Dear Readers,
Welcome to this issue of the NJ Walks and Bikes Newsletter, a bi-monthly service prepared by the New Jersey Bicycle and Pedestrian Resource Center (NJBPRC). If you would like to learn more about NJBPRC, please visit us here.

NEW JERSEY GETS 'STREET SMART'
NJTPA Launches New Pedestrian Safety Campaign

In an effort to increase pedestrian safety throughout New Jersey, the North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority (NJTPA) is launching the Street Smart campaign. The program, conducted in partnership with the Federal Highway Administration, the New Jersey Department of Transportation and the New Jersey Division of Highway Safety, will encourage both drivers and pedestrians to “check your vital signs”.

For more details, click here.
An up-to-date list of Complete Street policies in New Jersey

There are currently 77 municipalities and 5 counties with Complete Streets policies in NJ, with the Township of Downe being the most recent addition. This brings the total NJ population living in municipalities with Complete Streets policies to over 2.3 million people or 26.66%. Essex County leads the way with 11 municipalities having adopted policies, followed by Bergen County (8 municipalities) and Morris County (7 municipalities). Salem County and Passaic County remain the only counties without a single municipal Complete Streets policy.

![Municipal Complete Streets Policies by County](chart)

To access the most up-to-date list of complete streets policies adopted in the state, please click [here](https://ui.constantcontact.com/visualeditor/visual_editor_preview.jsp?agent.uid=1115705433470&format=html&print=true).

EFFECTIVE SNOW REMOVAL FOR PATHWAYS AND TRANSIT Stops

by Jon Carnegie, ACIP/PP, Executive Director of VTC

Included in the latest volume of the Easter Seals’ Project Action newsletter is an article by Jon Carnegie, AICP/PP, Executive Director of the Voorhees Transportation Center, entitled Effective Snow Removal for Pathways and Transit Stops. The article highlights some of the additional challenges presented by winter weather and some innovative solutions communities can use to improve accessibility in these conditions for those with disabilities.

Click [here](https://ui.constantcontact.com/visualeditor/visual_editor_preview.jsp?agent.uid=1115705433470&format=html&print=true) to download the latest Project Action newsletter!
COMPLETE STREETS SUMMIT COVERAGE

What's everyone saying about the 2013 Complete Streets Summit?

The 2013 Complete Streets Summit was held on the New Brunswick campus of Rutgers University on October 21, 2013. A variety of Complete Streets related topics were covered and awards were presented for "Complete Streets Champions" and "Complete Streets Excellence".

Click here to see a collection of links covering the event!

NJAIM: HIGHLIGHTS FROM WEEKS 23 & 24!

Have you seen the Ambassadors in your community yet?

NJAIM attended the following events over the past two weeks:

- Presented at the 'Crime and the Environment' workshop at the 2013 Leadership Newark Summit
- Meetings with Partners for Health and River Edge advocate
- Presentation to Roselle Park Mayor and Council
- Technical assistance at Complete Streets meetings throughout New Jersey
BIKE/PED NEWS FEED

November 1, 2013 - November 15, 2013

NJ Bike/Ped Headlines

County plans improvements to Bay Ave. in Ocean City
ShoreNewstoday.com - October 31

North Wildwood gets Complete Streets award
ShoreNewsToday.com - November 1

NJTPA Kicks Off Street Smart NJ Pedestrian Safety Campaign
WalkBikeJersey.Blogspot.com - November 5

Haledon streetscape project underway
NorthJersey.com - November 7

Hoboken ranked No. 1 walkable city in United States
NJ.com - November 7

Newark Advancing Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety
TSTC.org - November 8

Middlesex County Unveils Pedestrian Safety Program
NJToday.com - November 13

Tacony Palmyra Bridge Walkway Reopens
WalkBikeJersey.blogspot.com - November 14

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