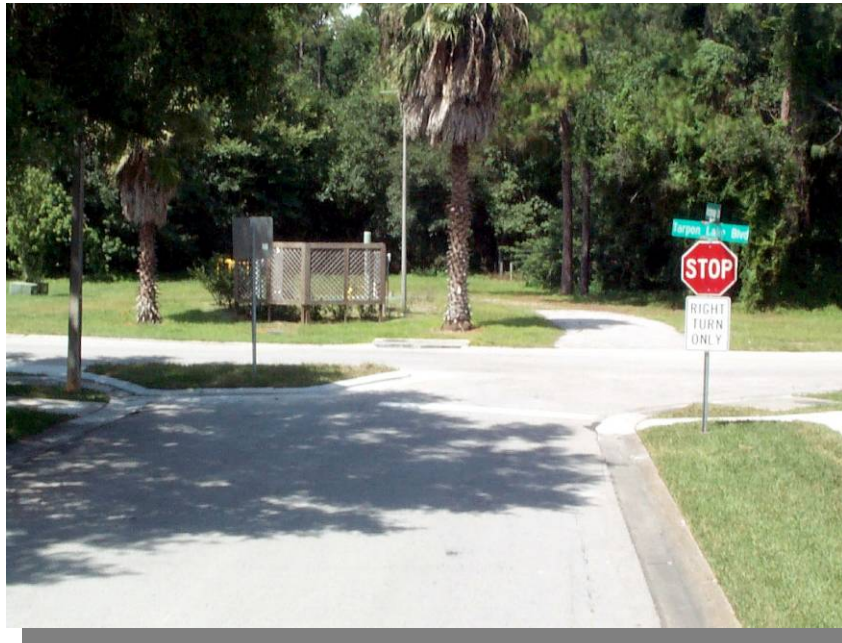


PARTIAL STREET CLOSURE

Definition: Physical blockage of one direction of traffic on a two way street. The open lane of traffic is signed “One Way”, and traffic from the blocked lane is not allowed to go around the barrier through the open lane.



ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduces through traffic in one direction and possibly in the other. • Allows two way traffic on the remainder of the street. • Good for pedestrians due to shorter crossing distance. • Provides space for landscaping. • Can be designed to provide two way access for bicycles. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduces access for residents. • Emergency vehicles are only partially affected as they have to drive around partial closure with care. • Compliance with semi-diverters is not 100%. • May increase trip length for some residents. • Maintenance responsibility if landscaped.

EVALUATION CONSIDERATIONS

SAFETY	←-----→	IMPROVED PEDESTRIAN CROSSING
SPEED REDUCTION	←-----→	POSSIBLE
TRAFFIC REDUCTION	←-----→	YES
FUEL CONSUMPTION	←-----→	SMALL INCREASE
POLLUTION	←-----→	SMALL INCREASE
COST EFFECTIVENESS	←-----→	LOW TO MEDIUM
EMERGENCY SERVICES	←-----→	NO EFFECT