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Some thoughts on better street design

[A new report from the National Association of City Transportation Officials](#) offers a “one-stop guide” for design improvements - suggestions which they say have worked in other cities include separating transit from other traffic, being mindful of pedestrians’ needs and safety, and designing for the whole community, not just downtown.

A different kind of suburb

The Urban Land Institute says there’s [a growing trend toward more urbanized suburbs](#) - with increased walkability, more multifamily housing, improved transit, and other features not found in traditional suburbs.

Undoing what’s been done

US Secretary of Transportation Anthony Fox says “[we can do something about](#)” the way urban interstates separate some communities.

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