When completed, The Loop will be a 131-mile system of shared use paths and short segments of bike lanes connecting the Rillito, Santa Cruz, and Pantano River Parks with the Julian Wash and Rillito Road Greenway. More than 130 miles of paved pathways have already been completed. The Loop will extend through Marana, Oro Valley, Tucson, and South Tucson. These exciting connections are the result of Pima County’s cooperative partnerships with these jurisdictions.

The Loop will connect parks, trailheads, bus and bike routes, workplaces, restaurants, schools, hotels and motels, shopping areas, and entertainment venues. Visitors and Pima County residents can enjoy The Loop on foot, bikes, skate, and horses. If it doesn’t have an engine, it’s good to go on The Loop.

The Loop is a work in progress and projects are being completed every day. Stay up-to-date on developments on The Loop by visiting:

www.pima.gov/TheLoop

www.facebook.com/rideTheLoop

Safety on the Loop
- Always carry enough water, especially during hot weather.
- In summer, the safest time to exercise is during the cool parts of the day – before 10 a.m. and after 4 p.m.
- In less travelled areas of the path, be aware of your surroundings and, whenever possible, walk or ride with a friend.
- If riding or walking alone on The Loop, tell someone where you’re going and carry a cell phone.
- If you encounter a horse, come to a full stop, and ask the rider how to proceed.

Pass carefully on The Loop
Bicyclists:
- On a shared use pathway always slow down when approaching other trail users, give a verbal warning such as “Passing!” when you are about to pass, and provide at least three feet passing distance. Always yield to oncoming traffic. Bicycle bells are a polite way to alert people to your presence.
- Do not ride your bicycle at a speed that would feel frightening to non-cyclists using the path.
- Bicyclists should carry a tool kit and all items necessary to repair a breakdown or flat tire. Assure that your bike is in good condition before starting a ride.
- Avoid carrying items that would obstruct your vision or ability to hear.
- Do not carry a dog on a leash. Avoid using baskets or carrying sidecar or trailer equipment.
- Always keep your dog leashed and under control. Keep your pet close at your side to avoid injuring other path users who could become tangled in the leash.
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