

SPEED CUSHIONS

SPEED CUSHIONS provide vertical deflection requiring vehicles to slow down. Speed cushions are speed humps with cut-throughs that allow emergency vehicles to pass through unimpeded while still requiring typical passenger vehicles to slow down (emergency vehicles have wider wheel bases than typical cars).



Continuous
Travel



Lower
Speeds



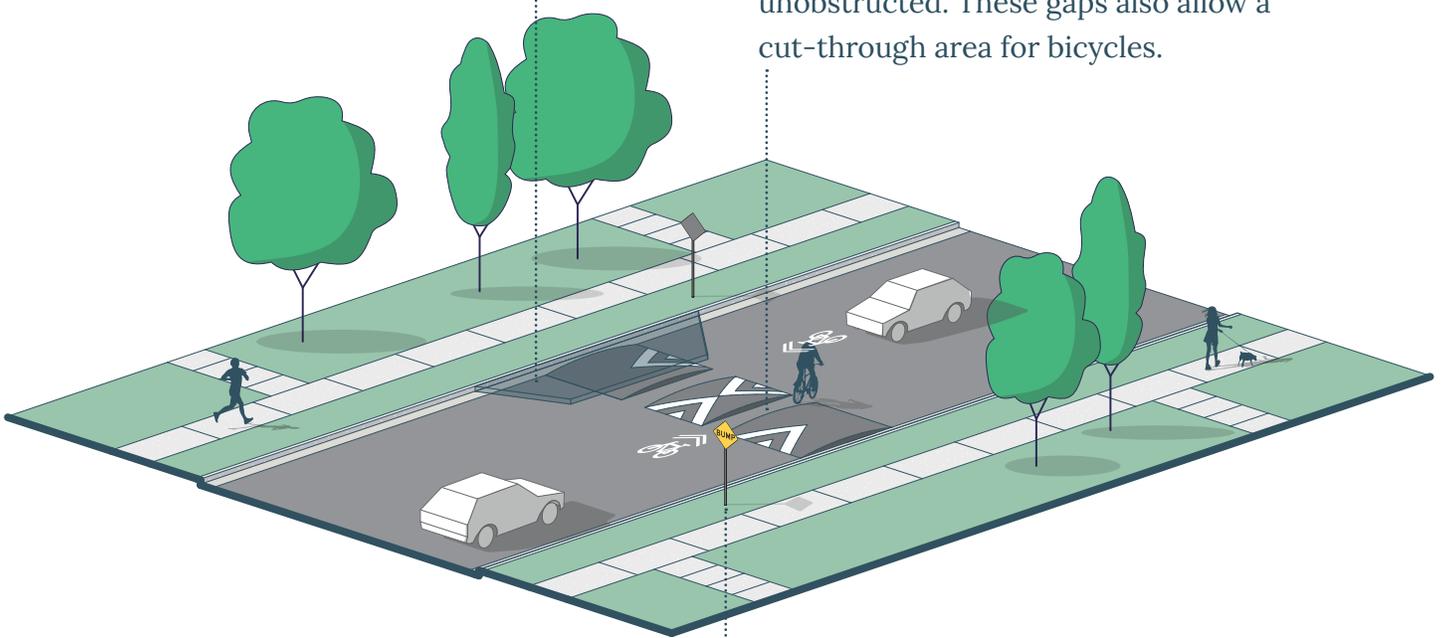
Maintained
Emergency
Access

PINCH POINT CURB EXTENSION

Pinch Point curb extension can be used to add horizontal traffic calming to the design and narrow the street.

GAPS

Gaps in the speed cushion allow emergency vehicles to pass through unobstructed. These gaps also allow a cut-through area for bicycles.



SIGNAGE

A sign warning drivers of the speed cushion should be included before the cushion



Speed Cushion with Curb Extensions in Palo Alto



Speed Cushion in Missoula, MT with center posts

