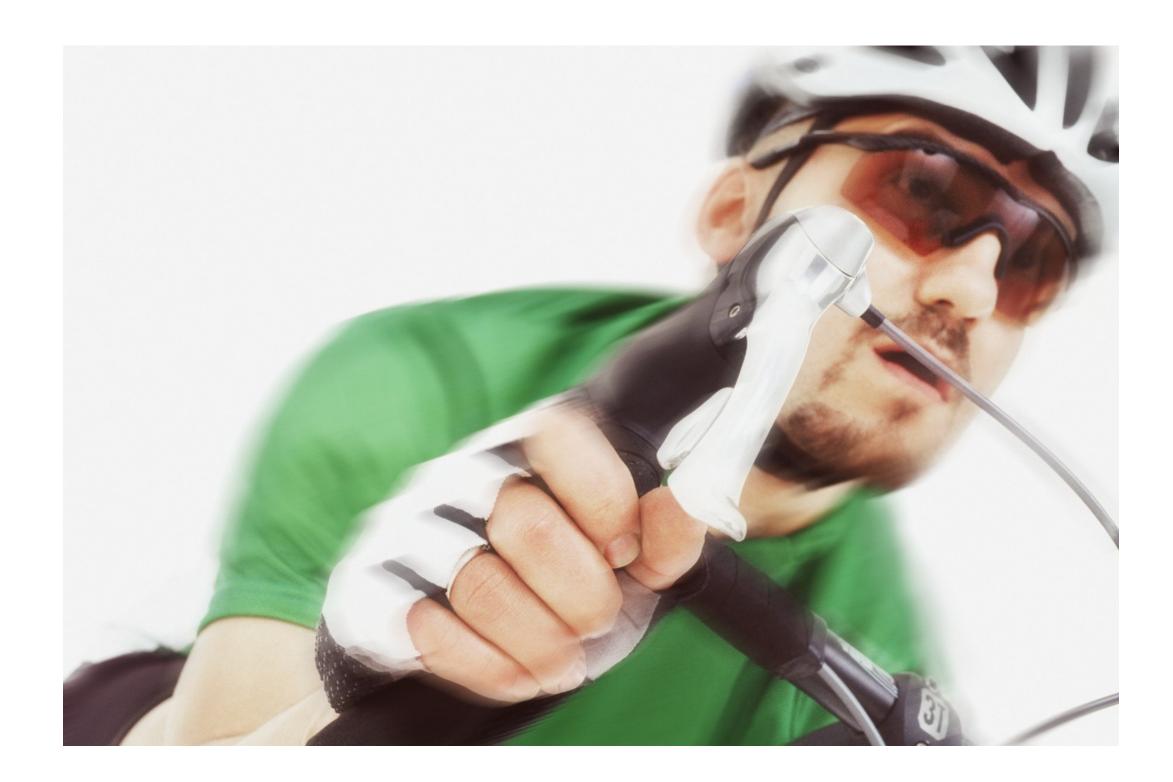
## **Cycling in Saskatoon**

As the population of Saskatoon grows so does the amount of traffic. Rising gas prices add to the need to encourage different ways to travel that are efficient, cost effective, and environmentally friendly. The popularity of cycling in our city has grown for all of these reasons. It is our goal to provide safe and user friendly cycling networks for all.



## Why does Saskatoon need a bike boulevard?

Through Saskatoon Speaks, residents told us that:

- The community values the ability to move around the city easily
- The community values the natural environment and feels that priority should be given to supporting other ways to move around, like transit use, cycling and walking.
- Providing active transportation networks to encourage walking, cycling and social interaction are also important to maintaining a high quality of life in our city.

## What is a bike boulevard?

A bike boulevard is a street or series of streets that gives priority to cyclists while local access for maintaining motor vehicles. A bike boulevard improves safety for cyclists and reduces the need for cyclists to travel on high-traffic roadways.

