

# **Annual Meeting**

Tuesday, September 20, 2017

FDOT District 5 Regional Commuter Assistance Program



# Agenda

Welcome & Introductions

Rebranding: Becoming "reThink Your Commute"

Overview of Fiscal Year 2016/2017

What's Coming in Fiscal Year 2017/2018

Discussion & Questions



### Who We Are

- reThink Your Commute is a program of the Florida Department of Transportation
- We promote smart transportation solutions for Central Florida's workforce
  - Carpools, vanpools, transit, biking and walking
  - Compressed work weeks and telecommuting
- We serve nine counties: Brevard, Flagler, Lake, Marion, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Sumter, and Volusia





### **Our Team**

### Florida Department of Transportation District 5 Project Manager: Diane Poitras **Program Manager Courtney Reynolds Program Coordinator Senior Outreach Specialist** Riccian Vidal Stephen Alianiello **Outreach Specialists** Reginald Mells Courtney Banker Cynthia Brown

#### **Additional Resources**

Linda Costa Communications Group
Steer Davies Gleave
Day Communications
Blue Zones, LLC



### **Our Stakeholders**



























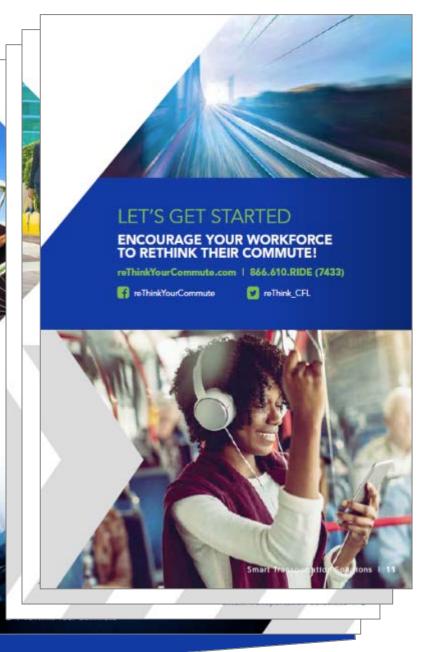


### Rebranding

- >>> Marketing plan recommended a logo and collateral refresh to "revitalize the reThink brand"
  - After October 4, 2016 Annual Meeting, we requested your input on a new logo design
  - Between October 27-31, 95 people provided input in the draft logo designs
  - A final version was selected in late November 2016







#### **Rebranding: New Collateral**





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# Work Program Goals

- >>> Goal 1: Mode shift (behavior change) and/or maintenance by commuters
- Goal 2: Adoption and implementation of Transportation Demand Management(TDM) policies and programs by employers, municipalities and property managers
- Was Goal 3: Increase awareness of commute options and the reThink Your Commute program
- Coal 4: Regional coordination



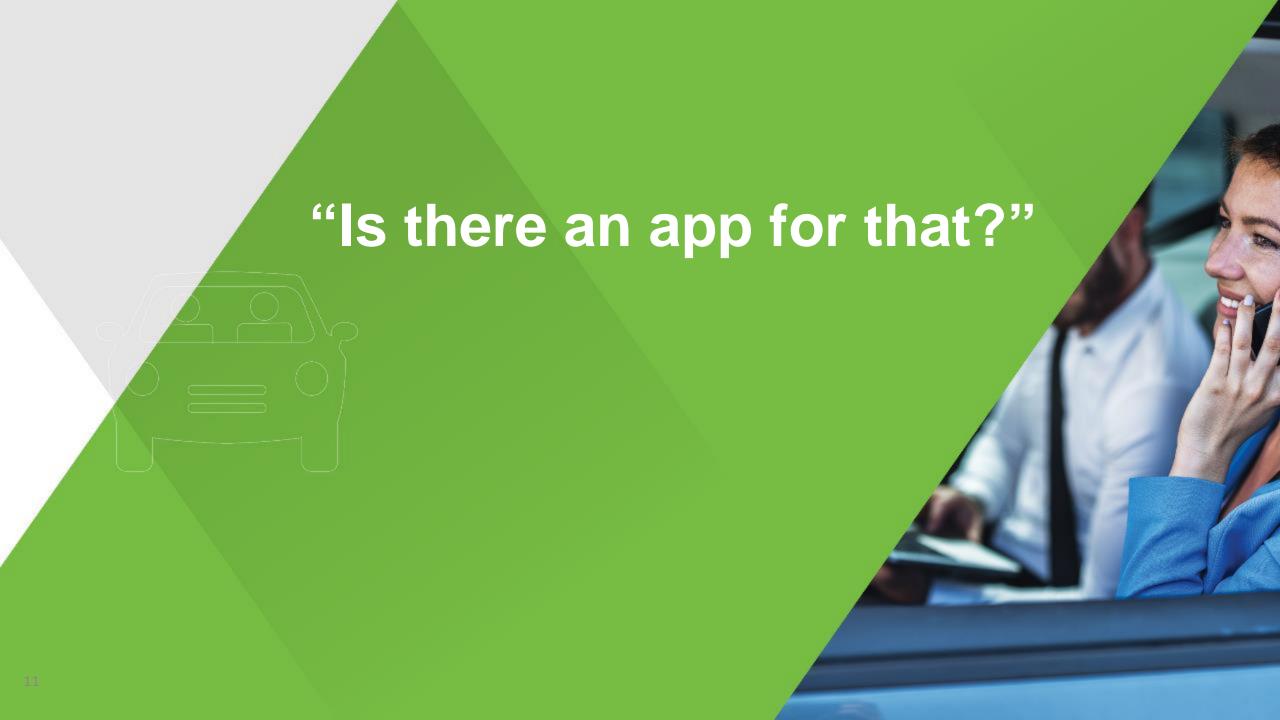


### FY 2016/2017

- >>> Goal 1: Mode shift (behavior change) and/or maintenance by commuters
  - Objective 1.1. Increase number of carpoolers by 1% in target areas
    - Strategy 1.1.4 Provide and promote <u>streamlined</u>, <u>user-friendly electronic</u> <u>method</u> for potential and existing carpoolers to connect
  - Objective 1.3 Increase transit ridership for work trips by 1% in target areas
    - Strategy 1.3.5 <u>Develop a mobile application</u> for data from all transit agencies in District 5 that improves the user-experience and allows for easier trip planning

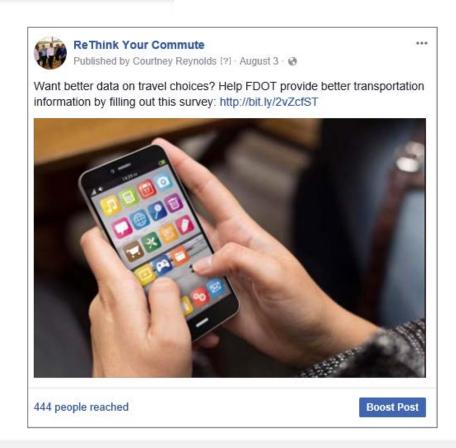






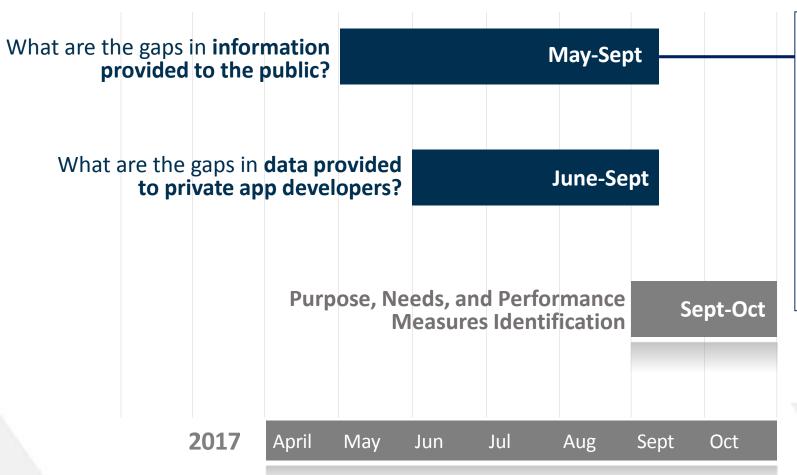
### **Technology**

- >>> FDOT Route & Mode Choice Market Study (formerly known as the End User Technology Study)
  - Kittelson & Associates, with Echo Interaction Group, leading this effort
  - Vision: Provide the end user/traveling public with better information for multimodal route and mode choice
  - Purpose: Identify mobile apps currently being used, what gaps exist and what role FDOT could play in filling those gaps





### **Schedule**



- Background Research
- Public Survey
- Focus Groups
  - How do you currently use transportation technology to inform your travel choices?
  - What do you see as the gaps in travel choice information?



### **Next Steps**

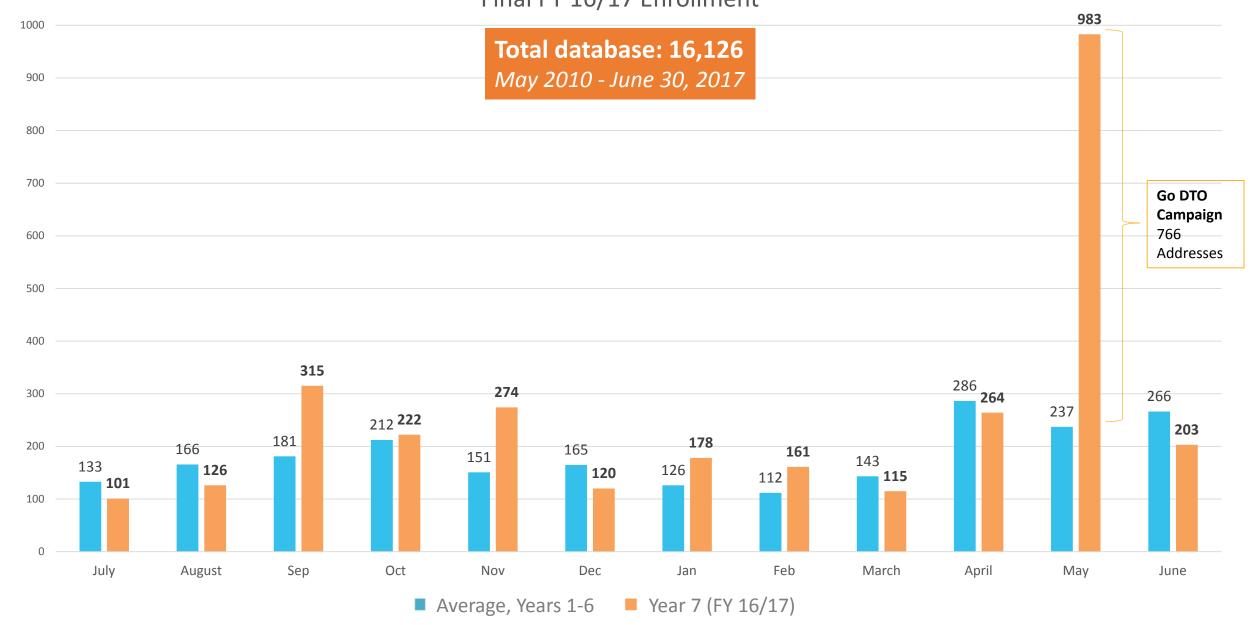
- >>> Document findings from public survey, focus groups and vendor discussions
  - Over 350 responses to the public survey
  - Focus groups held in Daytona Beach and Orlando, capturing feedback from customers on what data is missing, like things to do near transit stations
- Develop and document "Purpose and Need" statement for FDOT TSM&O Application Engine project
- Develop and document Performance Measures
- >>> Our work continues





#### **Ridematch Database**

Final FY 16/17 Enrollment



### FY 2016/2017

- >>> Goal 1: Mode shift (behavior change) and/or maintenance by commuters
  - Objective 1.3 Increase transit ridership for work trips by 1% in target areas
    - Strategy 1.3.1 <u>Partner with transit agencies</u> to provide support for their marketing efforts, including SunRail, LYNX, Space Coast Area Transit, Votran, LakeXpress and SunTran
    - Strategy 1.3.3 Create <u>"mode moments"</u> by awarding one-time incentive prizes onboard targeted transit routes/service area
    - Strategy 1.3.4 Provide customized information and assistance in planning <u>"last mile" connection</u> to/from transit service to worksites



LYNX • Fall 2016







#### How to Participate

- Ride SunRail in the morning from your home station to the Maitland Station.
- Board the Maitland NeighborLink 652 bus to connect to your office.
- As you board the NeighborLink, place your business card in the collection box next to the driver.
- Winners will be selected weekly at random!





Space Coast Area Transit • January 2017









SunRail • February 2017











Transit Trainings • FY 2016/2017





Department of Homeland Security, US Citizenship & Immigration Services September 2016

Rollins College September & October 2016

Greater Orlando Aviation Authority (GOAA) January 2017

Pinnacle Property Management *May 2017* 

ADP (Maitland)

June 2017

## **Promoting Last Mile Connections**

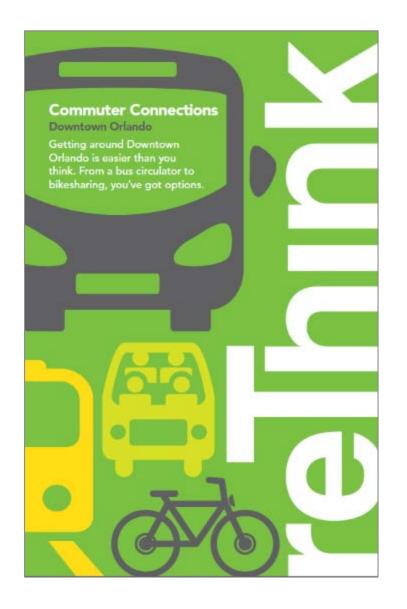
Bike Like A Boss, CareerSource Central Florida • November 2016

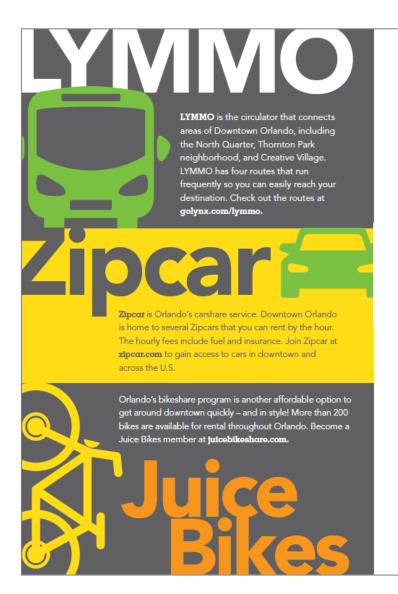




### **Promoting Last Mile Connections**

"Commuter Connections" Brochure for Downtown Orlando • FY 2016/2017





#### How to get to

# Downtown Orlando?

#### **SunRail**

SunRail is Central Florida's commuter rail service, connecting residents to worksites in Downtown Orlando. Train service runs Monday through Friday, with service every 30 minutes during peak hours. Limited Saturday service for special events is now available thanks to funding from community partners. Find more information at SunRail.com.

#### **Rideshare**

Sharing the ride to work can be a great way to reduce stress, save money and connect with new friends. Commuters traveling more than 20 miles each way to work can save even more by vanpooling to work. The reThink team makes it easy to share the ride with their free ridematching service. Check out reThinkYourCommute.com to learn more.

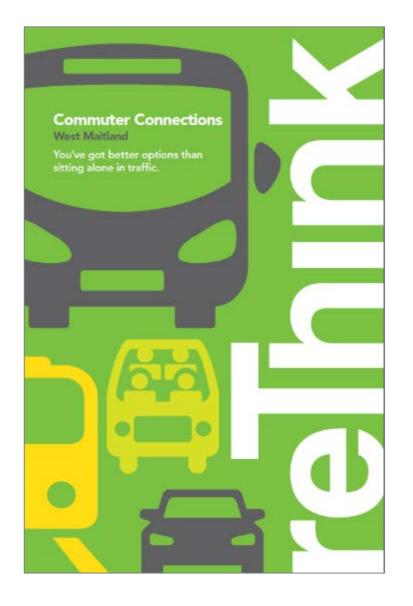
#### **Transit**

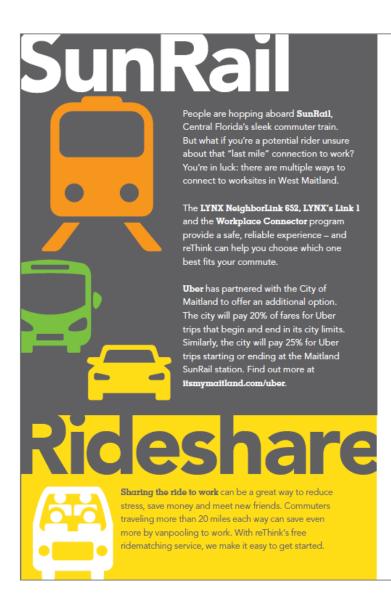
All roads lead to LYNX ... especially if you're headed to Downtown Orlando. With 34 routes serving LYNX Central Station, you'll find it easy to commute downtown using this bus service. Visit golynx.com to plan your trip today.



### **Promoting Last Mile Connections**

"Commuter Connections" Brochure for West Maitland • FY 2016/2017





# Skip the Rush

in West Maitland

Traveling to the office every day, five days a week?
That's so 20th century. Consider these alternatives to
transform the how, where and when to get to work.

#### Telecommute

Tired of congested commutes? Save time and money by telecommuting – a good match for certain positions and employees. For companies looking to start a telecommute program, reThink can provide guidance on the best way to structure and monitor it.



### Compressed Work Schedules

Traditional "9-to-5" schedules mean people are traveling the roads at the same time each day. One popular option to reduce rush-hour congestion and eliminate a day of driving is shifting to four 10-hour work days. The reThink team can make sure it all adds up to cost savings for your employees and your company.



### **Contact Us!**

Contact the reThink team at **info@reThinkYourCommute.com** or call **866.610.RIDE (7433)** for a free customized summary of options for you or your worksite.

### FY 2016/2017

- >>> Goal 1: Mode shift (behavior change) and/or maintenance by commuters
  - Objective 1.5 Increase bike commuting for work trips by 1% in target areas
    - Strategy 1.5.1 Partner with local businesses to <u>launch a "Bicycle Benefits"</u> <u>program</u> to offer incentives for bike commuters
    - Strategy 1.5.2 <u>Host events and seminars</u> to address barriers to bike commuting, including safety concerns, bike selection and maintenance, hygiene and other critical areas of concern
    - Strategy 1.5.6 <u>Host bike-to-work events/rides</u> to provide guided assistance and encourage to target areas



Bicycle Benefits Program • FY 2016/2017

#### **Teaming up with the National Program**

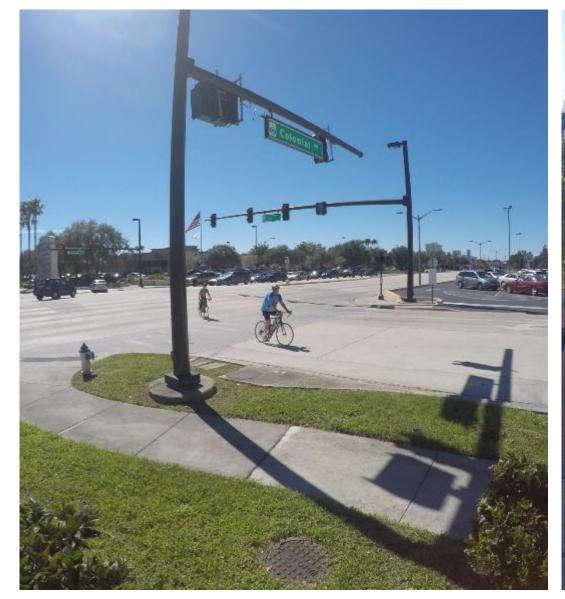
- Businesses select an offer/discount to offer, provide information at <a href="http://bit.ly/2uBGjDG">http://bit.ly/2uBGjDG</a>
- Businesses receive a starter kit, which includes a window decal and 2 helmet stickers
- Cyclists can receive a free helmet sticker from our program or our partners
- Cyclists display sticker on helmet at participating businesses to receive the offer/discount
- Participants encouraged to share their experience on social media with #reThinkYourCommute







Cycling Savvy Course • October 2016





BIKE FRIDAY Rides to Downtown Orlando • October-December 2016



Live in one of Orlando's awesome neighborhoods and work downtown? Bike with us to work and discover something new about Orlando.

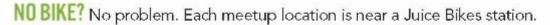
We will meet at 7am every Friday from October to December, leaving from these neighborhoods:

FIRST FRIDAYS: East End Market in Audubon Park

SECOND FRIDAYS: The Gallery at Mills Park

THIRD FRIDAYS: Downtown Credo in College Park

FOURTH FRIDAYS: The Coffee Garden in Downtown South



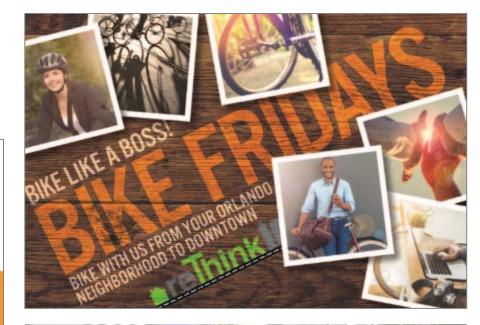
HOW TO GET HOME? We'll ride back with you in the afternoon.

**NOT SURE ABOUT RIDING?** Join us at Downtown Credo in the Exchange Building at 8am each Friday to learn more.

HELMETS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED. We have extras if you need one.



reThinkYourCommute.com 866.610.RIDE (7433)





"Not So Noisy" Bike Week, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University • March 2017



**MONDAY, MARCH 6** 

**Bike Light Distribution at 6:30 p.m. • FREE**Ride by Aerospace Blvd. & S. Clyde Morris Blvd.
and get free bike lights installed.

**TUESDAY, MARCH 7** 

Bikes vs Cars Documentary at 8:00 p.m. • FREE IC 101 Auditorium

This film looks into and investigates the daily global drama in traffic around the world.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

Bicycle Fest at 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. • FREE Connolly Quad

A celebration of bicycles and the people who ride them. Bring your bike by for a free safety inspection, receive free gifts and spread the bike love.

"Ride On" by Professor Fleck at 8:00 p.m. • FREE IC 101 Auditorium

Be inspired by Professor Robert Fleck's amazing bicycle adventures, including his ride to New York City from Port Orange.









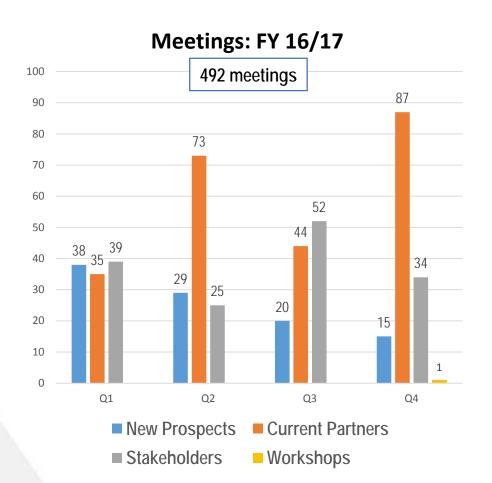
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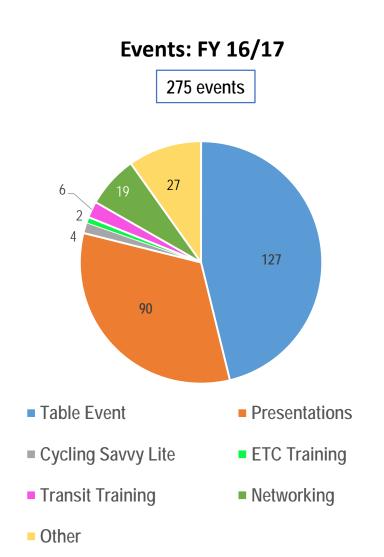
- Coal 2: Adoption and implementation of TDM policies and programs by employers, municipalities and property managers
  - Objective 2.1 Implement TDM programs at 500 employment sites across District 5
    - Strategy 2.1.5 <u>Assist employers with the implementation of TDM policies and commuter benefits</u> at their worksites, including ETC trainings, ridematch enrollment events, transit trainings and transportation fairs
- Program team met with more than 270 employers, municipalities and property managers across District 5
- Ninety employers with "reThink Your Commute" programming in place





### FY 2016/2017









# **Partnership Continuum**



- Ambassador
- Info table
- Presentation
- New Hire packets
- Commute info board
- Survey



- Transportation fair
- Pre-tax benefit
- Bike to Work Day
- Transit Training
- Commute Challenge



preferential parking

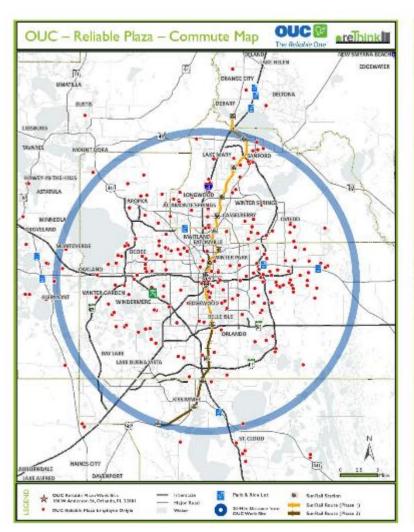
Incentivize mode shift

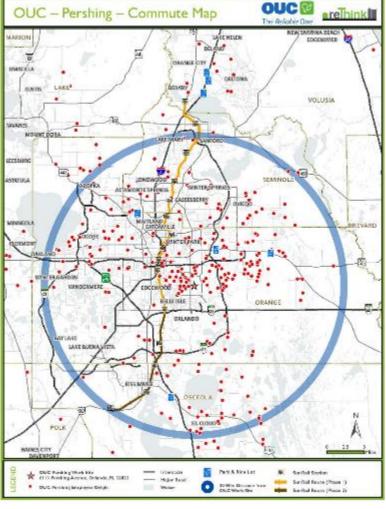
• Shuttle service

Orlando Utilities Commission (OUC) • Platinum Partner, FY 16/17

#### **Partnership Details**

- Employee mapping
- Worksite Ambassadors
- Commute information online
- Employee survey
- Table events & presentations





Orlando Utilities Commission (OUC) • Platinum Partner, FY 16/17

#### **Commuter Benefits**

- In 2014, subsidized SunRail or LYNX at 15%
- In 2017, increased transit subsidy to 25%
- Added a \$50 monthly vanpool subsidy
- 25% off an annual Juice Bikes membership







PlanSource • Gold Partner, FY 16/17

#### **Developing Our Partnership**

- In May 2016, introduced the program to this Downtown Orlando company
- August 2016: Launched parking cash-out program, a new commuter benefit
- December 2016: Received Best Workplaces for Commuters national designation



Thirty of the state's 60 BWCs are in District 5





PlanSource • Gold Partner, FY 16/17

#### **Taking it to the Next Level**

- May 2017: Go DTO Downtown Orlando Commute Challenge "Top Employer"
- Company announced telework program to further reduce vehicle trips





# **Employer Partnerships**

Conduent • Silver Partner, FY 16/17

#### **Partnership Details**

- In 2016, opened SunPass Service Center at West Oaks Mall in Ocoee
- Invited reThink Your Commute to present at all new hire orientations, thanks to a referral from LYNX
- Enrolled 612 employees in carpool program through 23 new hire orientations to date, with more orientations on the horizon



#### FY 2016/2017

- Goal 2: Adoption and implementation of TDM policies and programs by employers, municipalities and property managers
  - Objective 2.2 Encourage adoption of TDM programs and policies by engaging 50% of municipalities across District 5
    - Strategy 2.2.5 <u>Host Bike to Work Day events</u> in Brevard, Flagler, Lake,
       Marion, Orange, Osceola, Seminole and Volusia counties
    - Strategy 2.2.6 Provide <u>technical assistance</u> to municipalities launching supportive services, such as <u>carshare and bikeshare</u> programs





# **Bike to Work Days Across District 5**

City of Winter Park & Healthy Central Florida • March 8, 2017

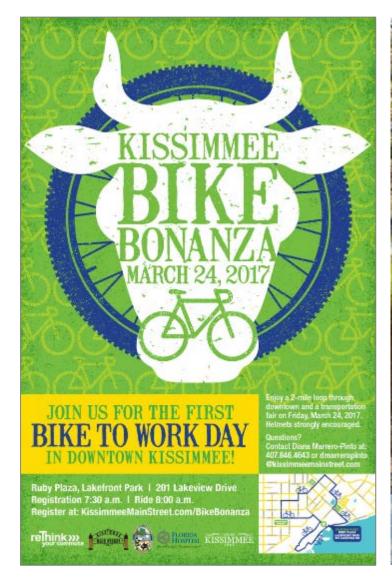






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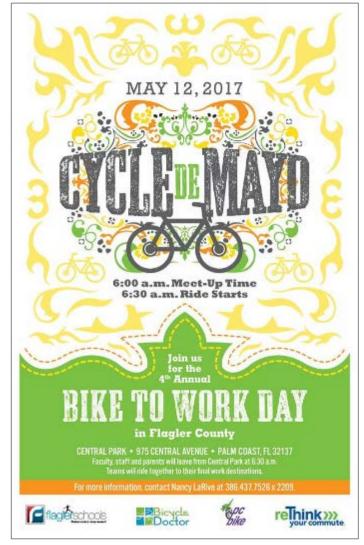
Kissimmee Bike Bonanza • March 24, 2017





# **Bike to Work Days Across District 5**

Flagler County Public Schools, 4th Annual Cycle de Mayo • May 12, 2017





## **Bikeshare & Carshare Technical Assistance**

Bikeshare Technical Assistance • Central Florida Carshare Program





#### FY 2016/2017

- Goal 2: Adoption and implementation of TDM policies and programs by employers, municipalities and property managers
  - Objective 2.3 Engage 100% of the property management firms across District 5
    - Strategy 2.3.2 Provide <u>specific examples of what TDM programs property</u> <u>managers can promote and/or implement</u> at their buildings
    - Strategy 2.3.5 Partner with property managers in target area(s) to host <u>TransitScreen</u> outlets and other visualization tools





# **Property Manager Best Practices**

Highwoods Properties • "Try the Train" SunRail Promotion, July 2016

#### **Across Downtown Orlando**

- Partnered with Highwoods and SunRail to promote a July 2016 "Try the Train" campaign
- >>> Featured in seven downtown towers, providing information to thousands of commuters between on-site events, email marketing and signage









# **Property Manager Best Practices**

Lee Vista Center • Subsidized Bus Pass Program

#### **Public-Private Partnerships**

- Lee Vista required to provide funding to LYNX to subsidize transit passes
- This year, several worksites enrolled, including hotels, engineering firms, and restaurants
- All participating sites now qualify as a Best Workplace for Commuters





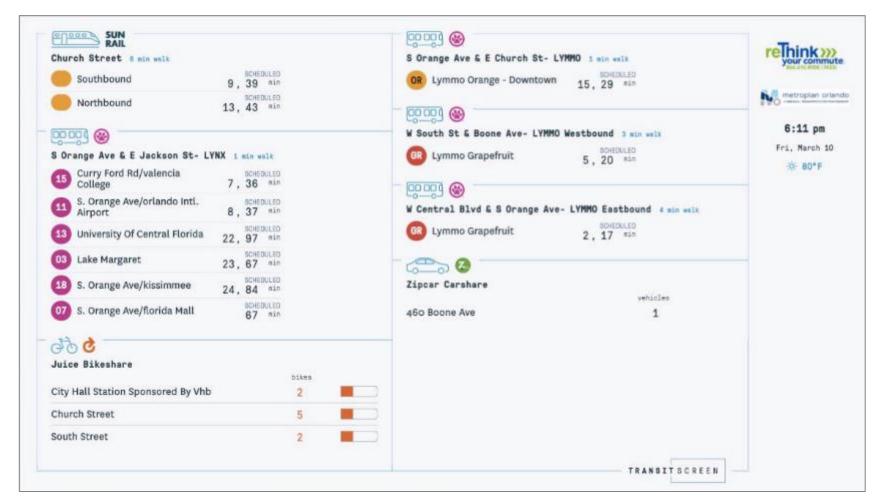






# Partnerships with Property Managers

TransitScreen Debut at MetroPlan Orlando • May 10, 2017









## FY 2016/2017

- Coal 3: Increase awareness of commute options and the reThink Your Commute program
  - Objective 3.1 Increase awareness of commute options among drive-alone commuters
    - Strategy 3.1.2 Host a <u>Commute Challenge</u> in targeted area(s), issuing a challenge to drive-alone commuters to find and try a new way to work





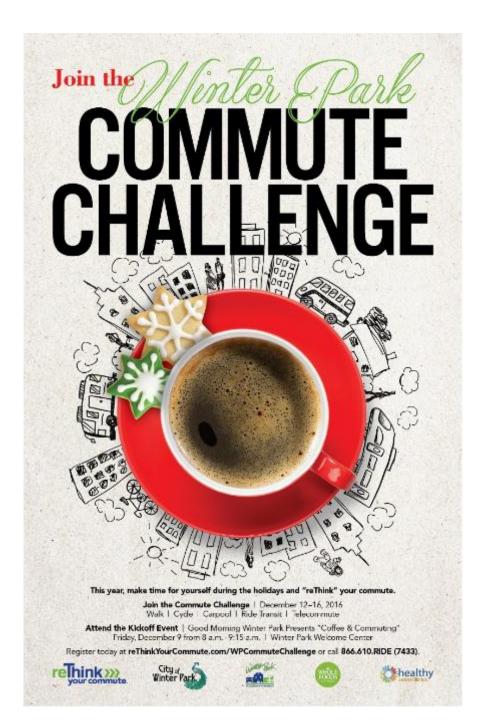
# **Commute Challenges**

Winter Park Commute Challenge • December 2016

#### **Continuing a Partnership**

- >>> Fourth annual Commute Challenge, which grew from focusing on City employees to commuters across Winter Park
- Xick-off event included a panel of six "transportation experts" commuters who walk, bike or ride transit to work
- Panel also featured Acomb Ostendorf & Associates, Winter Park's first Best Workplaces for Commuters





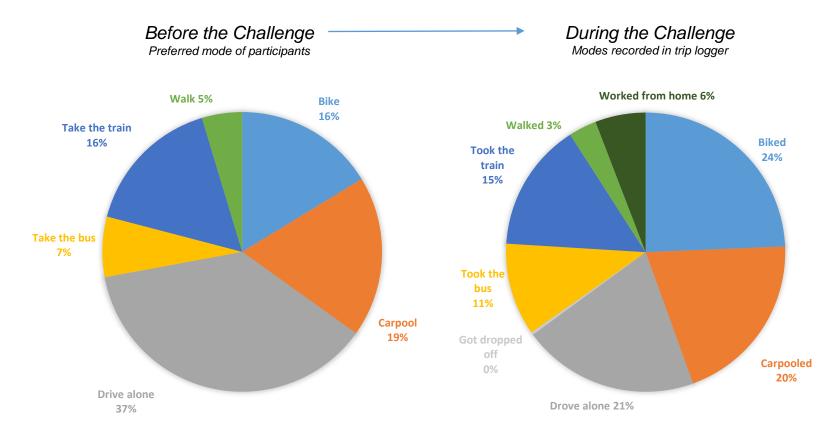
# **Commute Challenges**

Winter Park Commute Challenge • December 2016

#### **Tracking Mode Shift**

- 33 commuters participated, representing 10 employers
- 308 trips were reported
- 17 people reported trying something new



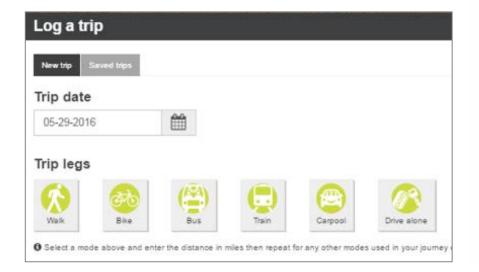


# **Commute Challenges**

Go DTO: Downtown Orlando Commute Challenge • May 2017

#### **Engaging Commuters**

- Focused on the Downtown Orlando Central Business District for the second year
- 30 861 commuters participated → 52% increase
- 29% reported trying something new







## FY 2016/2017

- Goal 3: Increase awareness of commute options and the reThink Your Commute program
  - Objective 3.1 Increase awareness of commute options among drive-alone commuters
    - Strategy 3.1.9 Create <u>a network of Commuter Ambassadors</u> to engage "reThinkers" to spread the word to drive-alone commuters
    - Strategy 3.1.11 Provide and promote an <u>Emergency Ride Home</u> (ERH) program





## **Commute Ambassador Network**

Downtown Orlando • FY 16/17

#### **Expanding Our Reach**

- From engagement to empowerment
- Group of Downtown Orlando commuters provide input on marketing initiatives
- Leverage ambassadors to reach more commuters and more companies

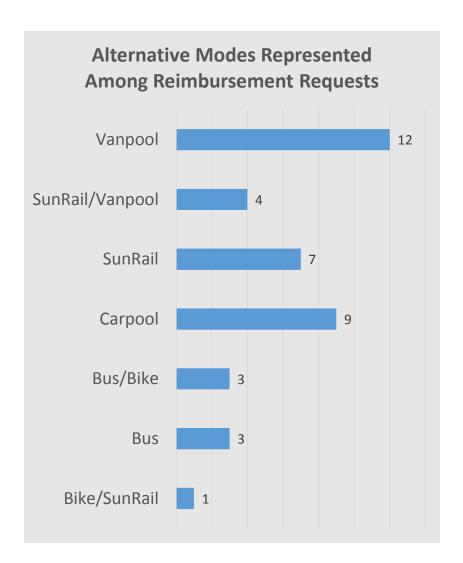


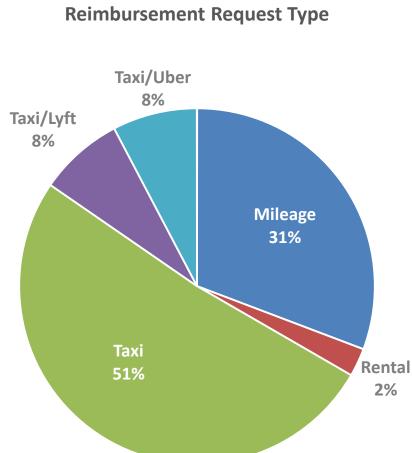


# **Emergency Ride Home (ERH) Program**

Performance Metrics • FY 16/17

Period	Claims	Amount
FY 10-11	12	\$559.25
FY 11-12	15	\$693.24
FY 12-13	24	\$1,657.53
FY 13-14	23	\$1,196.77
FY 14-15	41	\$2,011.29
FY 15-16	48	\$2,949.60
FY 16-17	39	\$2,132.73
Total	202	\$11,200.41





## FY 2016/2017

- Coal 3: Increase awareness of commute options and the reThink Your Commute program
  - Objective 3.2 Increase awareness of the reThink Your Commute program among decision-makers
    - Strategy 3.2.4 <u>Partner with transit agencies and/or other groups to host</u> <u>events that feature leaders in public transportation and celebrate their</u> <u>contributions to the local economy and community</u>



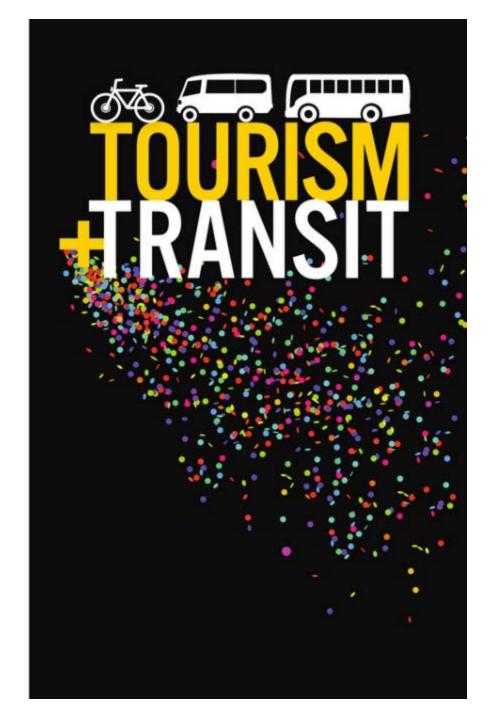


## **Tourism + Transit Summit**

Space Coast Area Transit Partnership • January 2017

#### **Celebrating Transit**

- Building on a successful 2016 summit focused on "The Business of Transit," this year's annual event highlighted the importance of transit service on tourism
- More than 125 people attended, including elected officials and representatives from the public and private sectors
- Xeynote speaker Diana Kotler, Executive Director of Anaheim Resort Transportation, provided insights from California
- Partners included Space Coast Area Transit, Brevard County Government, the Space Coast Office of Tourism, the Transit One Coalition, Courtyard by Marriott in Cocoa Beach, Clear Channel Outdoor, Fishlips Waterfront Grill, Space Coast Advertising and FDOT















**Space Coast Area Transit Partnership • January 2017** 













**Space Coast Area Transit Partnership • January 2017** 

### FY 2016/2017

- Goal 3: Increase awareness of commute options and the reThink Your Commute program
  - Objective 3.3 Provide easily-accessible information on the reThink Your Commute program
    - Strategy 3.3.1 Manage and promote the <u>reThinkYourCommute.com website</u>
    - Strategy 3.3.2 Provide information to commuters through the <u>866-610-RIDE</u> (7433) Call Center
    - Strategy 3.3.3 Feature information on the program and its services through social media





# Goal 4 Regional Coordination

Objective 4.1 Increase regional transit coordination

 Objective 4.2 Align the program's mission with the interests of Central Florida businesses

 Objective 4.3 Participation from each of District 5's nine counties

 Objective 4.4. <u>Equip District 5's MPOs</u> and <u>TPOs with information about the</u> program to encourage integration with <u>MPO/TPO priorities</u>





Discussion & Questions

## FY 2017/2018

- Enterprise Rideshare: New era for vanpooling
- Mobility Week: October 28 November 3, 2017
- Origins-Based Marketing & Outreach Pilot Program
- >>> Center for Urban Transportation (CUTR) Evaluation







# Agenda

- Enterprise Background
- Acquisition of vRide
- What is Rideshare?
- The Vanpool Package from Enterprise
- Benefits to the Employer & Rider
- Contact Information

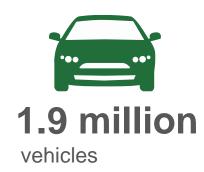


# About Enterprise Holdings





**97,000** employees

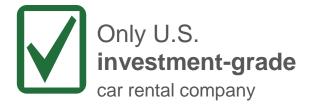




in annual revenue

**9,600**fully staffed neighborhood and airport locations







# Enterprise Rideshare



 Division of Enterprise dedicated solely to providing vanpool service to commuters.

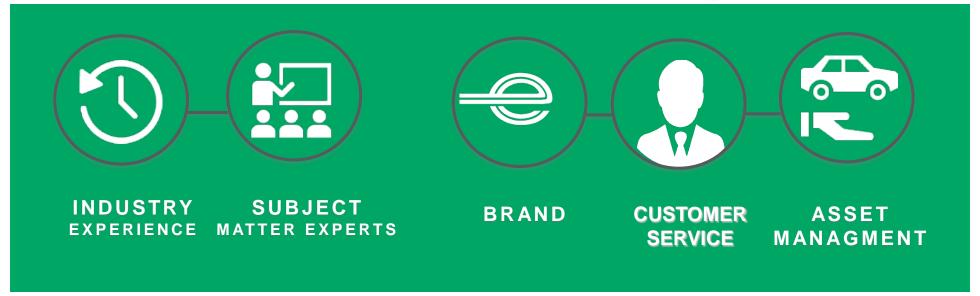


Started in 1994 and currently operates over 12,300 vanpool vehicles in 35+ markets nationwide after our purchase of vRide in 2016.

#### The Acquisition Combines Strengths of Two Leaders

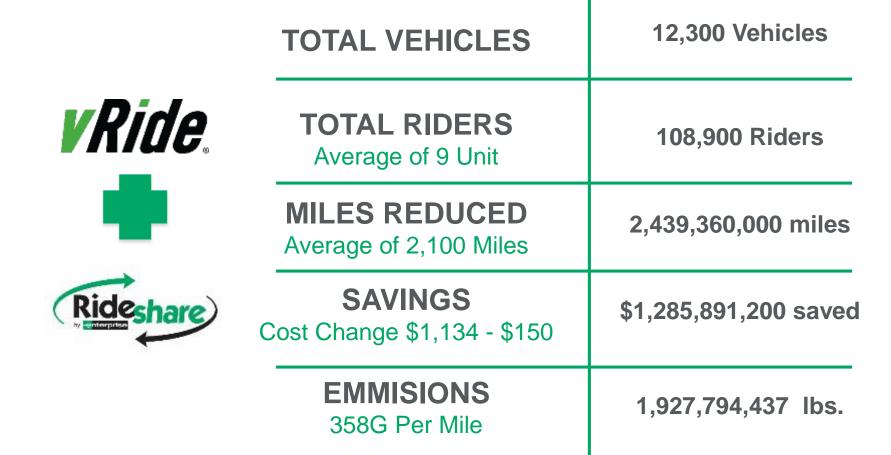








#### **Impact Analysis Nationally**

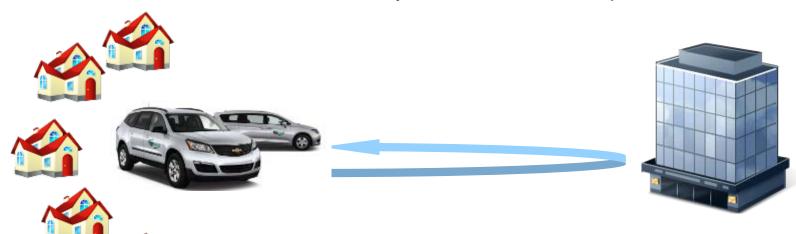


These numbers based on historical ERS route and occupancy data aggregated across total combined fleet size.



# **Enterprise Rideshare 101**

- Enterprise Rideshare provides an alternative commute solution for
  - Groups of 4 or more people who live in the same general area AND...
  - Commute 20+ miles each way to a common workplace



- The average vanpool...
  - ...participant saves \$800/month
  - ...reduces 12,500lbs of CO<sub>2</sub>/month
  - ...saves 960gal of fuel/month
  - …eliminates 19,200mi commuter miles/month
  - ...frees up 8 parking spots



# Our Program





Program is completely <u>turn-key</u>.

#### Includes

- Vehicle
- Insurance
- Maintenance
- Roadside Assistance
- Fuel Card program
- Month-to-month agreement



## Insurance

- \$1 Million in Auto Liability coverage
- Full Physical Damage protection
- All with ZERO deductible





#### Maintenance & Roadside Assistance

- All maintenance & repairs are included at no additional cost
- Loaner vehicles provided for overnight repairs
- 24/7 roadside assistance if you break down or are involved in an accident
  - We have locations within 15 minutes of 90% of the US population.



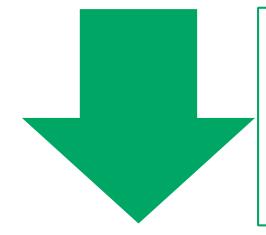
## Benefits of Vanpooling

Vanpools often serve communities underserved by public transit



#### **Benefits for Riders**

Reduced commute costs
Relaxed, stress-free commute
Comfortable vehicle options
Potential for Preferred Parking



#### **Benefits for Employers**

Employee recruitment and retention

Tax benefits

Reduced parking needs
Increased employee morale
Reduced carbon footprint



### **Contact Information:**

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Questions?





## Mobility Week

- Cooperative effort by the FDOT and partners to promote awareness of safe & sustainable transportation choices.
  - Agencies host events to promote transportation choices
  - Residents explore various transportation choices available to them
- Inaugurated in 2016 annual event
- Modeled after European Mobility Week





Mobility Week 2016

- 19 events in six counties.
- "Mix-a-Lot" challenge





Bicycle Helmet Fitting Certifications











Safety Tips with Parents and Children

> 2,500 Giveaways, Free Transit Rides



### 2017 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### **OCTOBER 28, 2017**

- Bike Fair, St. John's River to Sea Alliance
- West Orange Trail Kick-off Event, Orange County
- Stuff the Bus Campaign, LakeXpress
- Indialantic PD Trunk or Treat, Space Coast TPO

#### **OCTOBER 30, 2017**

- CarFit Event, City of Ocala
- Paratransit Eligibility Event, LakeXpress
- Cycling Savvy Training, FDOT District 5

#### **OCTOBER 31, 2017**

- Be Transformed Tools Training, FDOT District 5
- Passenger Appreciation Day, LakeXpress
- Monsters on Main Street, DeLand

#### **NOVEMBER 1, 2017**

- Ride with Jim, Space Coast Area Transit
- Travel Safety and Training, Lake Xpress

#### **NOVEMBER 2, 2017**

- Try Transit Thursday Fare Free Day, LYNX, LakeXpress, Space Coast Area Transit
- Try Transit Thursday Passenger Appreciation, SunRail, SunTran
- Quarterly Multimodal Workshop, FDOT District 5

#### **NOVEMBER 3, 2017**

- Senior Walk A Stroll thru History, Space Coast TPO
- Bike with the Mayor, Orlando
- Helmet Fitting and Bike on Bus Training, LakeXpress

#### **EVENTS UNDER PROGRESS**

- BWCF Regional Map Tour, Bike/Walk Central Florida, Winter Park Health Foundation, Casselberry
- Cycling Savvy Training, City of Ocala
- CarFit Event, FDOT
- Bike with the Director, FDOT
- Mix-it-Up Commute Challenge, reThink Your Commute

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## The Other Side of Outreach

- Origins-Based Marketing & Outreach Pilot Program
  - Plan developed in FY 15/16; funding identified in FY 16/17
  - Focus will be at the <u>neighborhood/residential level</u>
  - Task <u>led by Day Communications</u>; built on best practices from similar programs from across the US and Australia
  - Next steps:
    - Developing survey to identify participant households and Ambassadors
    - Launching training program for Ambassadors





## **Evaluation**

- >>> USF Center for Urban Transportation Research
  - Results from 2014 are available as a baseline



According to a 2014 evaluation by the Center for Urban Transportation Research (CUTR) at the University of South Florida, reThinkers have improved their drive-alone rates, decreasing from 76% to 58%.











# Revisiting the Work Program

#### Strategies to consider

- Expand Bicycle Benefits partnership
- Partner with businesses to offer incentives for carpooling/other modes
- "Green Site" program to expand Shared-Use Park & Ride Lots
- Carpool Action Day (similar to "Dump the Pump")
- Investigate Mobility As A Service options for Central Florida
- Mile markers/walking maps for short commutes





# Revisiting the Work Program

#### Strategies to consider

- Regional count of employers allowing telecommuting and/or offering compressed work week schedules
- Tailor an initiative for Universities
- Host informational workshop on TDM policies for cities and counties
- Explore funding options to implement advertising plan
- Support FDOT efforts to leverage technology for mode shift
- Investigate Employer Councils for specific corridors
- Continue to build and share collection of testimonials







## **Success Stories**

Cristina first started walking to work thanks to a commute challenge we co-hosted with her employer (Orange County Public Library) in 2015. With a short one-mile commute, walking to work was a great option that she discovered thanks to our promotional efforts.

After the challenge was over, Cristina kept up with her new active commute choice. "What keeps me walking to work is the impact it has on my health and happiness," says Cristina.

Our team continues to assist library employees so they can take advantage of their commuter benefits.

## **Success Stories**

Zach first started reThinking his commute in college. He has continued the trend to this very day, biking regularly to work at Daytona State College.

"I have always loved being able to get somewhere by my own power," says Zach. "I am going to work anyways, why not get a little work out on the way."

Now, we're working together to encourage his colleagues to reThink how they get to work.





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