YORK, Pa. (June 16, 2011) – Commuter Services of Pennsylvania has announced its 2011 Bike to Work Challenge winners. A total of 70 participants logged 4,024.64 miles while commuting by bicycle during the two-week event that was held from May 16 to May 27.

Gettysburg College of Adams County, with seven employees, took first place as employer with the most participants.

Kevin Kreider of Lancaster County was the commuter logging the most bicycled miles of all competitors during the recent challenge. Kreider logged 247.4 miles bicycling to his job at Tyson Foods in Lancaster. He won a commuter pack that included a $10 gift card, a water bottle, a bike lock, a tote bag and a T-shirt.

Other winners, by county of residence, won commuter packs that included a water bottle, a bike lock, a tote bag and a T-shirt. They were:

- Eric Remy of Gettysburg, Adams County, who logged 24 miles bicycling to his job at Gettysburg College in Adams County.
- Jeremy Guss of Berks County, who logged 224 miles bicycling to his job at Fleetwood Fixtures in Berks County.
- Nathan Thomas of Shippensburg, who logged 30 miles bicycling to his job at Shippensburg University in Cumberland County.
- Cathy Becker of Harrisburg, who logged 50 miles bicycling to her job at Pennsylvania Department of Health in Dauphin County.
- Bud Shearer of Waynesboro, who logged 13 miles bicycling to his job at Navitor in Franklin County.
- Nathan Hoover of Lancaster County, who logged 17.6 miles bicycling to his job at Mennonite Disaster Service in Lancaster.
- John Saldibar of Newmanstown, who logged 112 miles bicycling to his job at Bayer Healthcare in Lebanon County.
- Debra Aikey of York County, who logged 21 miles bicycling to her job at Wilmac Corp in York.
Funding is provided by the Federal Highway Administration through PennDOT and the region’s metropolitan and rural planning organizations.

Commuter Services board includes transit agencies, planning organizations and chambers:

- Harrisburg Regional Chamber; the Gettysburg Adams, Lebanon Valley, Greater Chambersburg, and York County Chambers of Commerce; Lancaster and Greater Reading Chambers of Commerce & Industry;
- Adams County Transit Authority (ACTA); Berks Area Regional Transportation Authority (BARTA), County of Lebanon Transit Authority (LT); Red Rose Transit Authority (RRTA, Lancaster); York County Transportation Authority (rabbittransit); Capital Area Transit (CAT, Cumberland-Dauphin-Harrisburg);
- Lancaster, Lebanon, Reading Area and York metropolitan planning organizations (MPOs); Harrisburg MPO (Cumberland, Dauphin and Perry counties) and Adams and Franklin counties Rural Planning Organizations (RPOs).