






NEIGHBORHOOD REDESIGN-

Step One: NEIGHBORHOOD WALK

Directions: Fill in the following worksheet as you complete the Neighborhood Walk and take photos of the corresponding areas. For additional suggestions, use the Walkability Checklist: www.walkableamerica.org/checklist-walkability.pdf

Category	What do you see?	What could change?
For Pedestrians <i>(crosswalks, signs, sidewalks, curbs – note any accessibility issues)</i> 	EXAMPLE: <i>Special striped crosswalk near school</i>	EXAMPLE: <i>If the sidewalk were wider, the man in the wheelchair could more easily get by other pedestrians</i>
Car Traffic Control and Calming <i>(traffic signals, signs, speed humps)</i> 		
Public Transportation <i>(bus stops/shelters, Metro entrances)</i> 		
For Cyclists <i>(bike lanes, paved sidewalks)</i> 		
Other <i>(benches, trash cans, shrubbery, etc)</i> 		

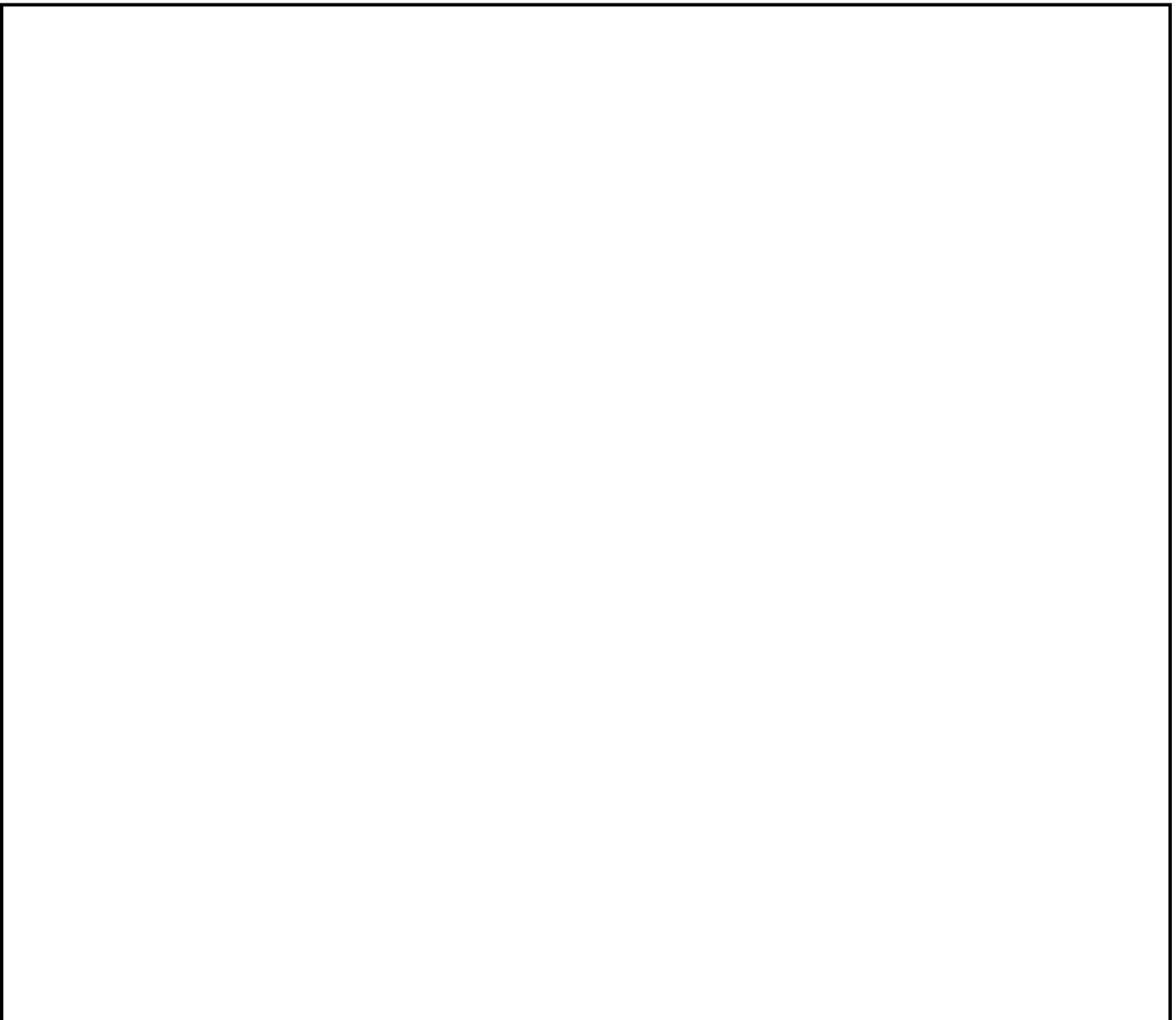


***Photo tip:** To make sure you have a good photo to use for your redesign, you will need to take pictures that include many parts of the street, like a few lanes of traffic, crosswalks, bike lanes, and sidewalks - all in one image! Take numerous photos so you have options to choose from. See sample photos on page 3*

Step Two: STREET REDESIGN

Directions:

- 1) Select the best photo and print out an enlarged copy to use for your redesign. Place it in the box below or on a new piece of paper.
- 2) Secure trace paper over the original photo using scotch or masking tape (one that's easy to remove). Create a rough copy of your redesign with colored pencils. See redesign examples on page 3.
- 3) Once you've created a rough draft and finalized the changes you would like to make to your street, create a final draft on a fresh sheet of trace paper. *You should also create a written description of your proposed changes on a separate sheet of paper explaining why you decided to make the changes you did. Label your drawing with numbers that correspond to the written descriptions.



NEIGHBORHOOD REDESIGN EXAMPLES



BEFORE PHOTOS



AFTER PHOTOS

