

BTMO Transportation Update

Celebrate Chandler Bikeway's 20th Anniversary!

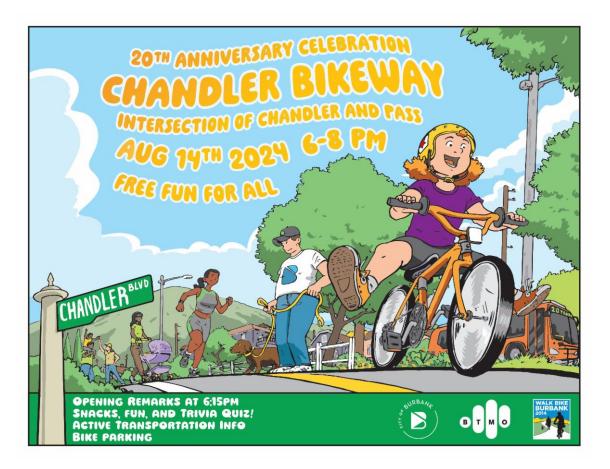


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Burbank, the BTMO, and Walk Bike Burbank invite you to celebrate 20 years of community connections at this FREE community event. Learn about the history of the Chandler Bikeway, explore ways to reduce car use, enjoy a cookie, and connect with neighbors.

Event Highlights Include:

- Test your knowledge by playing the Chandler Trivia Challenge
- Meet and chat with City Transportation Planners
- Explore active transportation resources and local options
- Hear about BTMO's efforts to reduce congestion
- Learn about Metro & Burbank Bus routes
- Meet local cycling advocates, bike commuters, and supporters of Walk Bike

Burbank

Date: Wednesday, August 14, 2024

Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Location: Chandler & Pass Ave (north grass area)

See you there!

For any questions reach us at info@btmo.org.

RSVP

CicLAvia: Meet the Hollywoods!



Image Source: ciclavia.org

Get ready Burbank, CicLAvia is just around the corner!

Get ready for an adventure just a short trip from Burbank! On August 18th, CicLAvia is turning East and West Hollywood into a car-free haven. Cruise along Hollywood Blvd, soak in the iconic sights, and enjoy a day filled with street games, local art, and community vibes—all while walking or riding your bike! Don't miss this chance to experience Hollywood in a whole new way!

Get there by public transit!

Take the <u>Pink Route</u> or <u>Metro 94 bus</u> to connect with **Metro B line**, get off at the <u>Vermont and Sunset Blvd station</u>, then take a short walk to Hollywood Blvd and join the fun!

Last Month of Metrolink's Summer Day Pass!



Image Source: metrolinktrains.com

Grab Metrolink's Summer Day Pass before it is gone and check off those last few plans on your list!

Metrolink, is making summer travel more convenient and affordable with the return of its \$15 Summer Day Pass. The seasonal weekday promotion offers unlimited rides on Metrolink's system on the day of purchase. The promotion is available **weekdays through Friday, Aug. 30.**

The \$10 Weekend Day Pass on Saturdays and Sundays is available throughout the summer.

Riders can purchase the \$15 Summer Day Pass at any Metrolink ticket machine or on the <u>Metrolink mobile app</u>. Metrolink offers <u>free transfers</u> to many local transit agencies, including LA Metro and Burbank Bus. Simply present your Metrolink ticket to the driver or attendant upon boarding.

Get Pass

Articles of Interest

Car Noise Pollution Impacts Urban Vitality



Image Source: bloomberg.com

Drawing comparisons with European cities that have embraced car-free zones, the article from Bloomberg City Lab reveals how reducing vehicular noise can significantly enhance street life and local business vitality. It discusses how the transformation of New York City's 14th Street, with its ban on private cars, led to unexpected tranquillity amidst the bustling cityscape. An often-overlooked issue of noise pollution in American cities comes from cars and has an impact on urban life. The article observes how the constant din of traffic not only affects daily comfort but also public health, contributing to increased risks of stroke, hypertension, and other ailments.

Article link: The Quiet Power of Car-free Neighborhoods

Demand for Micromobility Persists Through Rising Costs

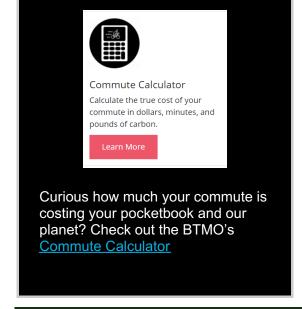


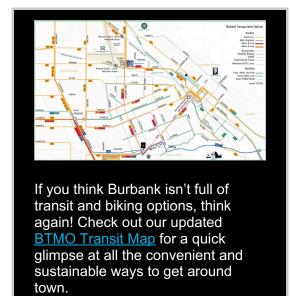
Micromobility is rapidly emerging as a key player in urban transportation, with its

popularity and costs both on the rise. According to the National Association of City Transportation Officials (NACTO), the recently released "Shared Micromobility in 2023" report shows growing ridership in the U.S. and Canada. Cities are increasingly recognizing micromobility as an essential part of their transportation systems. One goal is to seamlessly connect these modes to public transit and make them accessible to households without vehicles. In response, some cities are offering incentives for residents to purchase micromobility devices such as bikes and scooters through rebates, rather than relying on rent-to-ride programs. This approach aims to generate excitement and interest in e-bikes, broadening their appeal and encouraging more people to invest in them, even without discounts.

Article link: Post-Pandemic, Micromobility Ridership, Cost on the Rise

BTMO Multi-modal Resources





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