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METRO BIKE SHARE LAUNCHES E-BIKE PILOT

Metro Bike Share now offers electric pedal-assist bikes in Los Angeles, CA

Launched on November 8, 2018 (3 month pilot)

Metro Bike Share (a partnership involving the City of Los Angeles, LA Metro, the Port of LA, bikeshare provider, BCycle, and bikeshare operator, Bicycle Transit Systems) has launched a three-month electric bikeshare pilot. As of November 8th, a limited number of pedal assist electric bikes (e-bikes) have joined Metro Bike Share's existing bike fleet and are available for use in Downtown LA. These white e-bikes enable riders to travel up to 17mph, as long as the rider is pedaling. Bikes can be rented at the same rate as the standard black Metro Bike Share bikes, using a rider's Transit Access Pass (TAP) card or by purchasing the ride at a Metro Bike Share station. Once the trip is complete, users simply return the e-bike to one of the docking stations.

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Mobility Innovation listening session



OVERVIEW

The FTA is launching its Integrated Mobility Innovation Demonstration program to advance a vision of mobility on demand promoting safe, carefree, and reliable transportation for everyone. The program brings together the Mobility on Demand (MOD) Sandbox demonstrations; Strategic Transit Automation Research (STAR); and Mobility Payment Integration (MPI) while leveraging FTA's leadership of the Accessible Transportation Technologies Research Initiative (ATTRI). Come learn about this significant investment in innovation and research, hear from 2016 MOD Sandbox participants as they share successes and lessons, and help FTA craft a way forward toward Effective Complete Trips for All.

AGENDA

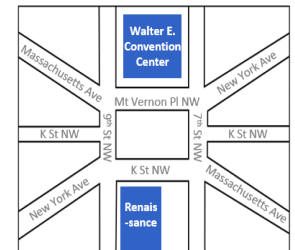
- Welcome
- Opening Remarks
- Sandbox Project Highlight Video
- Integrated Mobility Innovation Demonstration Overview
- Questions and Answers Session
- Closing Remarks

WHEN

Wednesday,
January 16th, 2019
2:30 to 4:30 PM

WHERE

Mt. Vernon Square B
Renaissance DC
Downtown
999 9th Street NW
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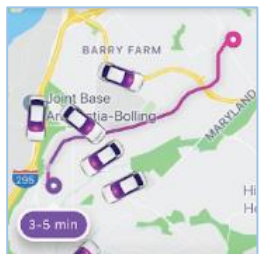
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