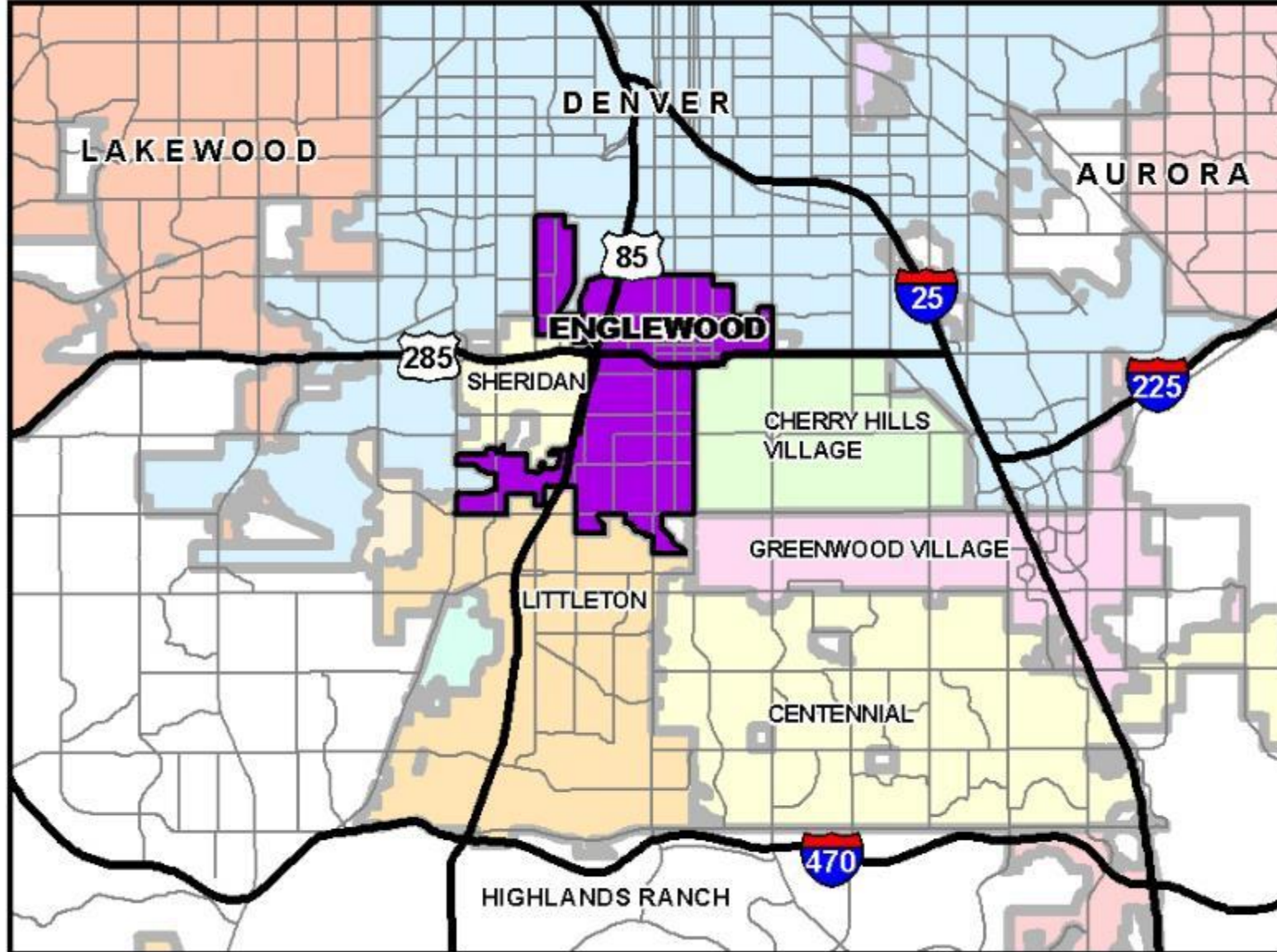


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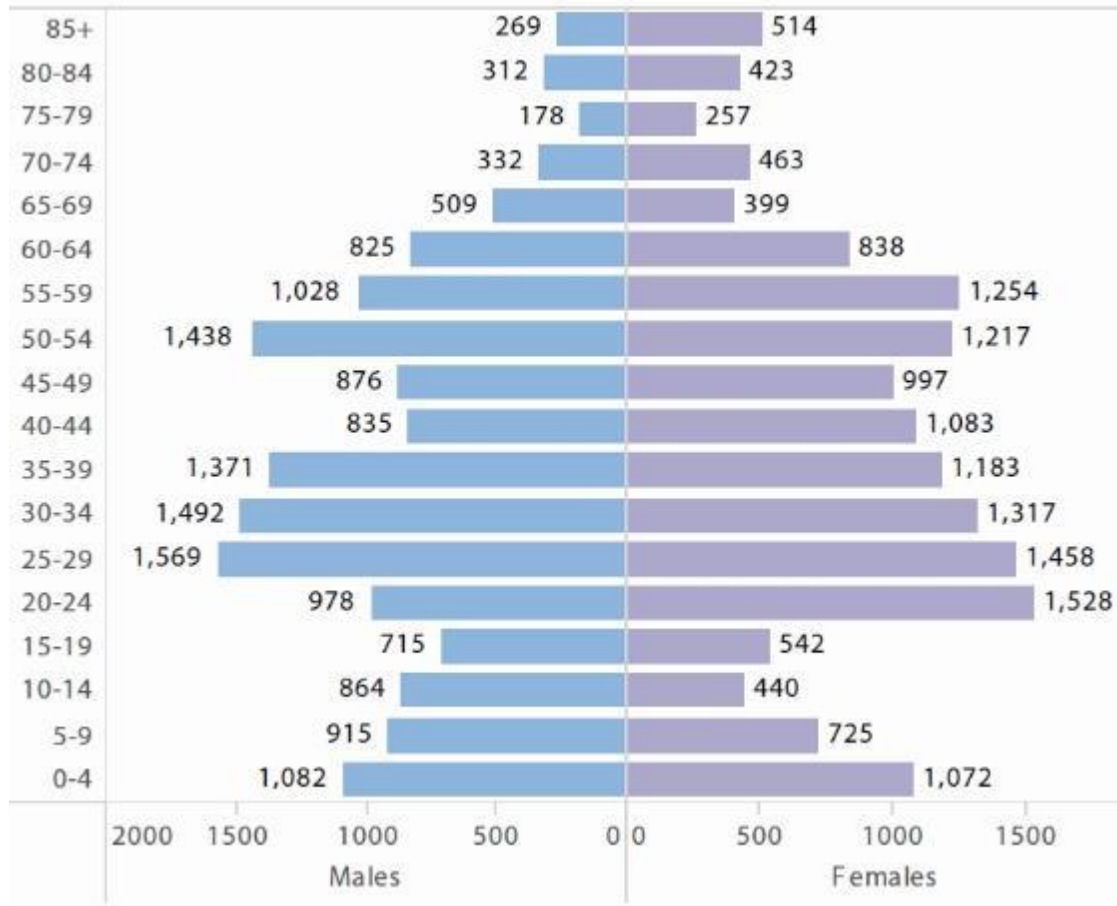
## Englewood:

Englewood is a small, comfortable community just south of Denver with a diverse population of 30,255. Englewood's central location in the Denver Metropolitan area and handy access via highways and public transportation makes it easy for, businesspeople, visitors, and residents of all ages to get around. Englewood is known for its eclectic array of businesses and its focus on the arts. The community also has excellent recreational resources, from bike paths to neighborhood parks to award-winning recreation facilities.

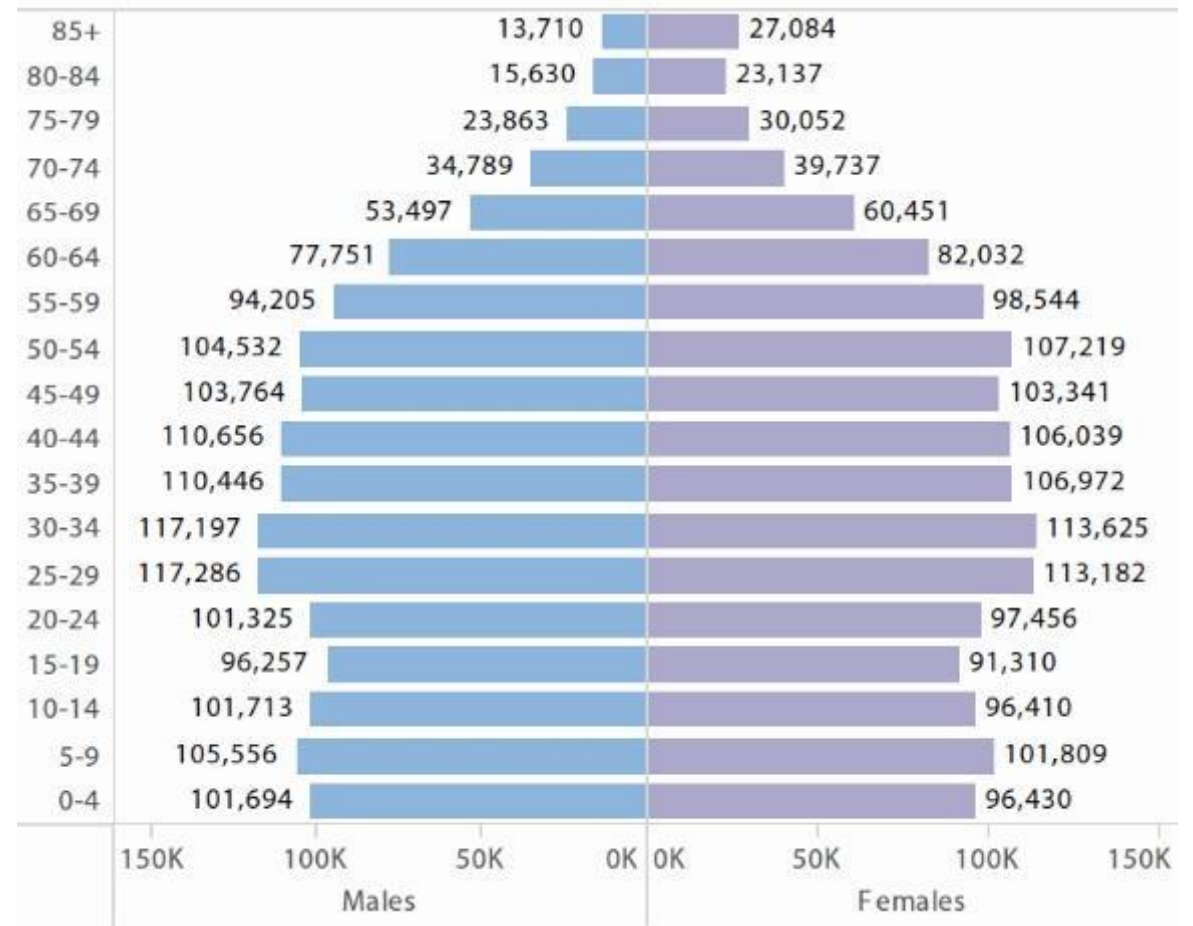


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### **Mobility and Access-**

walkable neighborhoods,  
transportation options, driver  
safety for older adults

### **Community Living-**

gathering spaces and parks, older  
adult engagement in civic and  
volunteer opportunities, helping  
older adults enter or remain in the  
workforce, community amenities,  
security, emergency preparedness  
for older adults

### **Housing-**

available, affordable and visitable  
housing options for older adults

### **Support Services-**

programs to maintain quality of life,  
independent living or safety;  
preventive health care services,  
home maintenance assistance for  
older adults

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## Mobility and Access

A LOT of improvement needed	MODERATE improvement needed	A LITTLE improvement needed	FULLY accommodated
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**Public Sidewalk System**



**EXISTING Street and Intersection Design Elements**



**EXISTING Bus Stops and Transit Stations Design Features**





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The plan's purpose was to evaluate the City's current walking and bicycling conditions and activity, as well as to develop recommendations for bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure and programs that improve safety, increase connectivity and transportation options, and encourage greater walking and biking among Englewood residents.

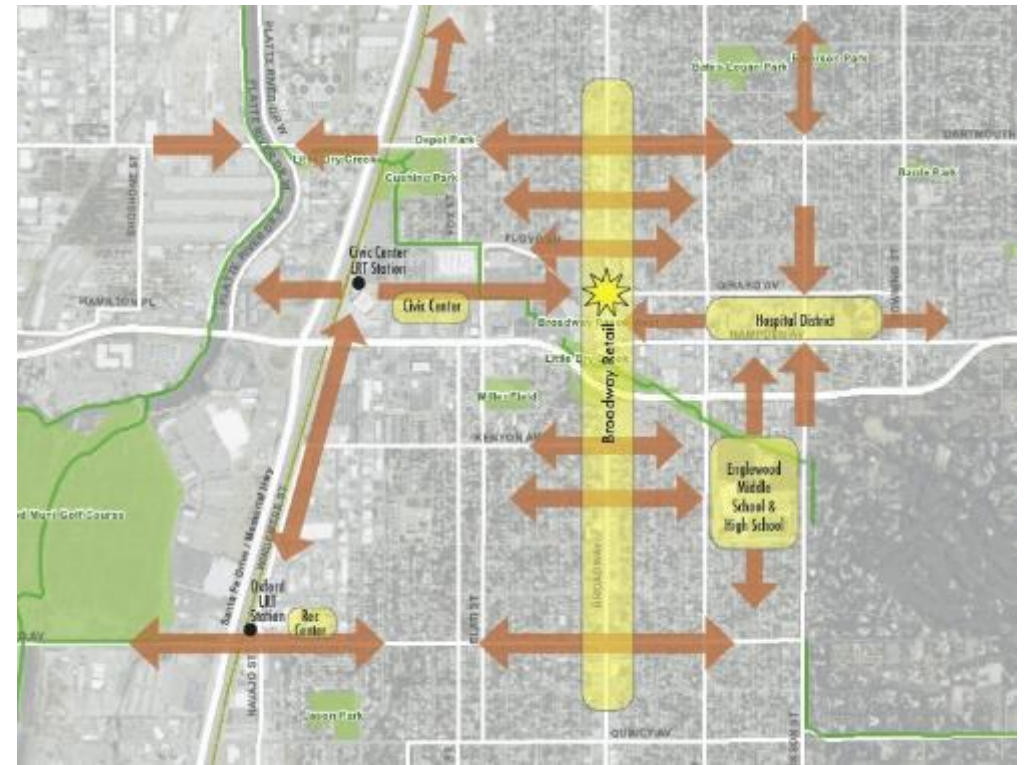
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## Transformative Pedestrian Improvements

Broadway corridor from US 285 to Dartmouth:

Enhance pedestrian scale way finding signage between CityCenter LRT Station and the hospital district:

Improved pedestrian corridors along Kenyon, Sherman, and Bannock:



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## Programmatic Recommendations

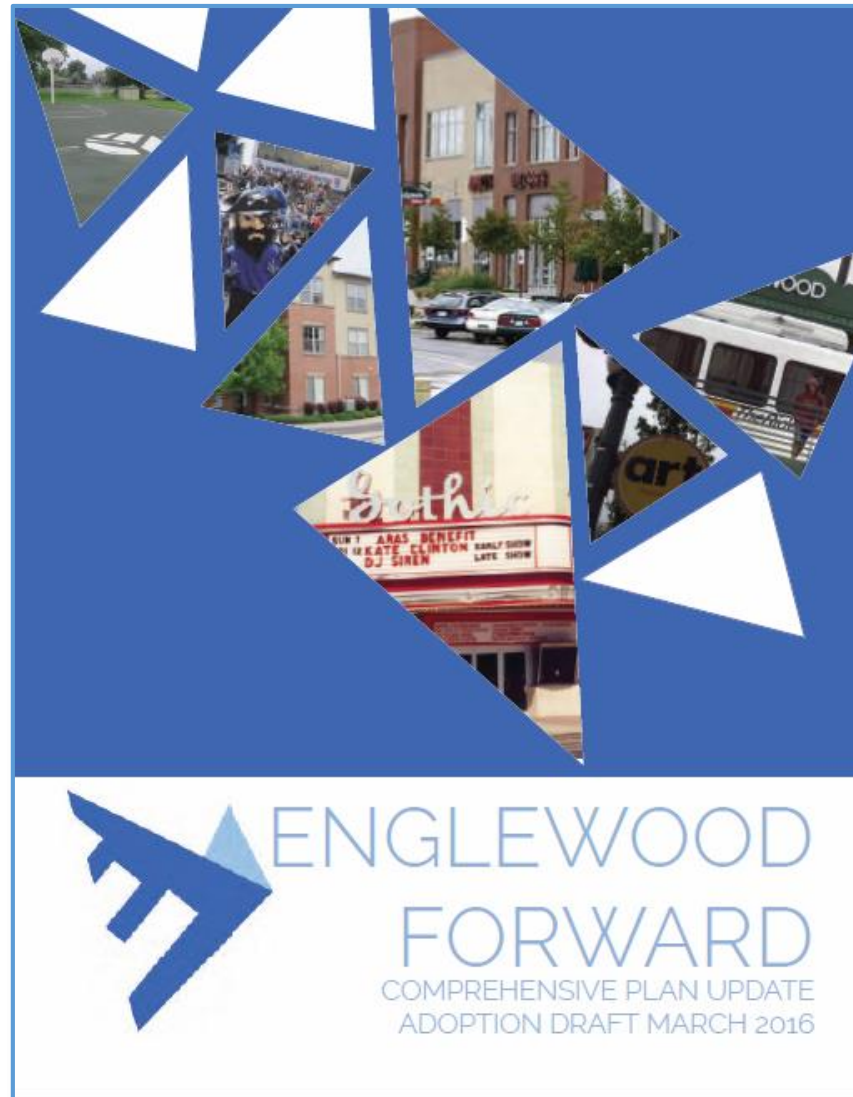
Establish a sub-committee or special citizen group to be the voice of walking & biking in Englewood and continue the dialogue between citizens and policy makers;

Seek community partners to promote increased walking and biking within the community;

Increase visibility of walking and biking through events, programming and educational opportunities;

Encourage the “interested but concerned” through the addition of new facilities

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## Englewood Forward Comprehensive Plan

### 6 Themes:

Live    Work    Shop    Move    Learn    Play

### 13 Neighborhood Areas:

Downtown/Englewood Station Area  
Medical District Area  
Oxford Station Area  
South Platte River Area  
Cushing Park Area  
Bates-Logan Park Area  
Jason Park /Maddox Area

South Broadway Heights Area  
Baker Park Area  
Romans Park Area  
Centennial Park Area  
Bellevue/Brookridge Area  
Duncan Park Area

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## Theme: Move

Current and future Englewood residents will enjoy safe walking and bicycling connections to transit, the central business district, neighborhood-serving businesses, parks and recreational facilities, and schools.

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## Goals & Objectives

**Goal Move-3:** Improve the pedestrian and bicycle environment throughout the City.

**Objective Move-3.1.** Provide safe and comfortable pedestrian facilities that are ADA compliant to connect public places and encourage pedestrian activity and active daily living.

**Objective Move-3.2.** Incorporate high-quality aesthetic design elements in all new transportation facilities, including landscape and safety elements.

**Objective Move-3.3.** Develop a Pedestrian and Bicycle Citizen Advocacy Group to promote walking and wheeling within the community and prioritize implementation of walking and wheeling improvements.



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## Goals & Objectives

**Objective Move-3.4.** Promote walking and biking through educational programming and increased awareness of travel options and active lifestyles in Englewood.

**Objective Move-3.5.** Increase the presence and visibility of pedestrian and bicycle facilities and connections throughout the City.

**Objective Move-3.6.** Improve bicycle facilities and infrastructure in strategic locations throughout the City.

**Objective Move-3.7.** Implement a wayfinding system to improve access to and through the City.

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Thank You!



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