

# National Committee on Uniform Traffic Control Devices

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Technical Correction

## NCUTCD RECOMMENDATION FOR CHANGES TO THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

**COMMITTEE / TASK FORCE:** Bicycle Technical Committee  
**ITEM NUMBER:** 24B-BIK-03  
**TOPIC:** Chapter 9D Technical Corrections – Remove North Arrows  
**ORIGIN OF REQUEST:** Bicycle Technical Committee  
**AFFECTED SECTIONS OF MUTCD:** 9D.02 Bike Route Guide Signs  
9D.03 BIKE ROUTE Plaque  
9D.04 Numbered Bikeway Systems  
9D.11 Mode-Specific Directional Guide Signs for Shared-Use Paths  
9D.12 Destination Guide Signs for Shared-Use Paths, and  
9D.13 Two-Stage Bicycle Turn Box Guide Signs

### DEVELOPMENT HISTORY:

Approved by Bicycle TC: 07/05/2024 and 01/08/2025  
Approved by NCUTCD Council: 01/09/2025

*This is a recommended change to the MUTCD that has been approved by the NCUTCD Council. This proposal does not represent a revision of the MUTCD and does not constitute official MUTCD standards, guidance, or options. It will be submitted to FHWA for consideration for inclusion in a future MUTCD revision. The MUTCD can be revised only through the federal rulemaking process.*

### SUMMARY:

Included are technical corrections to several Figures in Part 9, Chapter 9D Guide and Service Signs to remove North arrows from the Figures. Covers North arrows in Figures 9D-2 (Sheets 1 and 2 of 2), 9D-3, 9D-4, 9D-5, 9D-6, and 9D-7.

### DISCUSSION:

The 11th Edition of the MUTCD introduces North arrows to Part 9 Figures, however, the arrows do not have relevance to the figures and are new content after the NPA.

### RECOMMENDED MUTCD CHANGES:

The following present the proposed changes to the current MUTCD within the context of the current MUTCD language. Proposed additions to the MUTCD are shown in blue underline and proposed deletions from the MUTCD are shown in ~~red strikethrough~~. Changes previously

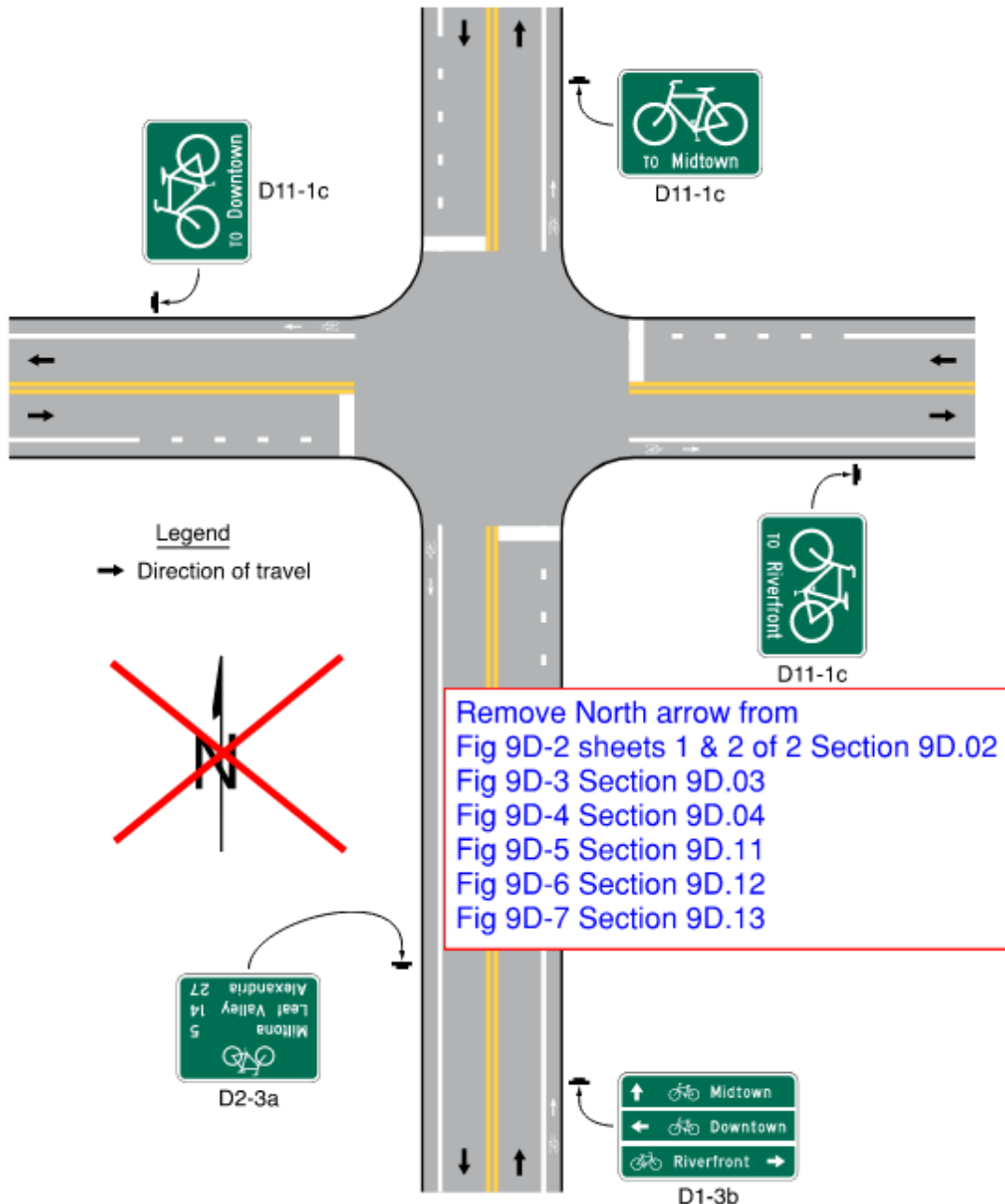
31 approved by NCUTCD Council (but not yet adopted by FHWA) are shown in green double  
32 underline for additions and ~~green double strikethrough~~ for deletions. In some cases,  
33 background comments may be provided with the MUTCD text. These comments are indicated  
34 by bracketed white text in shaded green.

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36 **PART 9. TRAFFIC CONTROL FOR BICYCLE FACILITIES**

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38 **CHAPTER 9D. GUIDE AND SERVICE SIGNS**

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40 **Section 9D.02 Bike Route Guide Signs (D11-1 and D11-1c)**

41 **Figure 9D-2. Examples of Bicycle Guide Signage (Sheet 1 of 2)**



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