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I'd like to see a couple of bicycle related items addressed by the city on southwest side of town as the new capital development projects are formulated. These include:

1) The bike lane needs to be repainted on Seminole Hwy between the Arboretum and the beltline. Placement of the 'islands of refuge' along Seminole is making it very dangerous for bikers since cars shift over into the designated bike lane to avoid each island as they pass them. How about getting rid of the islands all together?

2) There needs to be a sidewalk constructed between the Beltline and Harland Hills subdivision and the Capital City bike trail to the south. Forcing bikers and PEDESTRIANS into traffic along Seminole (esp. in the winter) is creating a very dangerous situation.

Respectfully submitted,

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