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Commuter Services Issues Annual Challenge for Bike to Work Week
Get Fit, Save Money, Win Prizes

YORK, Pa. (May 7, 2013) – Commuter Services of Pennsylvania is teaming up with local partners Healthy Adams Bicycle/Pedestrian Inc. (HABPI), the Harrisburg Bicycle Club, Bike Harrisburg, WalkBikeBerks and the Lebanon Valley Bicycle Coalition, and is challenging regional employers and commuters to participate in its fourth annual Bike to Work Week, May 13–May 17.

Commuters who ride their bicycle to work during the week will be entered to win a Bike Safety Pack valued at more than \$25. The employer with the greatest number of bicycling commuters will also be recognized. To qualify, bicycle commuters should log their activity for Bike to Work Week at www.pacommuterservices.org starting on May 17.

The challenge is open to all employers in the participating counties of Adams, Berks, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Lancaster, Lebanon, Perry or York and to commuters who live or work in these counties.

Last year more than 4,050 miles were logged by 74 participants during the two weeks of Bike to Work Week.

Bike to Work Week is a national activity that promotes commuting by bicycle, which offers health and fitness benefits as well as reduces vehicle pollution and traffic congestion.

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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 Chambers of Commerce, and the York County Economic Alliance; Lancaster and Greater Reading Chambers of Commerce & Industry;
- Berks Area Regional Transportation Authority (BARTA), County of Lebanon Transit Authority (LT); Red Rose Transit Authority (RRTA, Lancaster); York Adams Transportation Authority (rabbittransit); Capital Area Transit (CAT, Cumberland-Dauphin-Harrisburg);
- Adams, Franklin, Lancaster, Lebanon, Reading and York Area Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs); Harrisburg MPO (Cumberland, Dauphin and Perry counties).

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