Bike Share in the United States
Lessons Learned and Emerging Best Practices for Integrating Public Transportation and Planning

Washington DC
Thursday, March 22
Friday March 23

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Grand Hyatt Washington
Constitution B
1000 H Street NW,
Washington, D.C., 20001

Friday
American Public Transportation Association, 1666 K Street,
NW Suite 1100,
Washington, DC 20006

Capital Bike Share Warehouse,
1812 Half Street SW,
Washington, DC 20003
Bike Sharing has quickly emerged as a cost effective and sustainable strategy to bolster public transit usage and get more Americans biking in our cities and towns.

Join the conversation as city officials, transit operators, researchers, and leading experts on bike sharing gather to discuss best practices and lessons learned for bike share systems in the United States.

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7:30-8:15 AM  Check-in

7:30-8:45   Breakfast

8:15-8:30    Welcome
Terry Bellamy, Director, District Department of Transportation

8:30-9:00   Opening
Ron Thaniel, Executive Director, NACTO
Matt Welbes, Executive Director, Federal Transit Administration

9:00-9:30   Bike Share in Context
Susan Shaheen, PhD, Co-Director,
Transportation Sustainability Research Center,
Director, Innovative Mobility Research,
University of California Berkeley

9:30-11:00   Existing Bike Share Systems in the United States
Moderator: David Vega-Barachowitz, Sustainable Initiatives
Program Manager, NACTO
Parry Burnap, Director, Denver Bike Sharing
Mitch Vars, I.T. Director, Nice Ride Minnesota
Nicole Freedman, Director, Boston Bikes
Chris Holben, Bike Share Project Manager,
District Department of Transportation (Washington, DC)

11:00-11:15   Break

11:15-12:45 PM  Emerging US Bike Share Systems in the United States
Moderator: Rich Weaver, Director - Planning, Policy & Sustainability,
American Public Transportation Association
Dan Bower, Transportation Options Division Manager,
Portland Bureau of Transportation
Heath Maddox, Senior Planner, Livable Streets Subdivision,
San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA)
Kate Fillin-Yeh, New York City Department of Transportation
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12:45-1:45  Lunch Plenary: Bike Share Emerging Best Practices Report  
*Moderator:* Gabe Rousseau, Livability Team Leader and Bicycle & Pedestrian Program Manager, FHWA  
RJ Eldridge, Director of Planning, Toole Design Group

1:45-2:00  Break

1:45-4:45  Roundtable Discussions  
Introduction: David Vega-Barachowitz, NACTO  
*Funding, Sponsorship, Pricing, and Financial Sustainability*  
Hosted by Parry Burnap, Director, Denver Bike Sharing  
*Gaining Community and Political Support for Bike Share*  
Hosted by Josh Moskowitz, Bike Share Project Manager, DDOT  
*Coordinating Transit, Bike Share, and Infrastructure*  
Hosted by Lynne Goldsmith, Metro Bike Program Manager, LAC Metro  
*Bike Share Equipment, Capital Costs, future developments, and emerging technologies*  
Hosted by Paul DeMaio, MetroBike  
*Rebalancing, operations, and data management*  
Hosted by Darren Buck, Federal Transit Administration

4:45-5:45  Final Discussion of Roundtable Topics  
10-15 minutes each

6:30-8:00  Bike Share Reception  
*Grand Hyatt: Constitution C*
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7:30-8:30 AM  Breakfast & Coffee

8:30-10:00    Planning Transit Operations and Bike Sharing
Moderator: Darren Buck, Transportation Program Specialist, Federal Transit Administration
Kristin Haldeman, Manager, Access Planning & Policy Analysis, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) Washington Metro
Lynne Goldsmith, Metro Bike Program Manager, LAC Metro
William Van Meter, Assistant General Manager, RTD FasTracks Team, Denver

10:00-10:15   Accessing Transit: Folding Bike Demonstration
Fred Silver, Vice President, CalStart

10:15-10:35   Bikes and Transit: A Federal Perspective
Matthew Lesh, Transportation Program Specialist, Federal Transit Administration

10:35-10:55   Integrating Public Transport in North America
Ralph Buehler, Assistant Professor in Urban affairs and Planning, Virginia Tech

11:00-12:00 PM  An In-depth look at New York City Bike Share
Kate Fillin-Yeh, New York City Department of Transportation

12:00 – 1:30   Open Lunch & Bike Ride

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1:30-3:00    Tour of Capital Bike Share Facilities
See insert for details

3:00-3:30   Closing Discussion