

## Healthy & Ride

Transit Integration

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**About Us** 

Pittsburgh Bike Share expands access to public transportation through affordable and easy-to-use active transportation opportunities.

50 500 May 2015 220,000 Stations Bikes Launch Trips

### Types of Transit Integration



and equity

transit user

**Indicators** Intervention Bikeshare access to stored cash Use transit payment infrastructure Fare to expand bikeshare accessibility value on transit smart card: Integration bikeshare/transit cost-sharing Integrated Ride credit for transit users: Incentivize bikeshare adoption by Marketing cross-promotion of services current transit users Technical Single access card: Increase discoverability, access for current transit users open data feed Integration Pay-as-you-go pricing; 24/7/365 Design services to be intelligible to Service Design availability Bikeshare proximate to premium Expand bikeshare density in Co-location transit infrastructure catchment area of freq. transit Sparse bikeshare system; Increase frequency of mass transit No Integration infrequent transit network

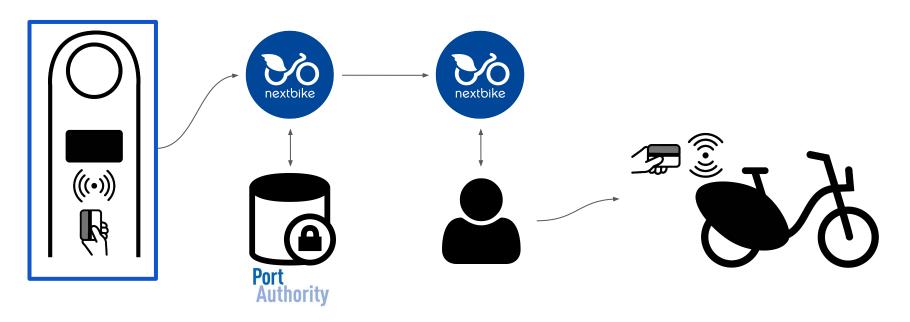
### 2017 Pilot Overview

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### Reduce Obstacles for Transit Agency:

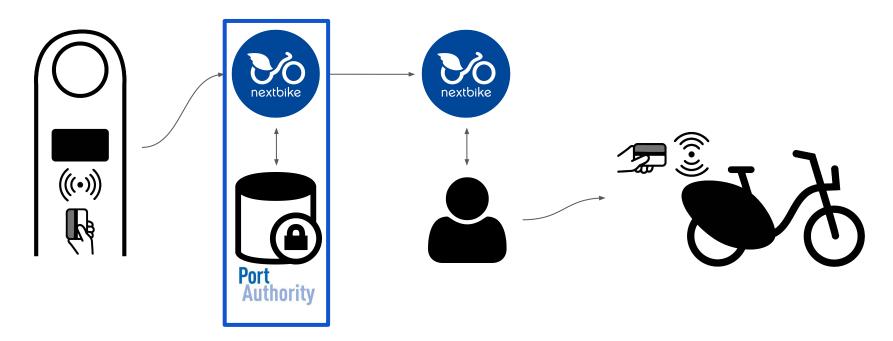
- Six month pilot
- Uses existing technology
- Does not require any accounting integration
- Transit pass holders receive unlimited 15 min rides
- Opportunity for review upon pilot completion

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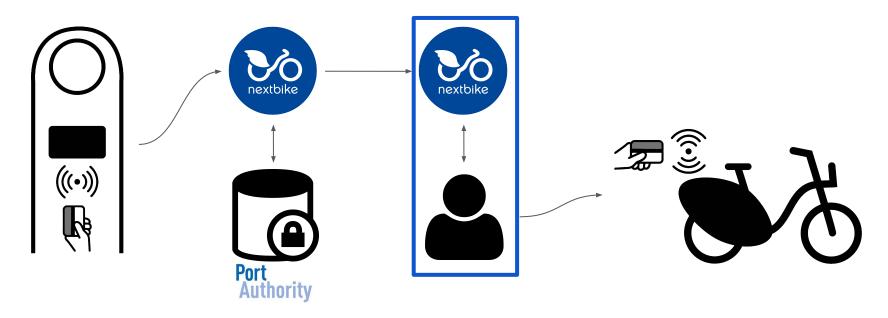
1. User taps Port Authority ConnectCard on Healthy Ride kiosk and enters mobile phone number.

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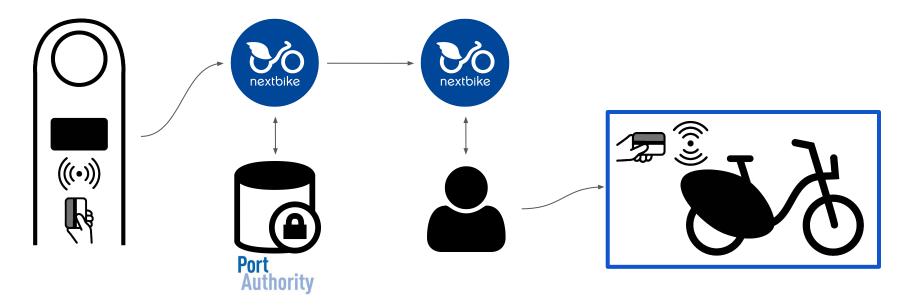
2. Nextbike system checks ConnectCard ID against a whitelist provided by Port Authority

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3. Nextbike links ConnectCard with Healthy Ride user account and activates voucher. If no Healthy Ride account is found, a new account is activated using a code sent to user's mobile phone.

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4. User may now rent bikes by tapping ConnectCard on bike computer.

Voucher allows unlimited free 15 minute rentals. If user exceeds 15 minutes, a text message is sent asking them to top up their account.



## Objectives

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### **Quantitative**

- Increase the number of total Healthy Ride trips
- Expand the number of registered Healthy Ride users
- Measure and analyze the revenue impact of free ride time for all Connect Card holders

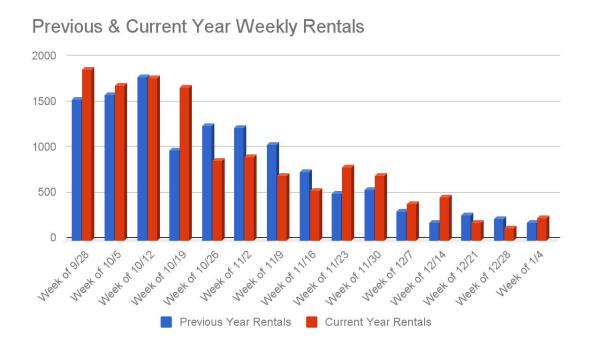
### **Qualitative**

- Support the regional ecosystem of transit options
- Better position Healthy Ride as an easily recognizable transit service
- Increase awareness of the Healthy Ride system
- Increase awareness of the benefits of the Connect Card payment system

## Objective: Increase trips

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4.3% increaseduring first3 months







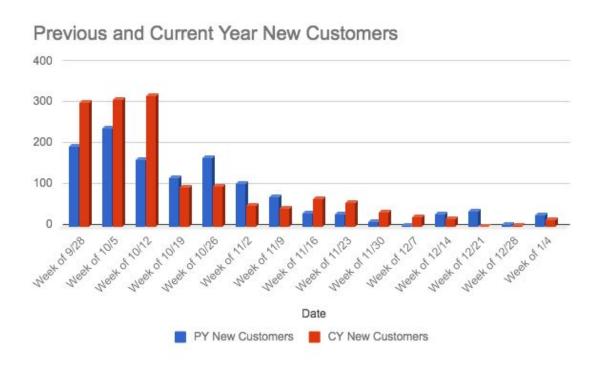
# 19.9%

Percentage of all trips taken by ConnectCard users since 9/28/17 launch.

### Objective: Attract new users

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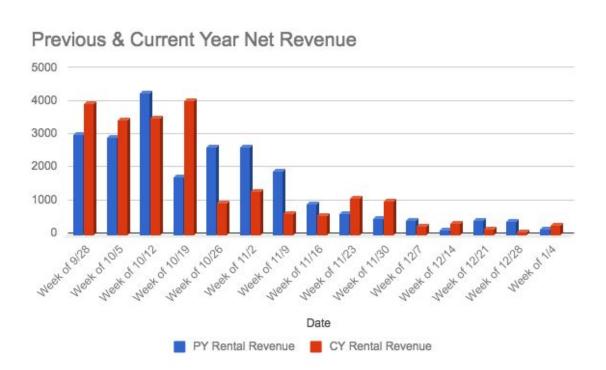
16.5% increaseduring first3 months



### Objective: Measure revenue

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4.4% decreaseduring first3 months



### Adoption requires awareness

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### **Messaging Strategy**

- Bus (interior and exterior)
- Bikeshare stations
- Campaign website
- Radio
- Digital
- Outreach events
- Earned media



### Media Coverage: The Highlights





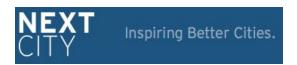




10.11.17 | WORLD CHANGING IDEAS

## Pittsburgh's Bike Share Is Now Free With Your \$1 Transit Pass

To combat inequity in the use of the city's bike system, now anyone who uses other forms of transit can also access the cycles.





Pittsburgh Offers Bus Riders Free Bike-Share Trips

## PITTSBURGH BECOMES FIRST U.S. CITY TO OFFER FREE BIKE SHARE TO TRANSIT RIDERS

by: Stefani Cox

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Port Authority offers bus-to-bike option to Pittsburgh commuters

Pittsburgh Post-Gazette

Once good for Port Authority rides only, ConnectCard now good for bikes, too



In Pittsburgh, Transit Passes Come With Bike-Share Access at No Extra Charge



Pittsburgh's NPR News Station

Ride The Bus? Snag Unlimited 15-Minute Bike Trips For Free

### Social Media

63,500+ impressions

2,250+ engagements

.7% click through rate

### Top mention earned 319 engagements



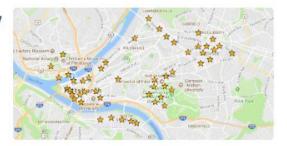
### **KDKA**

@CBSPittsburgh · Sep 28

.@PGHTransit ConnectCard users can now hop off the bus or the T and get on a @HealthyRidePGH bike for a free ride: cbsloc.al/2xP0YaQ

### Top media Tweet earned 10.7K impressions

ALL stations have been updated with ConnectCard linking capabilities. Visit any kiosk to set up your CC benefits. change.healthyridepgh.org pic.twitter.com/Z0l0sheAkm



#### Top Tweet earned 17.3K impressions

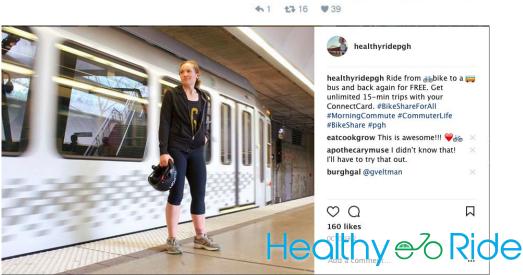
JUST ANNOUNCED: Healthy Ride partners with Port Authority to bring ConnectCard users FREE bike share, #Multimodal #PGH pic.twitter.com/UWn4n1cwH3



Ride from as bike to me bus and back again for FREE, Get unlimited 15min trips with your ConnectCard, Visit Change, HealthyRidePGH, org to learn



132 Reactions 10 Comments 27 Shares



### **Conclusions:**

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- Make it easy for your transit authority to say yes
- Make it easy for your riders to use
- There is demand for bikeshare & transit integration
- Bikeshare & transit can be mutually supportive and are more competitive with other modes when they are packaged seamlessly



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