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Your Submission:

I cycle to work and would very much appreciate if some consideration by the council road staff was given to the placement of road signs. They tend to put them in the cycle lane and usually where there are yellow no parking lines so we are pushed out into the traffic in a narrow area. I thought the council was making this a cycle friendly city

The cycle areas are littered with glass and we get many punctures. The car traffic tends to push the glass to the side of the road and of course that is the cycle lanes. Mondays are the worst day for glass and maybe the staff could clear these areas .At the moment no glass seems to be picked up and motorists just leave the debris and drive off after an accident

The cycle lane regularly has trucks, trailers and cars parked out into the lane which pushes us out into the traffic surely this could be better policed. Lip service is paid to all this but we are vulnerable on cycles. Recently the council had a big day of biking to work and all this carry on. I would be much happier to put the effort into keeping us safe. We are doing our bit for the city too and deserve much better than we get.