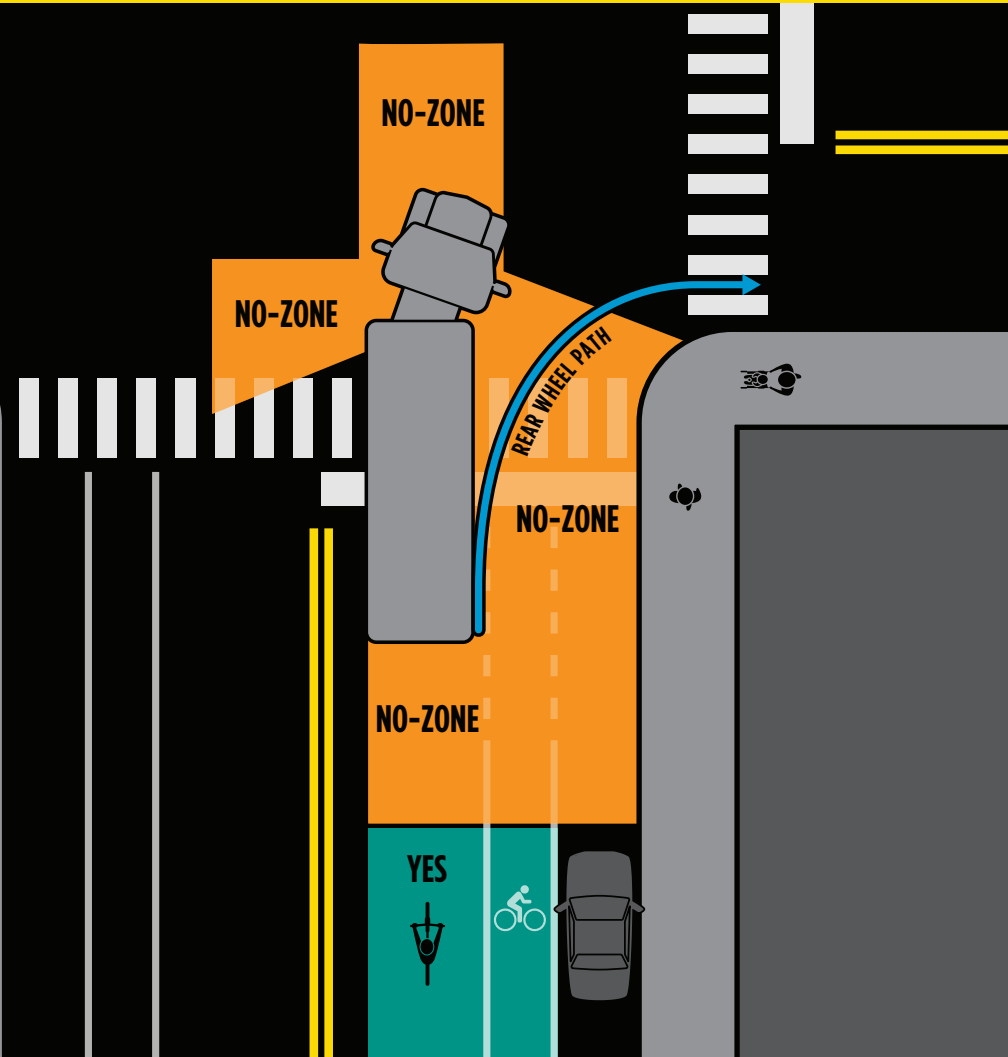


BE AWARE OF BLIND SPOTS

Stay out of the No-Zones.

No-Zones are dangerous areas around trucks where crashes are more likely to occur.



SAFETY TIPS AROUND LARGE TRUCKS

BICYCLISTS...

- **Don't stop on the right side of a truck.** You might be in the blind spot, and the truck could be turning right or moving to the curbside.
- **Keep your distance when trucks are turning.** Sometimes trucks swing out to make wide turns.
- **Don't linger next to a truck on any side, in any lane.** If a truck attempts to pass, slow down and let it get ahead of you.

PEDESTRIANS...

- **Watch for turning trucks and be aware of blind spots.** Drivers might not see you in front of or alongside their vehicles.
- **Avoid stepping out in front of a truck.** It takes longer for a large vehicle to stop.

TRUCK DRIVERS...

- **Yield to pedestrians and bicyclists.** Be alert, especially when turning or changing lanes.
- **Check your mirrors.** Check your mirrors often, especially after passing a bicyclist or before making a turn or lane change.
- **Use your turn signals early.** By using your signal early you'll give bicyclists the option to back away from the side of your vehicle.
- **Take care when passing.** Give bicyclists plenty of space when passing. Change lanes if possible. If there is not enough room to pass, wait.
- **Be alert at all times.** Bicycles are impacted by road conditions not felt by vehicles. Allow plenty of room between you and cyclists in case they swerve to miss a pothole, storm drain, or debris.

