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#### **BAKERSFIELD LAUNCHES BIKESHARE**

Partnership with Spin for two-year electric bike pilot | April 4, 2022

The City of Bakersfield, California has partnered with Spin to launch a two-year electric bikeshare (e-bike) pilot. As of Monday, April 4, 125 pedal-assisted rechargeable e-bikes are available for rent, ondemand. This program was funded by an Active Transportation Program state grant, which supports the bikeshare's operation, maintenance, and discounts for students and low-income individuals. The standard cost for a ride is \$1 to unlock and \$0.39 per minute to ride. Bikes can be booked via the Spin app and either returned to a Spin rack or locked out of the way when the trip is complete.

#### ST. LOUIS PILOTS MICROTRANSIT

Partnership for on-demand electric shuttle service | March 28, 2022

The City of St. Louis's Downtown Engagement and Public Safety Initiative has partnered with Labyrinth Smart Mobility to launch STL Downtown Link, a microtransit pilot for free, on-demand shuttle service in downtown St. Louis, Missouri. Through this program, Labyrinth Smart Mobility will manage two six-person electric shuttles, which will operate on weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. The pilot is funded through the American Rescue Plan Act and will run until the end of the year. STL Downtown Link aims to enhance connectivity and improve access to local amenities.

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