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A BANNER YEAR FOR WALKING AND BIKING

Our Top Bicycle and Pedestrian Moments of 2013

The Bicycle and Pedestrian Resource Center is proud to present our favorite moments in active transportation news from New Jersey in 2013, in no particular order. From becoming the leader in Complete Streets to providing communities with new resources to improve bicycle and pedestrian safety, 2013 was a great year for walking and biking in New Jersey.
To see our top bicycle and pedestrian moments of 2013, please click here.

COMPLETE STREETS IN NEW JERSEY
An up-to-date list of Complete Street policies in New Jersey

There are currently 84 municipalities and 6 counties with Complete Streets policies in NJ, with Union City, the Borough of Bergenfield, and the Town of Hammonton, as well as Camden County, being the most recent additions. This brings the total NJ population living in municipalities with Complete Streets policies to over 2.5 million people or 28.89%. Essex County leads the way with 11 municipalities having adopted policies, followed by Bergen County (9 municipalities) and Morris County (7 municipalities). Salem County and Passaic County remain the only counties without a single municipal Complete Streets policy.

To access the most up-to-date list of complete streets policies adopted in the state, please click here.
NJ COMPLETE STREETS POLICY ATLAS

A new interactive resource to explore Complete Streets in NJ

With more and more New Jersey communities adopting Complete Streets policies, NJBPRC is proud to present the new interactive Complete Streets Policy Atlas! This resource allows you to click around the state and explore the links to municipal (red) and county (black) policies.

To access the interactive Complete Streets Policy Atlas, please click here.

BIKE/PED NEWS FEED


NJ Bike/Ped Headlines

Infographic: League 2013 Highlights
The League of American Bicyclists - January 1

Broken streetlight to be cited in suit in Ridgewood pedestrian's death
NorthJersey.com - January 6

Bernardsville police to enforce snow removal laws
NewJerseyHills.com - January 7

Jackson receives funds to improve sidewalks
Tri-Town News - January 9

New traffic control measures coming to Englewood
NorthJersey.com - January 9
Bike Lanes vs Beautification - A False Choice In Haddonfield
WalkBike Jersey - January 9

Phase two of Sandyston streetscape project to begin in the spring
New Jersey Herald - January 15

Four Reasons Protected Bike Lanes Mean Business
Alliance for Biking & Walking - January 15

For more local NJ bike/ped headlines, national news, opinion pieces, and the crash report, click here!