BIKE TO WORK DAY



TPB Technical Committee

April 3, 2015

Bike to Work Day

- Rolled out regionally in 2001 by Commuter Connections
- Friday May 15, 2015
- Celebrates bicycling as a clean, fun, and healthy way to get to work
- Substantial increases in participation each year





Bike to Work Day Support for Bicyclists

- Cycling classes
- Bicycling to work guides (pamphlets)
- 79 pit stops throughout region
- Guaranteed Ride Home
- Commuter Convoys

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Bike to Work Day Offers

- Food & prizes
- Bike maps and literature



Bike to Work Day Offers

- Bike Tune-ups
- Camaraderie







And Free T-shirts!



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Bike to Work Day Anything Goes!













Bike to Work Day Press Coverage





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Growth by Year



Bike to Work Day

- Coincides with National Bike to Work week
- 16,800 registrants in 2014
- Goal for 2015 is 19,000
- Proclamation at April TPB meeting



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Bike to Work Day Employers

- Encourages business community support
- Employers benefit through reduced parking and improved employee health & fitness
- Employer sponsored pit stops
- Employer Challenge

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Employers Support for Bicyclists

- Bicycles racks
- Bike lockers and cages
- Showers
- Personal gym lockers
- Bike subsidy
- Capital Bikeshare memberships





Bike to Work Day Survey

- Conducted every three years (2013)
 - Online survey to all event participants
 - Response rate of 29 percent
 - Measures impacts of bicycle commuting before and after event
 - Survey results used in TERM Analysis





Bike to Work Day 2013 Survey

Age Breakdown

Age	Percent
18-24	3%
25-34	26%
35-44	22%
45-54	28%
55-64	17%
65 +	4%





Bike to Work Day 2013 Survey

State	Home	Work
District	28%	48%
Maryland	28%	21%
Virginia	44%	31%



Home and Work States

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Bike to Work Day 2013 Survey



Employed By

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Bike to Work Day 2013 Survey



- After Bike to Work Day 2013
 - 10% of respondents started bicycling to work 1.4 days/week





Rain Date Policy

- Bike to Work Day is a rain or shine regional event
- Pit stops are encouraged to have a contingency plan ready
- Pit stops however may determine to cancel their local pit stop event based on severe weather conditions.





Rain Date Policy Reasoning

- The ambiguity what's enough rain to postpone the event?
- What if it rains in one area of the region and not another?
- No guarantee it wouldn't rain on rain date
- May send the wrong message that one cannot bike in the rain





VIP Invitations

- WABA to formally invite elected officials via letter
- All TPB members on the list

Officials asked to RSVP to the pit stop

of their choice.



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Website





Bike to Work Day

On Friday May 15, 2015 Commuter Connections and the Washington Area Bicyclist Association Invite you to join over 10,000 area commuters for a celebration of bicycling as a clean, fun, and healthy way to get to work. Attend one of 79 pit stops throughout D.C., Maryland, and Virginia to receive refreshments, and be entered into a raffle for bicycles being given away.



Free Registration Click Here

Pit Stops

Seventy nine pit stops will host Bike to Work Day events throughout D.C., Maryland and Virginia. Take a break at a pit stop on your way to work for lots of food, fun and prizes. Register now, it's free! There are also a few pit stops open for your afternoon commute back. Read More.

Commuter Convoys

Bicycle commuter convoys are forming now for Bike to Work Day on May 15th. All bicyclists are welcome to join the free convoys and there's no need to sign up. Convoys are led by experienced bicycle commuters. Read More...

Sponsors



Event Poster

A PDF of the new Bike to Work Day 2015 event poster is now available! Click here to see this year's event poster

Find a Ride Buddy

Use the Washington Area Bike Forum to find a ride buddy for Bike to Work Day, or join an online discussion about bicycling in the Washington, D.C. area. Read More

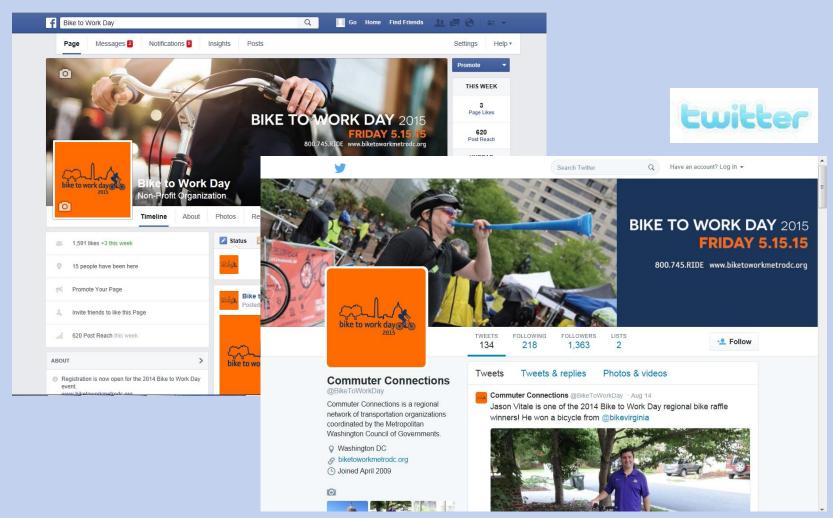
Increase Bicycling Skills

WABA's adult bicyclist education opportunities are available throughout the Washington region for a wide range of skill sets, from beginners to advanced. There are also seminars for commuting to work, Read More ...

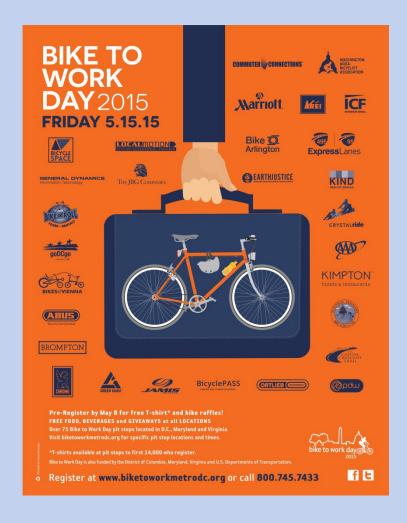
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Social Media

facebook.



Bike to Work Day Posters / Rack Cards







Bike to Work Day Hispanic Outreach



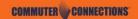
El Tiempo Latino



Bike to Work Day Banner

ALEXANDRIA - OLD TOWN

Market Square at City Hall 301 King Street 6:30 am to 8:30 am



























Register at www.BIKETOWORKMETRODC.org or call 800.745.7433





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