

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO



**INTERIM MAYOR
TODD GLORIA**

October 25, 2013

Ms. Janette Sadik-Khan
President
National Association of City Transportation Officials
55 Water Street, 9th Floor
New York, NY 10041

Re: Urban Street Design Guide

Dear Ms. Sadik-Khan:

The City of San Diego is proud to endorse the National Association of City Transportation Officials' *Urban Street Design Guide* as an integral and effective tool for designing streets and public spaces. The City of San Diego is in the midst of reinventing and repurposing our streets as public spaces where people can safely walk, bicycle, drive, take transit, and socialize. The *Urban Street Design Guide* charts the principles and practices of the nation's foremost engineers, planners, and designers working in cities today.

A blueprint for designing 21st century streets, the Guide unveils the toolbox and the tactics cities use to make streets safer, more livable, and more economically vibrant. The Guide outlines both a clear vision for complete streets and a basic road map for how to bring them to fruition.

The City of San Diego congratulates and gives its strong endorsement to this guide. We look forward to integrating its ideas and vision into our livable streets.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Todd Gloria".

TODD GLORIA
Interim Mayor

