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Commuter Services Issues Earth Day Challenge to Commuters
Annual Event Encourages Green Commuting Options

York, Pa. (April 12, 2017) – Commuter Services of Pennsylvania is challenging commuters to give up driving alone to work and instead try a green commute mode during its annual Earth Day challenge, April 16-22, 2017.

During the week-long event, Commuter Services encourages commuters to try transit, carpooling, vanpooling, biking, walking or even telecommuting, and then log their miles traveled on the Commuter Services website. In 2016, 343 commuters participated in the Earth Day challenge, logging more than 70,000 combined miles during the challenge.

One randomly-selected grand prize winner will receive a Kindle Fire.

To participate, commuters can log their commuting details from April 16 through April 28 at <https://pacommuterservices.org/earthday2017/>

Find us on social media and share a photo or video of your green commute during the week using #EarthDayPa17 and tag us!

Connect with Commuter Services on Facebook (www.facebook.com/CommuterServicesPA), Instagram (<https://www.instagram.com/pacommuters/>) and on Twitter (twitter.com/SaveOnCommutePA).

About Commuter Services
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Funding is provided by the Federal Highway Administration through PennDOT and the region's metropolitan planning organizations.

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

- Capital Area Transit, Lebanon Transit, Monroe County Transportation Authority, Schuylkill County Transportation System, South Central Transit Authority and Central Pennsylvania Transportation Authority.
- Adams, Franklin, Harrisburg (Cumberland, Dauphin and Perry counties), Lancaster, Lebanon, NEPA (Schuylkill, Carbon, Monroe and Pike counties), Reading and York MPOs.

- The Carbon Chamber & Economic Development, the Harrisburg Regional Chamber & CREDC; the Gettysburg Adams, Greater Chambersburg and Lebanon Valley Chambers of Commerce; Greater Reading Chamber and Economic Development Corporation, Lancaster Chamber of Commerce & Industry and the York County Economic Alliance.

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