



TRANSIT + COMMUNITY

Philadelphia

October 20–23, 2024

Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown



CONFERENCE GUIDE

Welcome **to Philadelphia & the Delaware Valley**

We are delighted to welcome you to the 2024 Mpact Transit + Community conference. During these four days leaders, practitioners and advocates from around the country will join with stakeholders from the region to discuss transit-oriented communities.

Together we will tackle the challenges facing transit-oriented communities, share innovative solutions, and set a course of action for the year ahead. This annual exchange recharges and reshapes the on-going movement to build stronger, more connected, equitable and sustainable communities that center transit.

Philadelphia and the Delaware Valley offer amazing opportunities to experience walkable, bikeable, and transit-oriented communities. As a conference participant, you will get to see first-hand how the city and region are reinventing mobility and development for a more thriving future.

An incredible array of people contributes energy and expertise to making this conference vital to our work going forward. You are a part of this! We invite you to learn, explore, expand your network and consider how you approach your work. We hope you will be challenged and inspired - and that you have a great time!



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Leslie S. Richards | Chief Executive Officer and General Manager
Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA)



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Make the most of #MpactPhilly!

There is so much to see and experience here. As you plan your time, we encourage you to:

Choose sessions outside of your comfort zone.

Yes, definitely be part of the conversation about new tools in your area of work. But also make sure to look for a wider set of perspectives about your work.

Take note of what makes better outcomes

and how the interplay of transit, mobility, land use and development shapes great places to live, work or play. What can you learn to take home – about design, policy, implementation or collaboration?

Thank you Sponsors!

Huge shout out to our Sponsors, whose contributions cover roughly half of overall expenses. We could not do the conference without them! Find out who they are – see the center spread and check them out on the Mobile App! If you see people with Sponsor on their badge, please say hello!

Get out and explore the region, via

Pre-conference events, Mobile Workshops, lunchtime walking tours, or on your own. Philadelphia is eminently walkable. Bikeshare and bike infrastructure are right at hand. And there are so many transit options. Venture out to see Philadelphia!

Say hello to people you don't know. Ask about their work but also what brings them joy or how they recharge. Invite them along with you.

Remember the Code of Conduct. You're invited to come as you are and engage in a way that is meaningful for you. Give that same grace to others. Be considerate, respectful and collaborative. Mpact will not tolerate demeaning, discriminatory or harassing behavior or speech. If you see something contrary to this, email administration@mpactmobility.org to let us know.



Badges are required at all conference events: plenaries, sessions, networking events, receptions, meals and breaks, on-site and off-site. Self-check-in and new registration are in the Public Square, Ballroom Level of the Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown.

The Registration Help Desk, also in the Public Square, Ballroom Level, is open daily. Check availability for Pre-conference events, Mobile Workshops and Regional Day.

The Public Square, on the Ballroom Level, is the place for breakfast, breaks and to check-in for Pre-Conference Events and Mobile Workshops. On Monday and Tuesday, visit the Public Square for exhibits, local information, a bookstore and the SEPTA store.

During Downtime – lunch on your own – on Monday and Tuesday, consider a box lunch (available from the Sheraton, cash-only) and attending a lunchtime talk or the exhibits. For other local options, see Local Information in the Public Square. Reading Terminal Market, with a wide variety of restaurants under one roof, is about a 15-minute walk from the hotel.



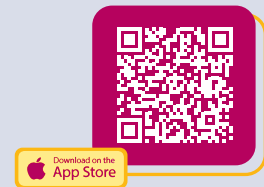
Navigate the Conference with Guide + App

The Guide has the overview of everything going on. See the Mobile App or the online Conference Schedule (mpactmobility.org/schedule) for descriptions and speakers.

Download the Mobile App

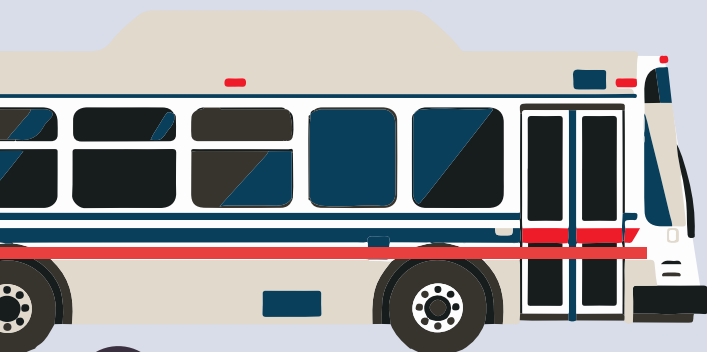
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- 1 Download the Attendee Mobile app on the App Store or Google Play.



- 2 Search for Mpack Transit + Community.
- 3 Log in using the email and password you used to register for the conference.

Questions? See the Registration Help Desk, Ballroom Level. You also can view schedule, session and speaker details by visiting mpactmobility.org/schedule.



WiFi

Log on to free WiFi in conference meeting rooms:

Network: Sheraton_Meeting

Password: Philly2024

Who Do You Influence on Social?

If you're on LinkedIn, Instagram, Facebook, X, or YouTube, tag @mpactmobility and #MpactPhilly. Let your followers know what you're seeing and doing.

See all the posts on the Social Wall in the Public Square.

Social wall sponsored by  **HUITT ZOLLARS**



What Can You Do on the App?

- Update your profile with a photo and contact information, as you choose.
- Click the Schedule for descriptions and speakers.
- On the Schedule, click ♥ to add to your favorites list; click 🕒 to add an event to your personal schedule.
- See and message fellow attendees.
- Post photos, videos, great places to check out on the Activity Feed!
- Send emails or create notes about specific sessions or events – a great way to save information for later.
- Check the Dashboard for Maps and Information.



Accessibility

With some exceptions (as noted in individual event descriptions), venues and events for the Mpact Transit + Community conference are accessible to persons with disabilities. For assistance or questions, please go to the Registration Help Desk, Public Square, Ballroom Level.

Exploring by Transit

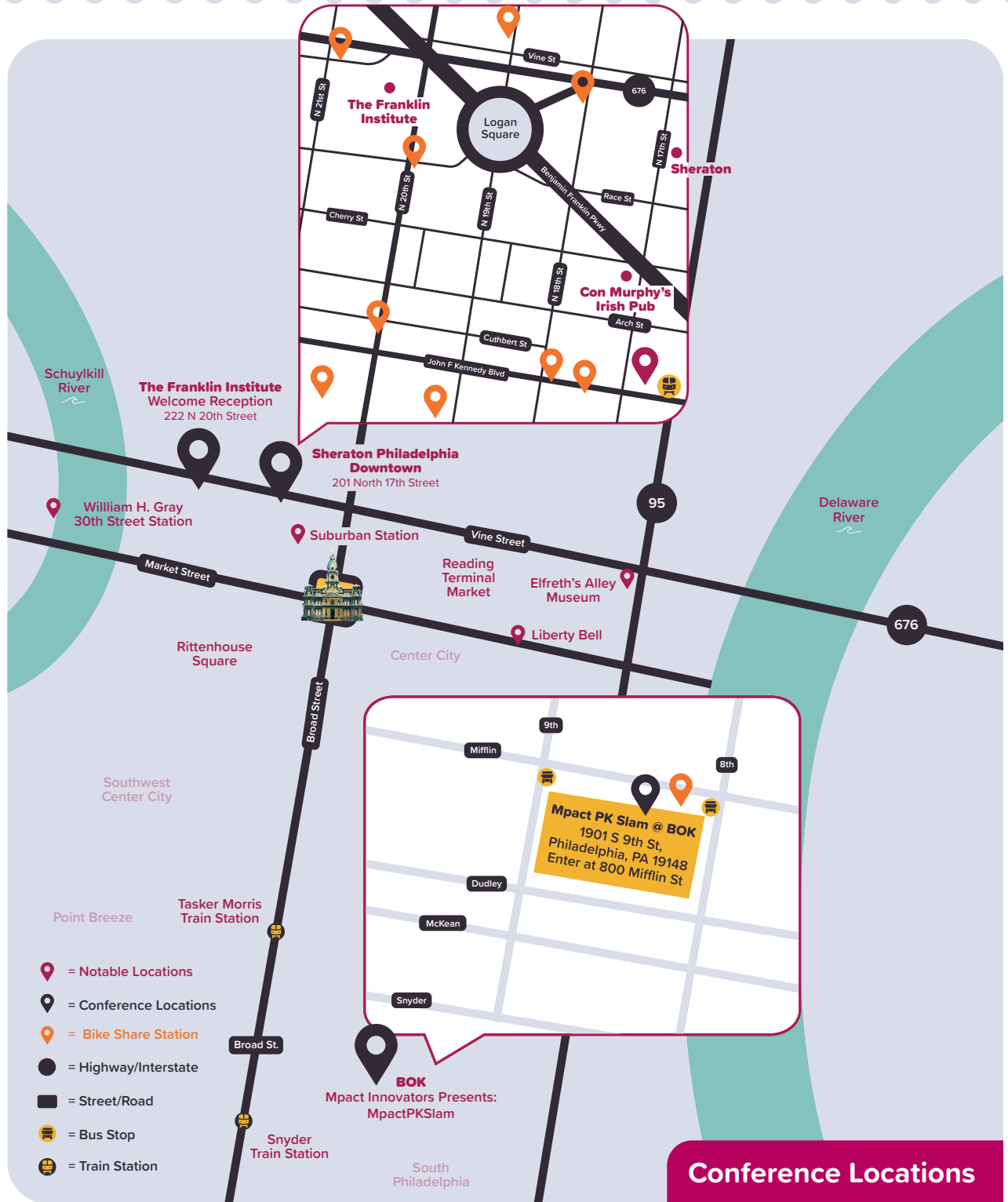
Support transit by riding SEPTA, PATCO, NJ TRANSIT and Amtrak! To ride SEPTA, use a contactless credit or debit card, Apple Pay, Google Pay or Samsung Pay. Or buy a Key Card Travel Wallet, load money, and pay as you go. More info on the mobile app.

Ride Indego Bike Share for Free

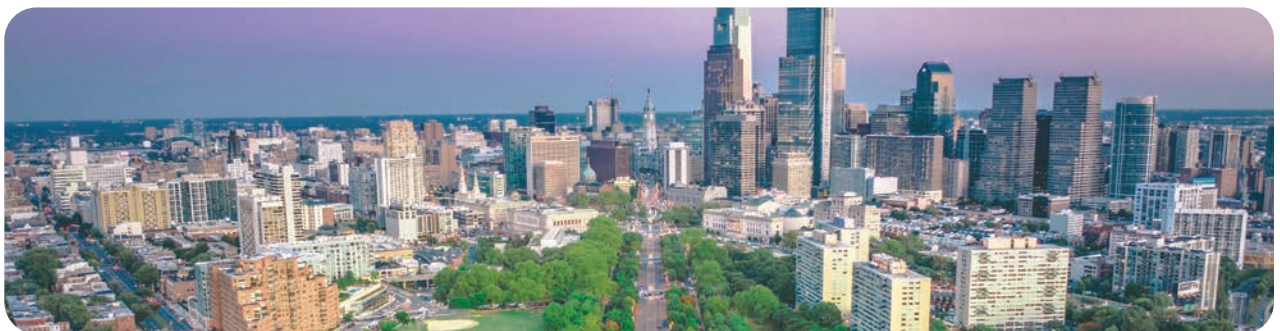
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Thanks to Bicycle Transit Systems, conference attendees have free access to Indego, Philadelphia's bike share system. The closest bike share station to the Sheraton is around the corner at 18th and Vine. To redeem your free pass, set up an account (link in print version) and download the Indego app (link in print version).

Bring your helmet!



Conference Locations



Sheraton Hotel Map

Meeting Rooms: Mezzanine Level and Ballroom Level

Plenaries: Ballroom Level

Public Square: Ballroom Level

Speaker Ready Room: Salon 8

Quiet Room: Please See Registration Help Desk for Key

Ballroom Level

Meeting Rooms:

Liberty Ballroom

Public Square:

Breakfast & Breaks

Bookstore

Exhibits

Charging Station

SEPTA Store

Social Wall

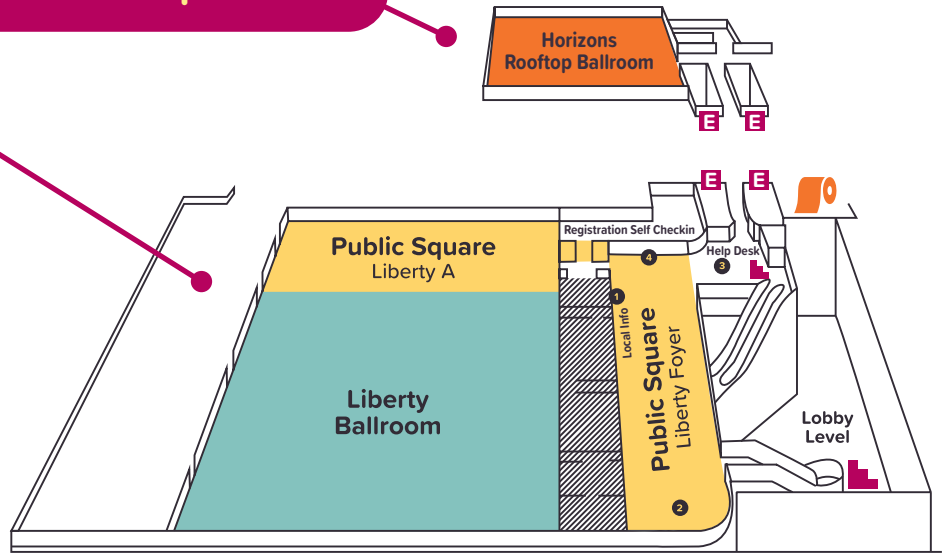
① Local Information

② Mobile Workshop Check-in

③ Registration Help Desk

④ Registration Self-Check-in

Horizons Rooftop Ballroom



Mezzanine Level

Meeting Rooms:

● Freedom

● Independence

● Philadelphia

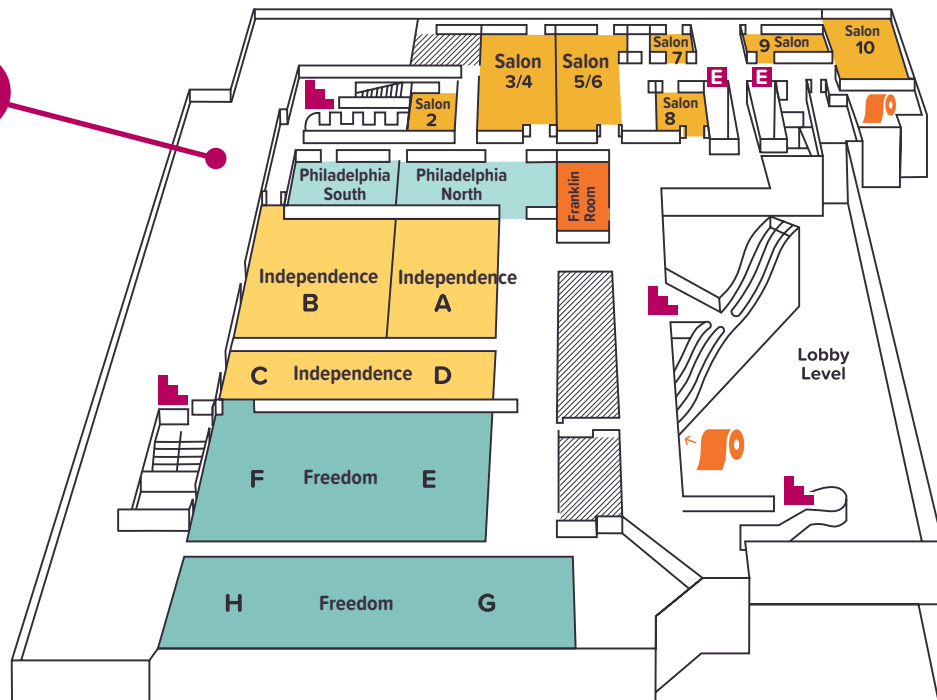
● Salon

Utilities:

▬ Stairs

E Elevator

🚻 Bathroom



Bathrooms are behind the elevators on each floor and behind the stairwell on the Lobby Level. Please note: Only the Lobby bathroom behind the stairwell has buttons to open the door. Other bathrooms are ADA accessible but without door buttons.

Hats off to the

Philadelphia Local Host Committee

Philadelphia and the Delaware Valley are incredibly rich with transit and transit-oriented development. Thanks to the Local Host Committee we get the insiders' view – of great places and transformative projects as well as the challenges they're facing and the leaders, practitioners and advocates working to find solutions.

The Local Host Committee steps up for this conference in ways that are rare and incredibly valuable. They plan the welcome reception, pre-conference events and mobile workshops, as well as Regional Day. They also help bring in sponsors to support the conference and organize volunteers.

Co-chairs

Jody Holton, Chief Planning and Strategy Officer, *Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA)*

Ariella Maron, Executive Director, *Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC)*



Mobile Workshops Co-chairs

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Thank You! *to the Local Host Committee and to all the local stakeholders involved!*

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Karin Morris, *DVRPC*

Renee Androckitis, Chamber of Commerce of Greater Philadelphia / Howard Brown, Pottstown Area Health and Wellness Foundation / Andy Frishkoff, LISC Philadelphia / Chris Jandoli, HNTB / Megan Massey, NJ TRANSIT / Matthew Popek, Montgomery County

Marketing Co-chairs

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Volunteers Co-chairs

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Benjamin She, *City of Philadelphia*

Catherine Fleming, SEPTA / Chris Jandoli, HNTB / Laurie Matkowski, Gannett Fleming / Ryan Long, Federal Transit Administration

Welcome Reception Co-chairs

Kelly Edwards, *SEPTA*

Betsy Mastaglio, *DVRPC*

Mpact Innovators



The Innovators are an informal group made up of people new to the transit, mobility and development space. Each year, they contribute their time and inventiveness to plan events for the conference.

- Saturday Night Welcome, for those arriving early, a low-key hello, in the hotel bar.
- Walking Tours Monday and Tuesday.
- Give-back. An opportunity to contribute time to a good cause while you're at the conference.
- Wellness – morning yoga on Tuesday and a group run on Wednesday.
- Idea Exchanges focused on hot topics or fresh ideas. Less presentation. More discussion.
- The Mpact PK Slam, powered by PechaKucha™, a Tuesday-night tradition.

The PK Slam is the big Innovators' event - don't miss it!

Speakers take the stage to deliver fresh, sometimes provocative takes about the work and how we do it. **Sponsored by HDR**
20 slides for 20 seconds each.

See details for these events on the Mobile App or Conference Schedule

Thanks to the Mpact Innovators working group and to Mpact Innovators Chair, Corrie Parrish, Senior Planner, Kittelson & Associates, Portland, OR.

Interested in joining the Innovators?

Reach out to Trinity Ek (trinitye@mpactmobility.org). Talk to Corrie or others you see with an Innovators tag on their badge.



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Called to Impact

Poem by *Emmanuella R. Myrthil*, Chief Equity and Inclusion Officer, SEPTA, Philadelphia, PA

First and foremost,
paying homage and giving thanks
to the “real ones” who held
homelands here before us

The Indigenous ones
who blazed trails
for this momentous mobilization
of civilization

Centuries later,
here we are, a *bustling city*
revolutionizing
a diverse culture
living and breathing
upgrading modalities
and accessibility
reimagining rail and reality
in the aim of prosperity and longevity

Today, us change makers—
we gather
in community, inspired
to build,
serve,
and *i*mpact
neighborhoods and the hood
young families through
up-and-coming generations
of users,
workers,
planners,
developers,
creators &
innovators
People!

We bring our heads and hearts
with conscious consideration –
for populations
trusting us
to deliver pathways
to dreams, visions, ambitions
through significant *modernization*
of *trollies*, trains, &
modes of transportation

We work to make good on the promise
to connect every precious human
to places and spaces
made for play, learning,
loving and worship

We build bridges to break barriers
to advance equity and open possibility
to hope and a future
bright!

Colored with respect, resilience,
and representation
In the re-invention of our great city
In our quest to lift quality of life—
We are all in it together



2024 Conference Artwork

Mz.Icar, a Philadelphia-based anonymous art collective comprised primarily of Black women, created the artwork for this year's conference. Their work invites us to consider history and the people who shape it. And conveys the energy and energy and dynamism of the region.

'Bustle' is an illustration highlighting the dynamic energy of the city of Philadelphia's transportation methods while paying respect to the land's indigenous Lenape roots. Through geometric motion studies, it captures the bustling movement of people and vehicles across iconic landmarks like City Hall, The Colored Girls Museum, and the Ben Franklin Bridge. Vibrant earthy tones evoke the city's ecological harmony, serving as a reminder to acknowledge both its indigenous heritage and the constant flux of urban life. – Mz.Icar



M: **Program note:** On Tuesday, over the lunch break, explore Lenape history and culture with Chief Barbara Bluejay Michalski, of the Lenape Nation of Pennsylvania. **Tuesday, October 22, 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm, Salon 3/4. Bring your lunch!**

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Plenaries Take on the Big Topics!

These are the big discussions – with everyone in the room!

Opening Plenary

Monday, October 21

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8:30 am – 10:00 am AICP CM 1.5 Liberty Ballroom

Welcome



Leslie S. Richards Chief Executive Officer and General Manager, Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA), Philadelphia, PA

Poem

Emmanuela R. Myrthil Chief Equity and Inclusion Officer, Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA), Philadelphia, PA

KEYNOTE:

Design Matters: Shaping a Better Future for Our Cities

This is a vital moment to focus on life in cities and the essential role of design in preserving and creating vibrant, healthy, resilient and equitable urban spaces.



Kimberly Dowdell AIA, NOMAC, NCARB, LEED AP BD+C, 2024 President, American Institute of Architects / Director of Strategic Relationships, HOK, Chicago, IL

Closing

Dorval R. Carter, Jr. President, Chicago Transit Authority / Mpart Board Member, Chicago, IL

Tuesday Plenary

Monday, October 22

Sponsored by



8:30 am – 10:00 am AICP CM 1.5 Liberty Ballroom

Welcome



Christopher Coes Acting Under Secretary of Transportation for Policy, Office of the Secretary, US Department of Transportation, Washington, DC

Emcee: Diana Mendes Corporate President, HNTB / President, Mpart Board of Directors, Washington, DC

Video Address: Congressman Earl Blumenauer 3rd District, Oregon / Mpart Board of Directors

PLENARY DISCUSSION:

Missing Middle Neighborhoods: Keys from Philadelphia

At a time when every community wants more middle-income housing, leaders and policymakers in Philadelphia are innovating new ways to build wealth, prevent displacement and reduce vacancy in “missing middle” neighborhoods.



Kevin Moran

Nikil Saval

Jamie Gauthier

James Leonard

Moderator: Kevin Moran, Executive Director, Urban Land Institute Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

Nikil Saval, State Senator, District 1, Pennsylvania State Senate, Philadelphia, PA

Jamie Gauthier, Councilmember, District 3, Philadelphia City Council, Philadelphia, PA

James Leonard, Commissioner, Department of Records, City of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA

Closing Plenary Lunch

Wednesday, October 23

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

AICP CM 1.5 Liberty Ballroom

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Welcome

Carolyn Flowers Partner, InfraStrategies / Vice President, Mpcat Board of Directors, Los Angeles, CA

Emcee: Ariella Maron Executive Director, Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission, Philadelphia, PA

PLENARY DISCUSSION:

Climate Action: Working Together for Equitable, Resilient Communities

Whether we work on climate, transportation or development, we all are deeply part of climate action and outcomes. How can we leverage the power we have?



Mariia Zimmerman



Laurie Schoeman



Ariella Maron

Mariia Zimmerman, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy, Office of the Secretary, US Department of Transportation, Washington, DC

Laurie Schoeman, Senior Policy Advisor for Housing and Urban Policy, Domestic Policy Council, The White House, Washington, DC (Invited)

Moderator: Ariella Maron, Executive Director, Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission, Philadelphia, PA

Closing

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Mpact Public Square

Located on the Ballroom Level, the Public Square is the central gathering place for the conference. Start each day there for continental breakfast and swing through for breaks between sessions. Plenty of places to sit and talk!


Registration Help Desk Open daily. Check to find out if spaces are available on Pre-conference Events and Mobile Workshops or to register for Regional Day—all require a separate fee. Make sure to get your conference bag, featuring the conference artwork. **Bag sponsored by STACYWITBECK**

Mobile Workshop Check-In Please check in 10-15 minutes before your workshop. *Please stay with your group until it departs.* And make sure to return your head sets afterwards!

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Social Wall Stay current with conference posts on social media. **Sponsored by**  **HUIT ZOLLARS**

Local Information Say hello to the Local Host Committee. Get answers to your questions about the region: details about riding transit (SEPTA, PATCO, NJ TRANSIT & AMTRAK); bike routes and bike share; where to get lunch and places to see while you're here.

Bookstore Open Monday and Tuesday, with books about the region and about building great places to live.  **JULIA DE BURGOS BOOKSTORE**
AT SALER PUEBLOQUARTO | THE CULTURAL HEART OF LATINO PHILADELPHIA

SEPTA Store Monday and Tuesday: take home some SEPTA swag!



Exhibitors

*Exhibits are open Monday and Tuesday.
Make sure to visit them all!*



CREATING A BETTER FUTURE, TOGETHER



Explore the SEPTA Drexel at 30th Street Station Virtual Tour

SEPTA DREXEL AT 30TH STREET STATION



BOK – Adaptive Reuse Meets the Mpack PK Slam

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A former technical high school in South Philadelphia is now a space for makers, businesses, nonprofits and artists – and the venue for Tuesday night’s Mpack PK Slam, presented by the Mpack Innovators. Built in the 1930s to train students for such trades as wallpapering, cosmetology, brick laying and auto mechanics, Bok today houses more than 200 businesses and organizations. It offers affordable workspace for people who want to explore how an idea or initiative can grow.

Arrive early for the PK Slam to find out more about this example of adaptive reuse in a residential area. Tours start at 7:00 pm and 7:30 pm, max 15 people each.

For information about how to get to BOK, see the Mpack PK Slam on the Tuesday schedule. Or check the app. Read more about BOK on the Mpack blog: mpactmobility.org/blog

Facts about BOK

- **58%** of BOK businesses are women-owned
- **1 in 4** are minority owned
- **2/3** of tenants live in South Philadelphia
- Tenant spaces range from **52 to 21,000+ sq ft**
- **600** people work there; **175,000** visit each year

The BOK building, with a view of city center Philadelphia in the distance.



Credit: Astrobus Media (formerly Arsenal Mediawork)

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At Urban, we believe transformative transit and vibrant, connected communities go hand-in-hand, which is why we’re proud to sponsor the Mpack Transit + Community Conference. We design and engineer economically sustainable transit systems that help communities grow, connect, and become more inclusive for all.



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DAILY SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 19

For details see mobile app or mpactmobility.org/schedule
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Pre-Conference Events

Meet in lobby; pre-registration required.

Noon – 2:30 pm

Eat Like a Local | \$70

1:00 pm – 3:30 pm

The Origins of Philadelphia Street Art* | \$25 **Cancelled**

2:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Center City Mural Mile | \$30

Networking

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Mpact Innovators Presents: Saturday Night Welcome

Local Café, Lobby, Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown

DAILY SCHEDULE

Sunday, October 20

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7:00 am – 6:00 pm

Registration, Mobile Workshop Check-in
Public Square, Ballroom Level

Pre-Conference Events

Meet in lobby; pre-registration required.

8:30 am – 11:30 am

The Black Journey in the 7th Ward | \$45

2:00 pm – 6:30 pm

TOB: Transit-Oriented Breweries* | \$45



Sunday Mobile Workshops

Check in 15 minutes before your workshop starts at the Mobile Workshop desk in the Public Square on Ballroom Level. Pre-registration required.

9:00 am – 12:30 pm

MW01 **The Other Mainline: Multimodal Communities on the PATCO Speedline**
\$45 | AICP 3.5 | Train, Walking

9:30 am – 3:00 pm

MW02 **A Journey to Chicken Hill: Seeking ETOD in Pottstown**
\$85 includes lunch | AICP CM 4.0
Charter Bus, Walking

1:00 pm – 4:30 pm

MW03 **Reimagining Regional Rail***
\$45 | AICP CM 3.5
Train, Walking

1:30 pm – 4:15 pm

MW04 **Philadelphia 101**
\$45 | AICP CM 2.5 | Walking

2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

MW05 **Complete Streets for Bike and Bus**
\$65 | AICP CM 2 | Bicycling

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Go to apa.org to log your credits.



Sunday Session

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Partnering with the US Department of Transportation: The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law and Beyond
AICP CM 2.0 | Philadelphia North

Networking

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Mpact Innovators Presents – Give Back Event: Serving Lunch at Philly House
\$20 Pre-registration required. Meet in Lobby

4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

LGBTQ+ Welcome and Happy Hour*
A special invitation to LGBTQ+ conference goers and friends: Get a head start on Sunday night's Welcome Reception with happy hour a short walk from the Sheraton.

Con Murphy's
1700 Benjamin Franklin Parkway
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Event is upstairs.

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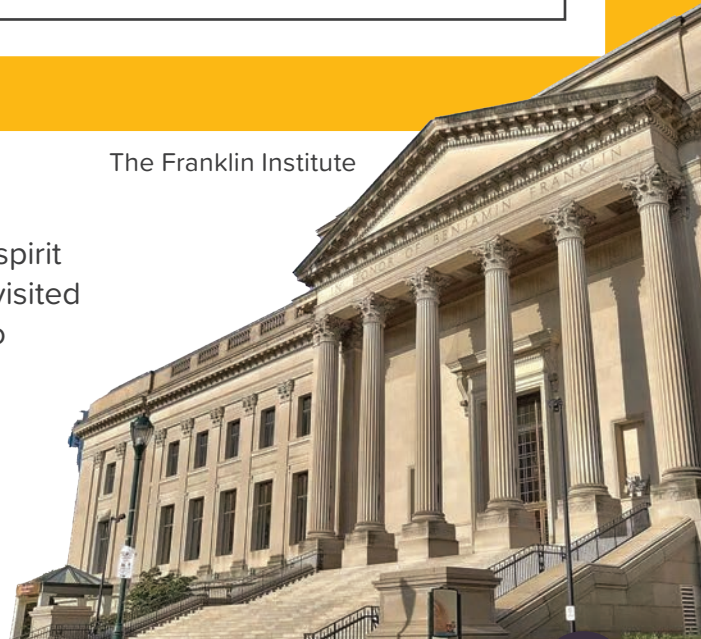
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Kick off the conference at a destination dedicated to the spirit of inquiry and discovery: The Franklin Institute, the most-visited museum in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Say hello to old friends and meet new ones as you explore this wondrous space. Enjoy a welcome beverage for everyone and light refreshments (not dinner!).

The Franklin Institute
222 N 20th Street,
Philadelphia, PA 19103

The Franklin Institute is a 10-minute (0.4 mile) walk from the Sheraton, on the other side of Logan Square, toward the Schuylkill River.

The Franklin Institute



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DAILY SCHEDULE

Monday, October 21

For details see the mobile app or mpactmobility.org/schedule

DOT Office Hours

By appointment only. See the app for details.

7:00 am – 6:30 pm

Registration and Public Square Open Ballroom Level

Breakfast and Breaks
Exhibits

Mobile Workshop Check-In
Bookstore & SEPTA Store
Local Information

7:30 am – 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast
Public Square, Ballroom Level

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Opening Plenary

8:30 am – 10:00 am

Design Matters: Shaping a Better Future for Our Cities
AICP CM 1.5 Liberty Ballroom, Ballroom Level

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Monday Morning Mobile Workshops

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9:45 am – 12:45 pm

MW06 **South by Southwest**
\$45 | AICP CM 3.0

Trolley, Walking Sponsored by



10:00 am – 1:30 pm

MW07 **William H. Gray 30th Street Station & Schuylkill Yards**
\$65 includes lunch | **AICP CM 3.0**

Transit, Walking

10:15 am – 2:00 pm

MW08 **100 Years in the Making: The Vision for Roosevelt Boulevard**
\$65 includes lunch | **AICP CM 4.0**

Train, Walking



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Monday Morning Sessions

10:30 am – Noon

All meeting rooms are on the Mezzanine Level except for Liberty Ballroom, and Horizons Rooftop Ballroom (via elevator)

MONDAY

Being a Public Transportation CEO: Leadership and Lessons Learned Freedom EF
AICP CM 1.5

Workforce Equity: Coordinating Across Projects and Sectors Philadelphia South
AICP CM 1.5

Trails, Parks, Soccer! Activating Underutilized Transit Spaces Independence CD
AICP CM 1.5

Bus Network Redesign: Right-sizing Community Engagement Freedom GH | AICP CM 1.5

Using Human Behavior to Inform Transit Decisions Independence B
AICP CM 1.5

Around the World (in 90 Minutes) by Gondola: Making Jules Verne Proud Liberty Ballroom, Ballroom Level
AICP CM 1.5

Land Use as a Solution for Equitable Mobility and Access Philadelphia North
AICP CM 1.5

Downtime – Lunch on Your Own

Noon – 2:00 pm



Box lunches for purchase on mezzanine level - cash only. See details in the app.

12:15 pm – 1:45 pm

Lunchtime Networking

Mpact Innovators Presents – Walking Tour: Historical Society of Pennsylvania
Meet in Lobby. Limited to first 25.

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Lunchtime Conversations

TOD Practitioners Forum
Horizons Rooftop Ballroom | AICP CM 1.0
AARP Lunchtime Conversation – Designing Transit for All Ages
Salon 5/6

Monday Afternoon Mobile Workshops

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1:15 pm – 5:15 pm

MW10 **Tacony: An Evolving Industrial Waterfront Neighborhood*** \$85
AICP CM 3.0 Train, Bicycling

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1:30 pm – 5:15 pm

MW11 **SEPTA Metro: Multiple Modes, Unified*** \$45 AICP CM 3.0
Transit – many kinds!

1:45 pm – 5:15 pm

MW12 **Blossom at Bartram: Growing the Future in Southwest Philadelphia*** \$45 AICP CM 3.0 Train, Walking

DAILY SCHEDULE

Monday, October 21 *continued*

Monday Early Afternoon Sessions

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

All meeting rooms are on the Mezzanine Level except for Liberty Ballroom, on the Ballroom Level

For details see the mobile app or mpactmobility.org/schedule

A Song for Chicken Hill: ETOD in Large and Small Cities Liberty Ballroom
AICP CM 1.5

Building the Capital Stack: Leveraging Dollars for Complete Communities Independence A | AICP CM 1.5

Reauthorization of the Federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act Freedom EF | AICP CM 1.5

Syracuse and Portland: Models for Reconnecting Communities Freedom GH
AICP CM 1.5

Mobility Denied: Addressing State Legislation Prohibiting and Limiting Transit Options Philadelphia South | AICP CM 1.5

Measure Twice, Cut Once: TOD Corridor Planning at the Front End Philadelphia North | AICP CM 1.5

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Refreshment Break
Public Square

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Gender-Inclusive Transit through Design and Policy Liberty Ballroom
AICP CM 1.5

Monday One-Hour Sessions

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

The Dollars and Cents of TOD: Transit and Developer Perspectives Philadelphia North
AICP CM 1.0

Oh, the Humanity! Achieving Safe and Compassionate Transit for All Liberty Ballroom, Ballroom Level | AICP CM 1.0

Affordable Housing Policy Update: TOD at Different Scales Philadelphia South
AICP CM 1.0

What is... TOD? Test Your Knowledge! Independence B
AICP CM 1.0

Curbing Climate Change with EVs: A Debate Freedom EF
AICP CM 1.0 SR1

A Real Seat at the Table for Equity and Environmental Justice: The Link21 Standard Independence A
AICP CM 1.0

The “You” in Universal Design Freedom GH
AICP CM 1.0 Eq1

Mpact Innovators Presents – Red Line Internship Program: Advancing Youth, Community and Light Rail Independence CD
AICP CM 1.0

Networking

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5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

Monday Wind Down – Reception in the Public Square, Ballroom Level

Close the first full day of the conference with a party. Compare notes about sessions, mobile workshops and what you've seen of Philadelphia so far. Meet new friends. Explore the exhibits, bookstore and SEPTA store. Light appetizers and cash bar.

Plus: Mentoring with WTS Philadelphia

5:30 – 6:30 pm! Step from the Public Square into the Liberty Ballroom for mentoring with transportation leaders. Take a quick survey and WTS will match you up for a 7-minute conversation: advice about career development and insights about challenges facing the industry today.



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DAILY SCHEDULE

Tuesday, October 22

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DOT
Office
Hours

By appointment only.
See the app for details.

7:00 am – 6:00 pm

Registration and Public Square Open Ballroom Level
Breakfast and Breaks
Mobile Workshop Check-In
Local Information

7:00 am – 4:00 pm

Exhibits
Bookstore & SEPTA Store

7:30 am – 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast
Public Square, Ballroom Level
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Networking

7:30 am – 8:00 am

Mpact Innovators Presents – Practical Self-Care:
Elevate Your Workday
Horizons Rooftop Ballroom

Tuesday Plenary

8:30 am – 10:00 am

Missing Middle Neighborhoods: Keys from Philadelphia
AICP CM 1.5 Liberty Ballroom, Ballroom Level

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Tuesday Morning Mobile Workshops

Check in 15 minutes before your workshop starts at the Mobile Workshop desk in the Public Square on Ballroom Level. Pre-registration required.

10:00 am – 3:00 pm

MW14 **A Refuge in the City**
\$65 includes lunch
AICP CM 4.0 *Train, Walking*

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

MW15 **Center City's Grand Public Spaces**
\$45 | AICP CM 2.0
Walking

10:15 am – 1:30 pm

MW16 **Kensington:**
A Misunderstood Neighborhood
\$65 includes lunch
AICP CM 3.0 *Train, Walking*

10:30 am – 1:00 pm

MW17 **American Street:**
The Road to Green and Complete Streets **\$45**
AICP CM 2.5 *Train, Bus, Walking*



Land Use for Climate Action: Strategy, Funding, Impacts
Freedom EF | AICP CM 1.5

Selling Good Jobs in Transit: Engaging Stakeholders in Solutions to Workforce Gender Gaps
Independence A
AICP CM 1.5

Historic Train Stations to Modern Mobility Hubs: Intentional Transformation
Liberty Ballroom
AICP CM 1.5

Unlocking Data for Equitable Transit: The Toolbox for Practitioners and Decision Makers
Philadelphia North
AICP CM 1.5

BRT B-Side: Agencies Getting in Tune with Street Owners and Operators
Independence B
AICP CM 1.5

First/Last Mile Connections: Co-creating Solutions via Community Partnerships
Philadelphia South
AICP CM 1.5

Downtime Lunch on Your Own



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Planning for TOD by Beginning at the End
Independence CD
AICP CM 1.5

Housing Now! TOD and the Housing Crisis
Liberty Ballroom, Freedom GH
AICP CM 1.5

Noon – 2:00 pm

12:15 pm – 1:45 pm

Lunchtime Networking

Mpact Innovators Presents
– **Walking Tour: Color Me Back** at Suburban Station
Meet in Lobby. Limited to first 25.

Mpact Innovators Presents
– **Walking Tour: Hub of Hope**
Meet in Lobby. Limited to first 25.

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Lunchtime Conversations

Lenape History and Culture
Salon 3/4

AARP Lunchtime Conversation – Funding Quick Action Projects through the AARP Community Challenge
Salon 5/6

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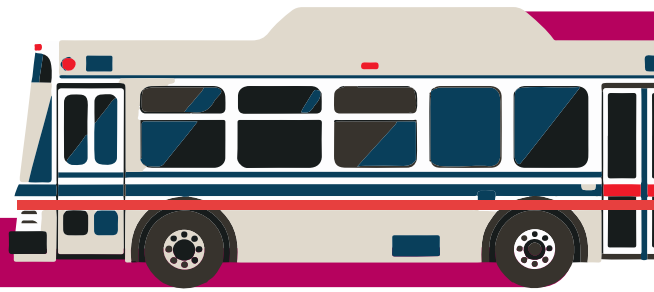
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DAILY SCHEDULE

Tuesday, October 22 *continued*

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Tuesday Afternoon Mobile Workshops

Check in 15 minutes before your workshop starts at the Mobile Workshop desk in the Public Square on Ballroom Level. Pre-registration required.

12:30 pm – 5:15 pm

MW09 **Suburban Riverfront TODs \$45 AICP CM 3.5**
Train, Walking

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

MW18 **Transit Oriented Communities: Urban and Suburban \$45 AICP CM 3.5**
Train, Walking

1:15 pm – 4:15 pm

MW19 **Transforming Philadelphia's Central Delaware Waterfront \$65 AICP CM 3.0** *Bicycling*
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1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

MW21 **New Connections to the Navy Yard \$45 AICP CM 2.0** *Train, Walking*

2:15 pm – 5:30 pm

MW20 **Old City Vision Plan in Action \$45 AICP CM 3.0**
Train, Walking

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

MW22 **Sustainability Goals: Inspiration and Action \$45 AICP CM 2.0 SR1**

Tuesday Early Afternoon Sessions

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Transit Rider Perceptions: Understanding and Taking Action Liberty Ballroom AICP CM 1.5 Eq1

Wagon Road to Transitway: BRT Tradeoffs in Legacy Urban Corridors Independence CD | AICP CM 1.5

Mpact LAB Presents – Activating ETOD in HI and PA: A LAB Exercise Independence B | AICP CM 1.5

Community Engagement: The Key to Advancing Equitable Infrastructure Independence A AICP CM 1.5 Eq1

Improving Bus Stops: First impressions to Lasting Appeal Freedom GH AICP CM 1.5

First Class For Everyone: Transforming Commuter Rail into Regional Rail Philadelphia North | AICP CM 1.5

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Refreshment Break Public Square

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VIEWING THE FUTURE OF PUBLIC OPINION

Participatory Budgeting: Give the People What They Want Philadelphia South AICP CM 1.5

Town Hall: Local Perspectives on the USDOT Blueprint For Transportation Decarbonization Freedom EF | AICP CM 1.5

Tuesday Late Afternoon Sessions

4:00 pm – 5:30 pm

The first three sessions end at 5:00 pm, as indicated by 1 hour AICP CM credits.

Riding Together: Forging TOD and TOC Partnerships Independence A | AICP CM 1.0

Growing the Next Generation of Transit Riders Freedom GH AICP CM 1.0

Downtowns and Cities Post-Boom: What Will They Look Like? Independence B AICP CM 1.0

Community-Led Urban Design: Implementing in Sync with Transit Projects Freedom EF | AICP CM 1.5

The Power of Community: Case Studies for Building a Sustained Action Base Liberty Ballroom, Ballroom Level | AICP CM 1.5 Eq1

It's Not Just a Dream: The Joys and Struggles of Realizing a Transit-Oriented Vision Philadelphia North AICP CM 1.5

Building Focused Coalitions - Moving Transit Forward Philadelphia North | AICP CM 1.0 Eq1

Tales from Two Cities: Empowering Communities with Resources to Achieve ETOD Independence CD | AICP CM 1.5

Networking

8:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Mpact Innovators Presents: The Mpact PK Slam, Powered by PechaKucha™

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Small group tours of Bok will be available starting at 7:00 pm and 7:30 pm, max 15 people each.


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via Train: Walk to Race-Vine Station to catch the B (Broad Street Line) southbound to Snyder Station or Tasker-Morris station. Walk to Bok.

via Bike: Just under 3 miles, via Race Street and South 10th Street. Bike parking is available on the west side of the building by the 1901 S 9th Street entrance. Bok also has an Indego bike share station at its northeast corner.

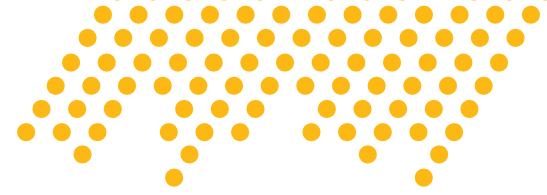
 In addition to transit and bike options, free mini-buses will run a continuous shuttle loop from 7:00 pm to 11:30 pm between the Sheraton and Bok.



DAILY SCHEDULE

Wednesday, October 23

For details see mobile app or mpactmobility.org/schedule



7:00 am – Noon

Registration and Public Square Open Ballroom Level

Breakfast and Breaks
Mobile Workshop Check-In
Local Information

Networking

7:00 am – 8:00 am

Mpact Innovators Presents – Wednesday Morning Group Run Meet in Lobby

7:30 am – 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast
Public Square, Ballroom Level
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Wednesday Morning Mobile Workshops

Check in 15 minutes before your workshop starts at the Mobile Workshop desk in the Public Square on Ballroom Level. Pre-registration required. Asterisk (*) at end of title indicates not ADA accessible.

8:15 am – 10:45 am

MW23 **Philadelphia Center City Bikeways**
\$65 | AICP CM 3.5 *Bicycling*

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8:30 am – 11:00 am

MW24 **Infill TOD and Redevelopment in Fishtown**
\$45 | AICP CM 1.5 *Train, Walking*

8:45 am – 11:15 am

MW25 **Community Gardens as Community Assets**
\$45 | AICP CM 3.0 *Train, Walking*

9:00 am – 11:30 am

MW26 **South Philly's Iconic Commercial Corridors***
\$45 | AICP CM 2.0 *Train, Walking*

9:15 am – 11:45 am

MW27 **Two Tales, One Road: Lessons from a Road Diet**
\$45 | AICP CM 2.5 *Train, Walking*

Wednesday Morning Sessions

8:30 am – 10:00 am

Equitable Transit-Oriented Communities:
Let's Share Best Practices
Independence B | AICP CM 1.5

What Could We Do with this Land? Agency Assets and Community Needs
Independence A | AICP CM 1.5

Old Downtowns, New Life:
Revitalizing Legacy City Centers with TOD
Freedom EF | AICP CM 1.5

New Roles at Transit Agencies: Chief Equity and Strategy Officers Taking the Industry By Storm
Philadelphia South
AICP CM 1.5

Legacy City Greenways:
Inclusive from the Roots Up!
Salon 5/6 | AICP CM 1.5

Creative Placekeeping:
How Art Supercharges Community Engagement
Independence CD | AICP CM 1.5

Yay! Microtransit! (... but what if they hate it?)
Philadelphia North
AICP CM 1.5

10:00 am – 10:30 am

Refreshment Break
Public Square

Wednesday One-Hour Sessions

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Public Engagement for Thriving Communities:
One Size Does Not Fit All
Independence B | AICP CM 1.0

Bike + Transit: Upgrading to Safer Streets in Philadelphia
Philadelphia South | AICP CM 1.0

Game Day: Transit to Sports and Entertainment
Freedom EF | AICP CM 1.0

Regenerative Design in Transit Oriented Communities
Independence A | AICP CM 1.0
SR1

Lowercase t-o-d: Lessons Learned for Suburban Corridors with Limited Transit
Independence CD | AICP CM 1.0

Trails in the Mix: Come Build Consensus with Us!
Salon 5/6 | AICP CM 1.0

Creative Fare Policies
Philadelphia North
AICP CM 1.0 Eq1

Closing Plenary Lunch

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Climate Action: Working Together for Equitable, Resilient Communities
Liberty Ballroom, Ballroom Level

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
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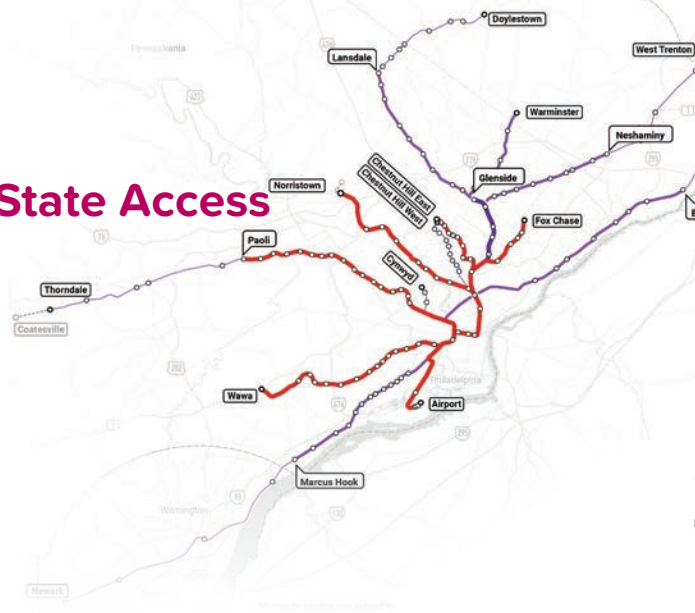
Reimagining Regional Rail

For Greater Philadelphia and Tri-State Access

Wednesday, **October 23**

2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Freedom Ballroom, Mezzanine Level | AICP CM 3.0
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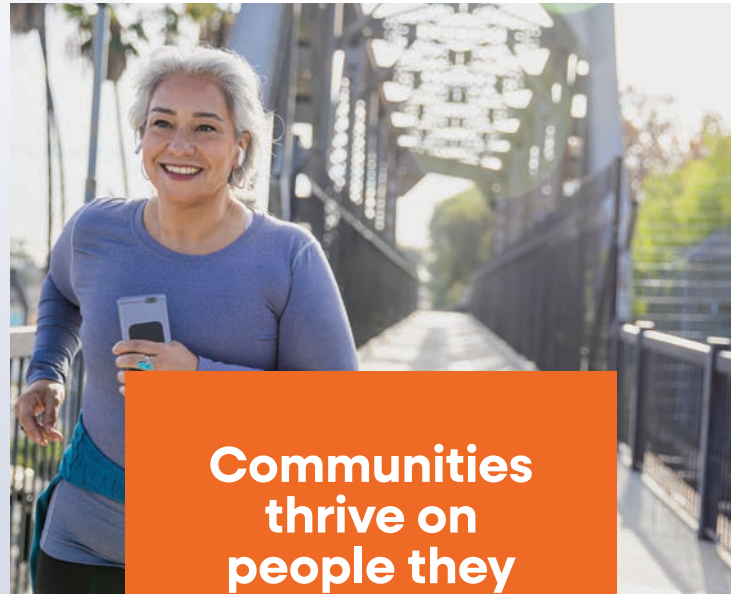


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Mpact Transit + Community’s Regional Day program focuses on the once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to reimagine regional rail for Greater Philadelphia and the Tri-State Area of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, including service operated by SEPTA, NJ TRANSIT and Amtrak. During this afternoon program, start with an overview of SEPTA’s regional rail master plan along with best practices and recent innovations in other regional rail systems. Then, join breakout sessions focused on tools and programs to advance transit-oriented communities in the tri-state area, including two corridors along the Schuylkill River.



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Setting the Stage Together

2:00 pm – 2:50 pm

Part 1: The Future of Regional Rail: SEPTA's Reimagining Regional Rail Master Plan
Freedom Ballroom, Mezzanine Level

2:50 pm – 3:40 pm

Part 2: Passenger Rail Best Practices and Recent Innovations
Freedom Ballroom, Mezzanine Level

Regional Day will be a **one-stop shop** for getting up to speed about the future of regional rail.

Breakout Sessions – Transit Oriented Communities (TOC)

3:50 pm – 4:50 pm

Choose from 1 of 3 Breakout Sessions

BREAKOUT 1
Greater Philadelphia TOC Opportunities
Freedom Ballroom
Mezzanine Level

BREAKOUT 2
New Jersey TOC Best Practices and Opportunities
Philadelphia South
Mezzanine Level

BREAKOUT 3
Schuylkill River Corridor Plans and TOC Opportunities
Philadelphia North
Mezzanine Level

Closing Remarks: Reimagining Greater Philadelphia

4:55 pm – 5:00 pm Freedom Ballroom



Ariella Maron Executive Director, Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC)



Jody Holton AICP, Chief Planning & Strategy Officer, Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA)

Networking Reception

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Freedom Foyer



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- Water dispensers instead of plastic water bottles – *Refill your water bottle!*
- The paper in this Guide
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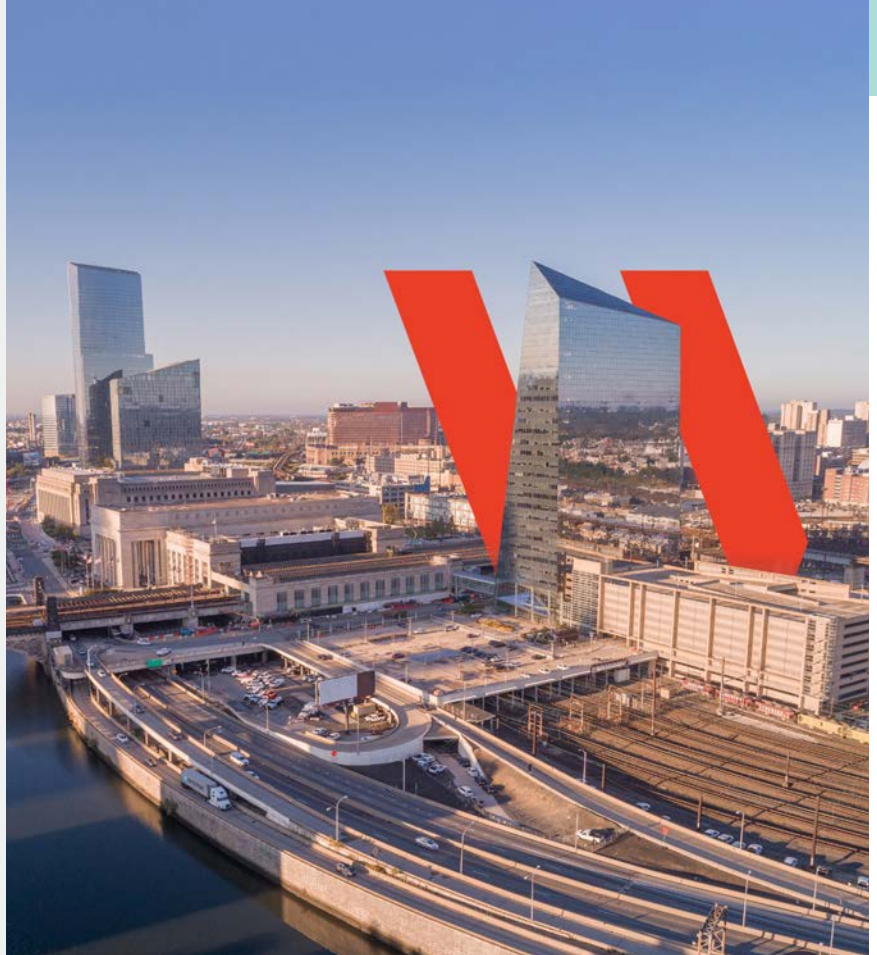


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