

D Street

Tacoma, WA



CDC redesigned the street between the Tacoma Dome and parking lots. Tacoma's D Street has increased safety and expanded functionality by using "complete street" and "road-diet" concepts. The right of way was reduced by 1/3 and the asphalt street was replaced by bicycle lanes and a wide sidewalk. Safety was significantly improved with a contrasting concrete raised pedestrian crossing, new lighting, additional crosswalks, and decorative fencing and plantings.

CDC Collaborated with a local artist to enliven the streetscape. Industrial-like palm trees line the gateway areas of the retail and entertainment sector; and the new sidewalk provides sufficient space for seating, food carts and circulation for Tacoma Dome events.

Project Features:

- Community Involvement
- Traffic calming
- Pedestrian improvements through "road diet"
- Walkable communities