



2018 VT Walk Bike Summit Program - May 4, 2018

TRACKS

BUILT ENVIROMENT
(Junction Room, Hotel Coolidge)

ADVOCACY + EDUCATION
(Vermont Room, Hotel Coolidge)

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
(Schleicher Studio, Barrette Center)

SAFE + HEALTHY COMMUNITIES
(RSG Office)

DEMO IT
(Lemal Room, Barrette Center)

7:45AM - 8:30AM

REGISTRATION, BREAKFAST & EXHIBITS
(Roesch & Upper Lobby - Barrette Center)

8:30AM - 10:00AM

OPENING PLENARY
Welcome: Wayne Symonds, Chief Engineer, Vermont Agency of Transportation (VTrans)
Invited Guest: Congressman Peter Welch
Keynote: Russ Roca, A Path Less Pedaled
Awards: Celebration of Projects & People
(Byrne Theater, Barrette Center)

10:00AM - 10:30AM

NETWORKING, EXHIBITS & DOOR PRIZES
(Roesch & Upper Lobby - Barrette Center)

10:30AM - 12:00PM

A1. You Complete Me...Streets
Complete Streets in Small Communities: The View from the Berkshires
Eammon Coughlin, Berkshire Regional Planning Commission & Gwen Miller, Town of Lenox, MA

Bethel Better Block Project
Jonathan Braddick, Team Better Block & Kelly Stoddard Poor, AARP

B1. Living in a Car-Free World
Charging for Parking & Free Bus Passes at UVM
Richard Watts, University of Vermont

Ecopsychology of Walking and Biking: Who We Are, How We Move and Why That Matters
Dave Cohen, Vbike

C1. Bike Ped Economic Impacts to Towns
The Economic Case for Active Transportation in VT
Drew Pollak-Bruce, SE Group

Closing Vermont's Skills Gap with Bicycle Mechanics
Laura Jacoby, Old Spokes Home & Peggy O'Neill-Vivanco, University of Vermont

D1. Crash into Data and How it Helps Prevent Future Ones
VT Dept. of Health Ped and Bike related injury data
Stephen DeVoe & Megan Rigoni, VT Dept. of Health

Bike Crash Analysis on State Roads
Sommer Bucossi, VTrans & Erica Wygonik, RSG

E1. Let's Park It
Strategies for Great Bike Parking in your Town
Ross Saxton, Local Motion

Implementing a Valet Bike Parking System for Community Events
Stuart Lindsay, Local Motion & Phil Hammerslough

12:00PM - 1:00PM

LUNCH
(Grab & Go Network)
EXHIBITS
(Roesch & Upper Lobby - BARRETTE CENTER)

1:00PM - 2:30PM

A2. Bike Facility Designs
21st Century Bike Infrastructure Design for VT Communities
Jason Van Driesche, Local Motion & Jesse Devlin, VTrans

VTrans On Road Bike Plan Phase 2
Sommer Bucossi, VTrans & Jesse Devlin, VTrans

B2. Connecting Communities with Bikes & Trails
Blood, sweat, and gears: Cycling-based college service-projects that promote human health, community development, and tourism
Andrew Bentley, Katie Catania & Cecile Walsh, Green Mountain College

Lamoille Valley Rail Trail and Community Connections
Evan Detrick, VHB

C2. Bike Ped Activity & Tourism \$\$
Framing an Economic Narrative around Cycling Recreation and Utility
Jesse Boudart, Toole Design

Leveraging Active Transportation & Recreation for Economic Development in Rural VT
Kristine Keeney, Mad River Valley Planning District

D2. Engaging with Community Citizen Councils
Successes of a County-Wide Walk-Bike Council
Adam Franco & Mary Yates

The Why and How of a County-Wide Walk-Bike Council
Bethany Yon, VT Dept. of Health & Claire Tebbs, Addison County Regional Planning Commission

E2. Demo the E-bike Revolution
Greasing the Wheels for Vermont's E-bike Revolution
Ross Saxton, Local Motion & Dave Cohen, Vbike

Demo E-bikes/Cargo bikes

2:30PM - 3:00PM

NETWORKING, EXHIBITS & DOOR PRIZES
(Roesch & Upper Lobby - Barrette Center)

3:00PM - 4:30PM

A3. A Path to Safe Passage
The North Avenue Pilot Project
Greg Goyette, Stantec, Nicole Losch, City of Burlington & Jason Charest, CCRPC

A Sidewalk Success Story: 3 Years of Teamwork
Erica Wygonik, RSG & Janice Starkey

B3. Designing Facilities for You
ADA Transition Plan Workshop - Why Your Community Needs One Now
Tina Lee, FHWA Civil Rights, Mike Charron, VT Center for Independent Living & Jon Kaplan, VTrans

C3. Tales of Trails & Tourism
Enhancing Recreation in Vermont (The Velomont Trail)
RJ Thompson, Vermont Hut Association & Tom Stuessy, VT Mountain Bike Association

Trail Counting Builds Partnerships
Dan Currier, CVRPC & Greg Western, Cross VT Trail

D3. The Missing Link
Connecting 2 Towns: Creating a Safe Walking and Biking Connection between West Rutland and Rutland
Daniel Biggs, WSE Inc & Mary Ann Goulette, Town of West Rutland

Implementing Springfield's Main Street Master Plan
Tom Yennerell, Town of Springfield & Carolyn Radisch, GPI

ADJOURN - SAFE TRAVELS HOME



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