# WALKING AND BIKING CRASHES: WHAT AUSTIN-AREA DATA SHOWS

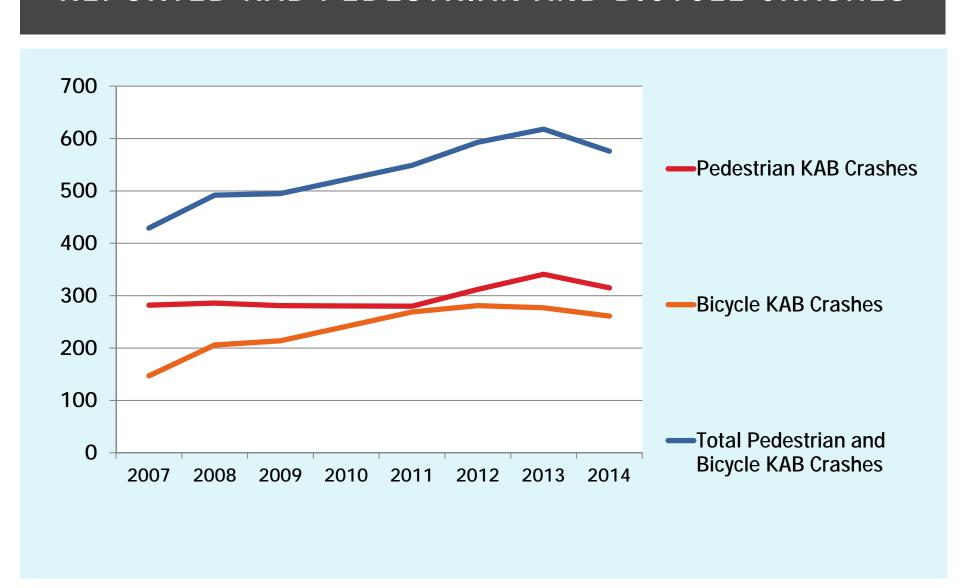
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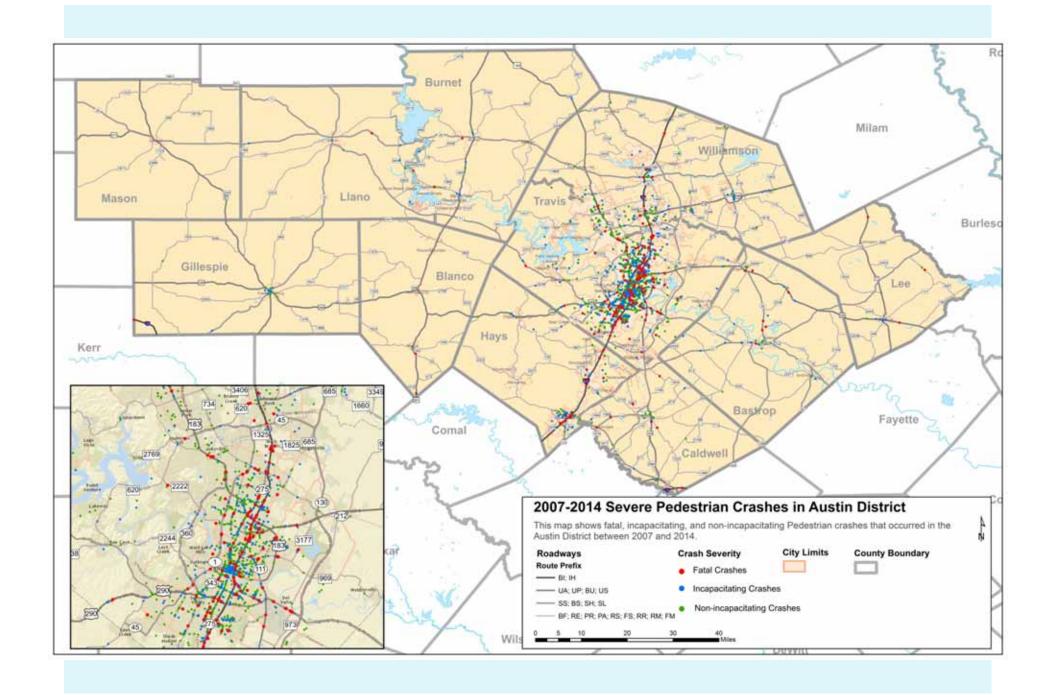
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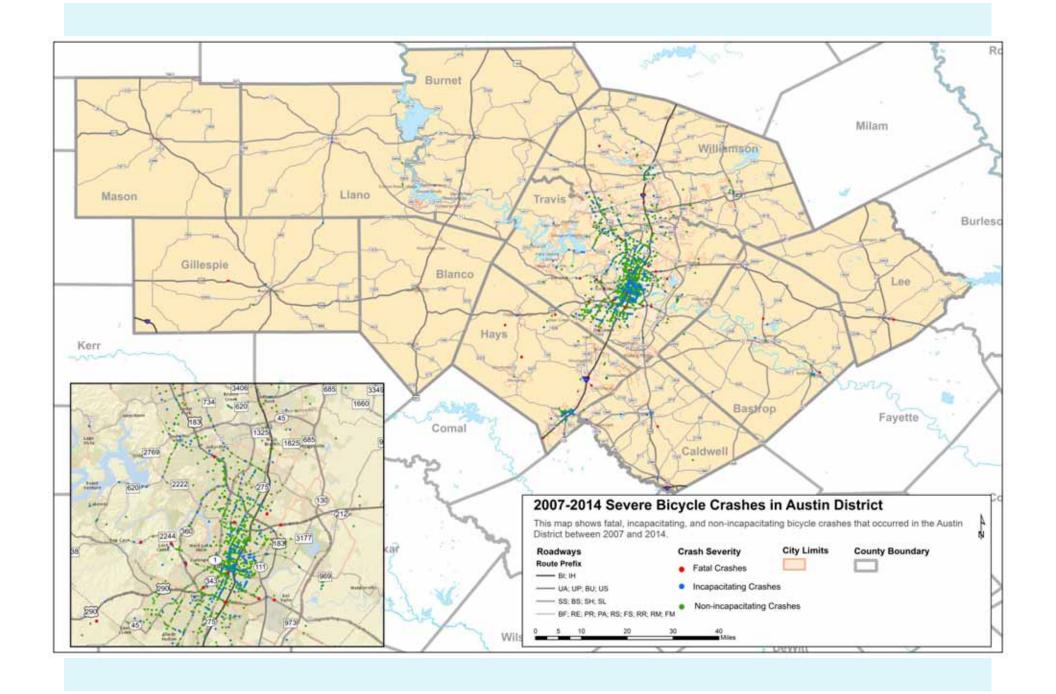
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### AUSTIN DISTRICT REPORTED KAB PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE CRASHES

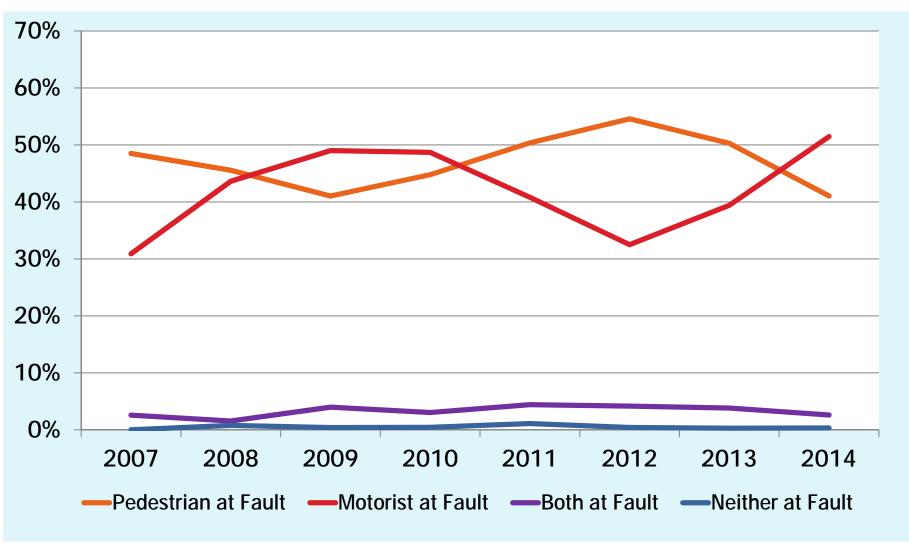






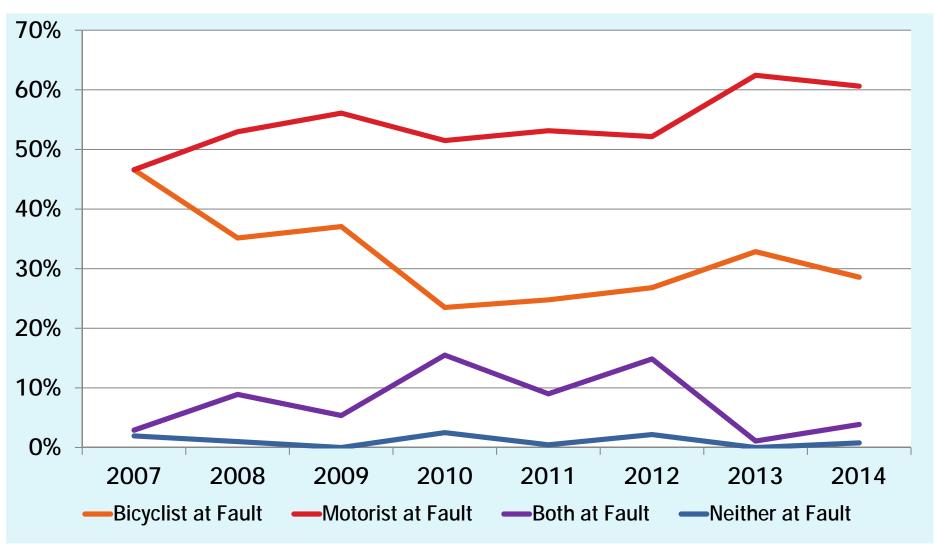
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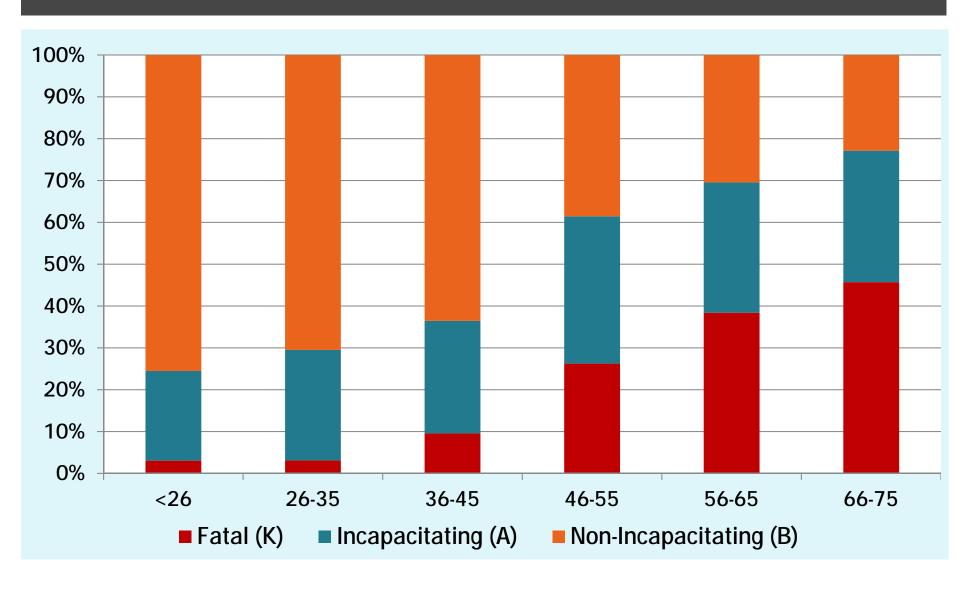


#### **BICYCLE CRASHES BY FAULT**

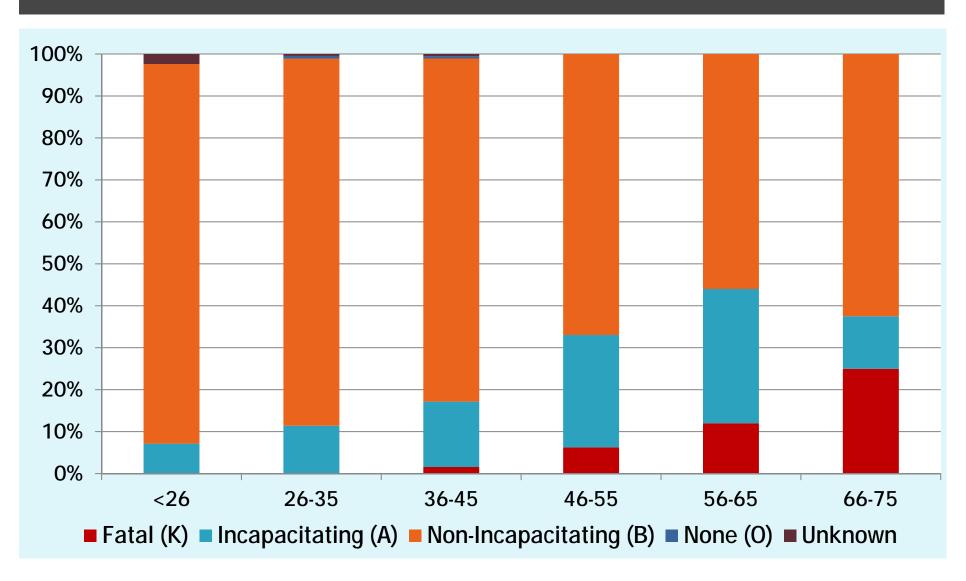




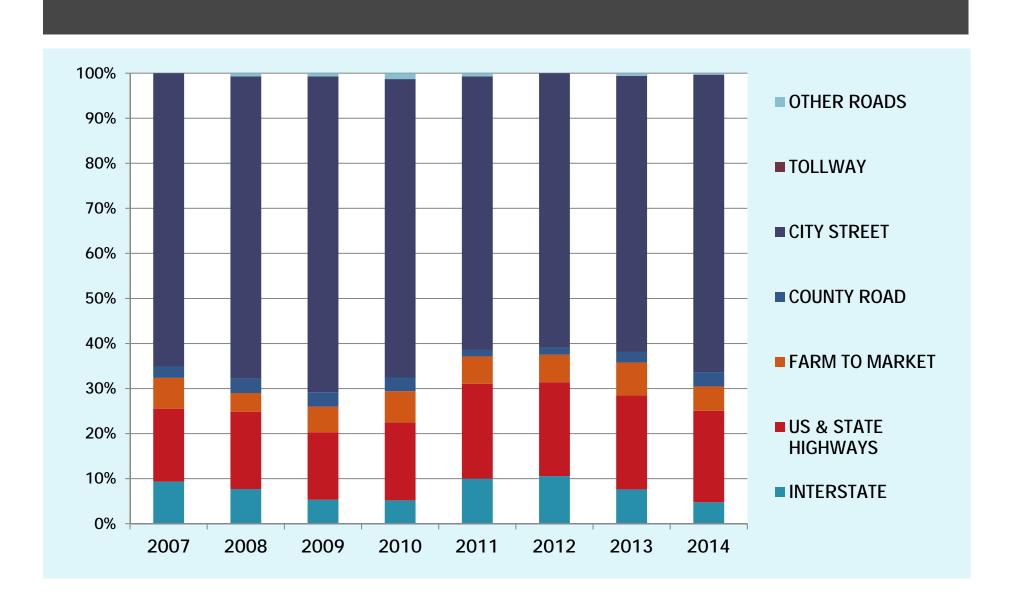
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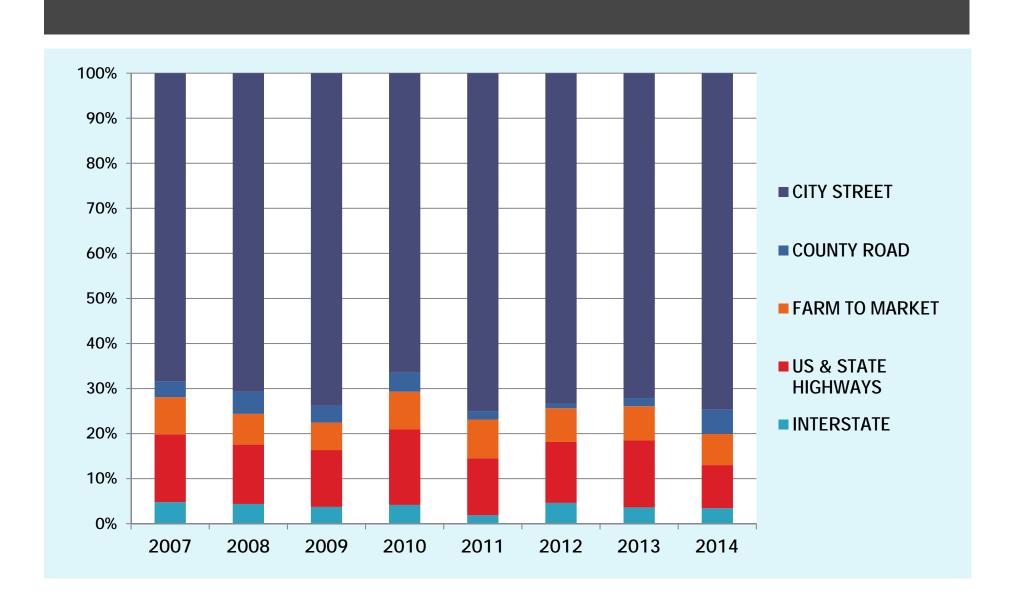
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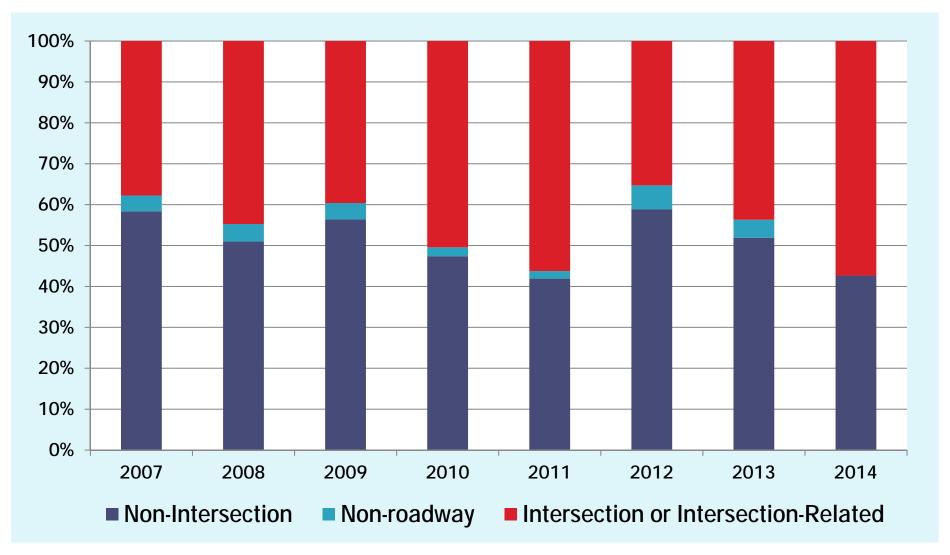


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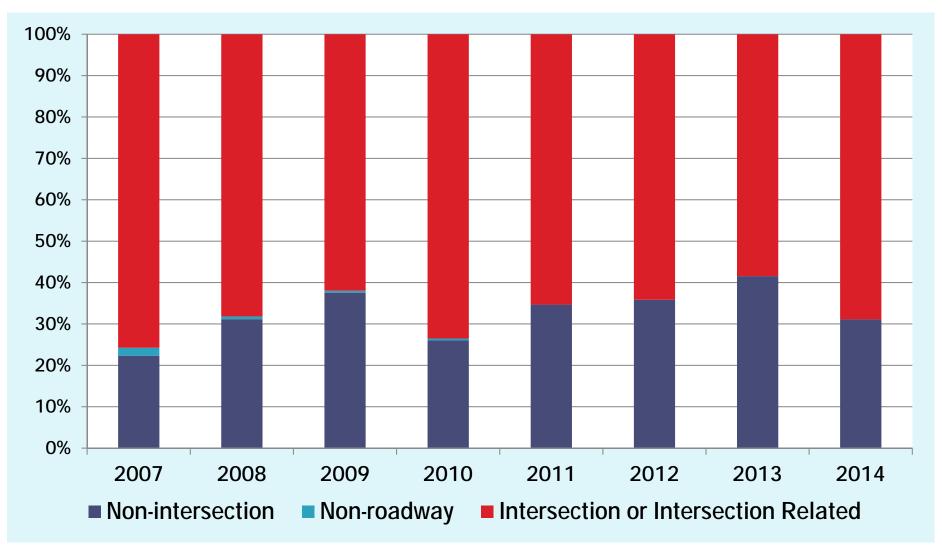
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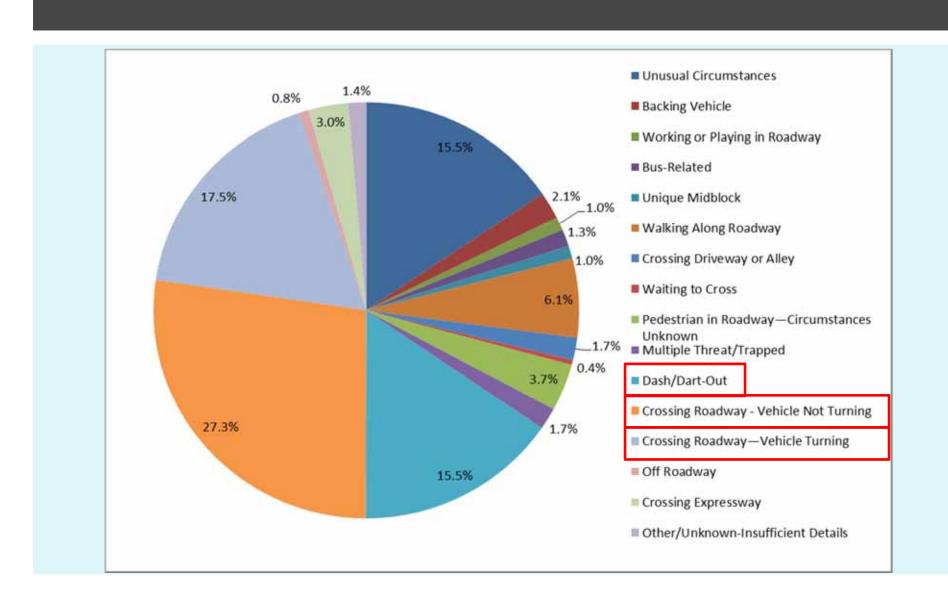


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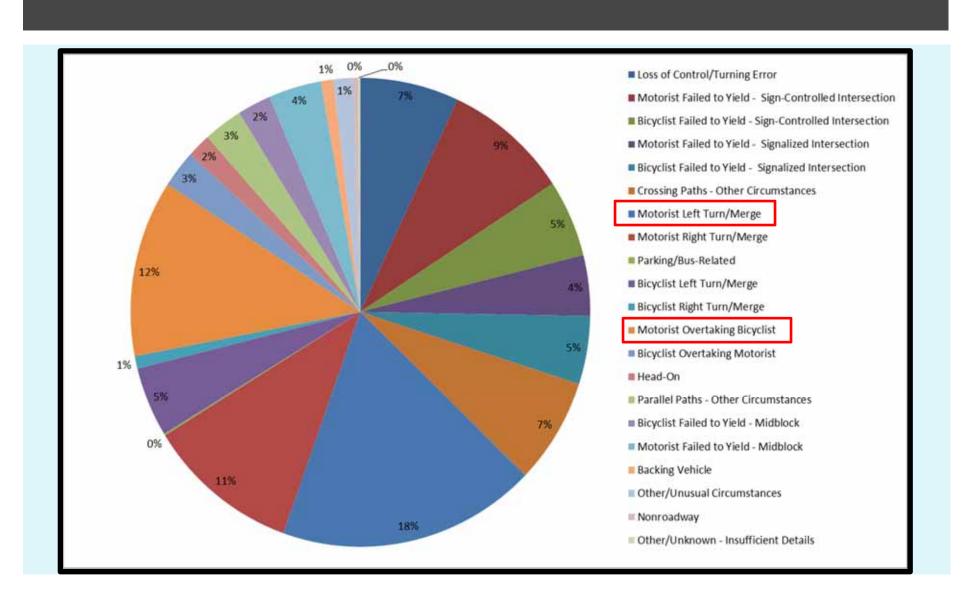




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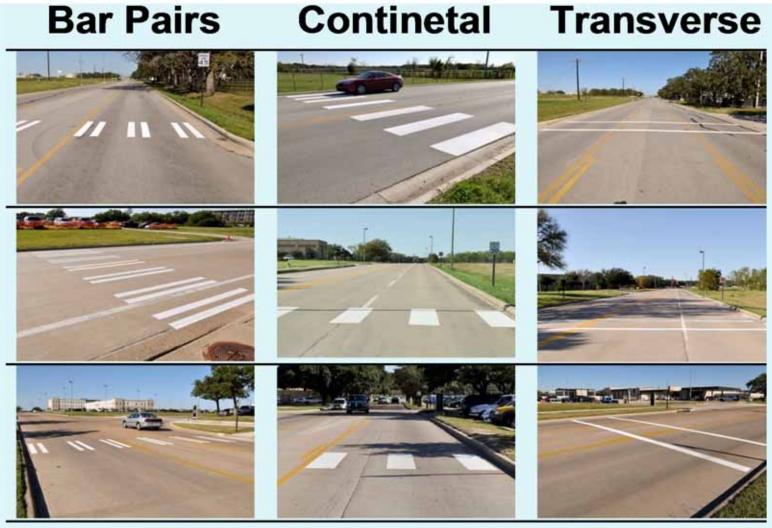
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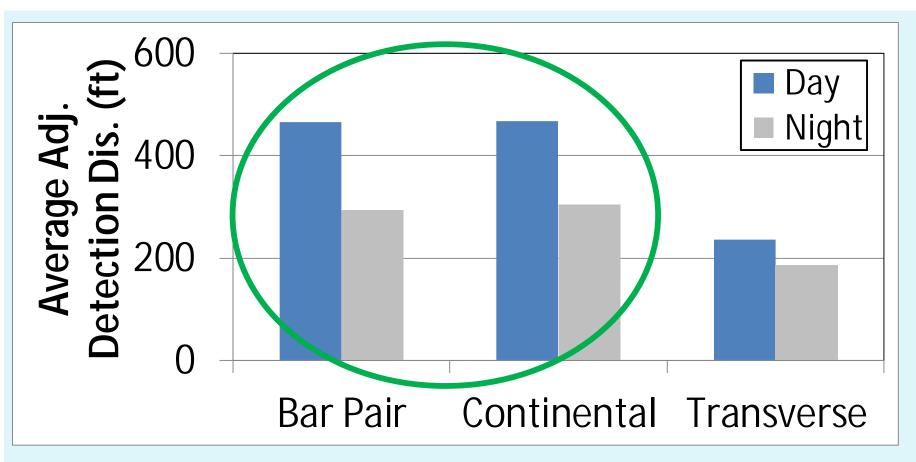
#### RECENT TTI RESEARCH EFFORTS

- Crosswalk markings
- Rectangular rapid flashing beacons (RRFB)
- Pedestrian hybrid beacons (PHB)

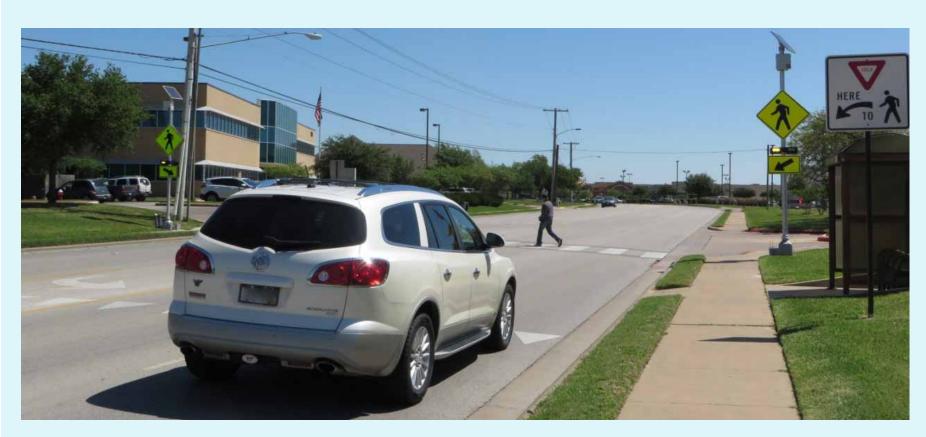
#### CROSSWALK MARKING PATTERNS



#### CROSSWALK DETECTION DISTANCE KEY FINDING = LIGHT / MARKING



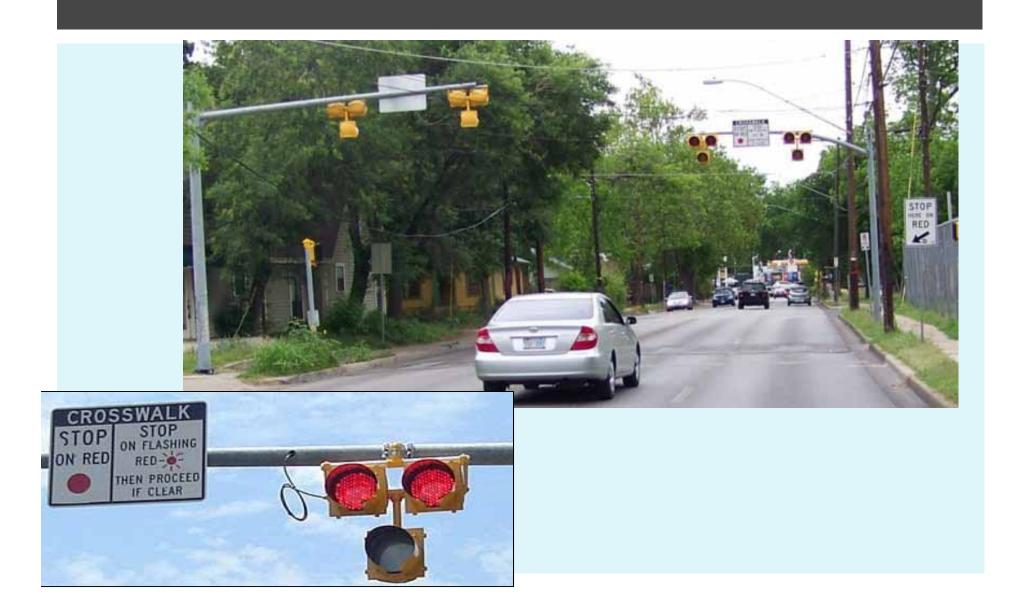
#### RECTANGULAR RAPID FLASHING BEACON



### RECTANGULAR RAPID FLASHING BEACON DRIVER YIELDING

Time	Range	Mean
Baseline	0 to 26%	4%
One week	64 to 97%	79%
One month	62 to 96%	84%
Two years	72 to 96%	84%

#### PEDESTRIAN HYBRID BEACON



#### PEDESTRIAN HYBRID BEACON CRASHES AND DRIVER YIELDING

#### Crash Reduction

- 29% reduction in total crashes
- 69% reduction in pedestrian crashes
- Driver Yielding in Austin:
  - 89% driver yielding for 45 ft crossing distance
  - 92% driver yielding for 68 ft crossing distance

#### **QUESTIONS**

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