

Resources from Synergy 2021 – Encouragement

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Caltrans Active Transportation Program and Active Transportation Resource Center (ATRC)

- *COVID-19 Processes for Non Infrastructure (NI) Projects and Plans* - <https://dot.ca.gov/-/media/dot-media/programs/local-assistance/documents/atp/2020/covid19process-niandplan20201123.pdf>
- *NI 6 Es Factsheets* - <http://caatpresources.org/index.cfm/1511>
- *NI Guidance* with incentive information is found here - <https://dot.ca.gov/-/media/dot-media/programs/local-assistance/documents/atp/cy5/atp-ni-guidance/atp-ni-guidance-20200323-with-changes/atp-ni-guidance20200324.pdf>
- *General and technical information for various ATP technical guidance documents* - <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/local-assistance/fed-and-state-programs/active-transportation-program/>
- *Conducting Counts During the Pandemic* (Once completed will be found on this page under Non-Infrastructure or Plan) - <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/local-assistance/fed-and-state-programs/active-transportation-program/general-and-technical-information>

Orange County Transportation Association

- *Live polling tool* - <https://www.mentimeter.com>
- *Step Walk to School videos* - <https://www.octa.net/Walk/Safe-Routes-to-School/OC-Step/>
- *Orange County AT Programs and Resources* - <http://www.octa.net/OCActive/Overview/>
- *Virtual Walk to School Day materials* - <https://www.octa.net/walk/walk-to-school-day-2020/>

Stanislaus County of Governments

- *English and Spanish Walk & Roll Surveys* -English https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Safe_Active_Stanislaus and Spanish https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Stanislaus_Activo_Seguro
- *Walk and Roll Stanislaus* -Upcoming events and test your road safety knowledge with interactive games and prizes. www.WalkAndRollStanislaus.com
- *Recording of Stanislaus Safety Summit* - <http://media2.co.stanislaus.ca.us/OnDemand/stancog/SummitRecording.mp4>
- *StanCOG Non-Motorized Transportation Plan (Draft)*- <http://www.stancog.org/pdf/documents/DraftStanCOGNMTPAppendices121620.pdf>
- *Active Transportation Toolkit*-Strategies to Support Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety (StanCOG) - <http://www.stancog.org/pdf/documents/StanCOGActiveTransportationToolkit011521.pdf>

Discussion Notes

- Denise Turner, Safe Routes to Schools Program Manager for the Alameda County Transportation Commission, spoke of the bike repair events. The Alameda County newsletter detailing that event and others are here: <https://alamedacountysr2s.org/whats-new/sr2s-newsletters/>
 - BikeMobile – Denise discussed the popular mobile bicycle maintenance program that teaches kids how to keep their bikes in tip-top shape and deal with common problems like flat tires. Students attended I person and with and without their parents. This is done in-person, as well as, through

Zoom. See the details and reservation system for the BikeMobile event here:

<https://alamedacountysr2s.org/our-services/plan-an-event/bikemobile-2/>

- January Wellness Walk’s theme is Making a Change
- Creation for Transportation: Art for Walking, Bicycling, Carpooling and Taking Transit
- Wellness Walks and Pen Pals theme will be Healthy Hearts in honor of National Heart Health month. Denise also mentioned, and others agreed, mentioned that Safe Routes Programming in Alameda County has been a welcome resource for physical education teachers as they develop online curriculum for the first time during distanced learning.
- Mikki McDaniel, Transit and Bicycle Coordinator for Sacramento County, spoke about partnering with a the community-based organization (CBO), Chinese Community Service Center, to talk directly to middle school students as part of our Active Transportation Plan update. The CBO was already a partner with two school districts so they were already authorized to provide enrichment activities with students. It was one way to reach students without going through the school districts. She also wanted to share How Counties Work video game- <https://www.icivics.org/games/counties-work> - A video game for middle school students a tool to help with youth engagement and get them thinking about the challenges they see in their community and how they might change them.
- Kristin Haukum, Planning Associate with Alta Planning and Design noted that school packet drive-thru pickups were very helpful with reach ALL stakeholders during COVID-19.

Other Resources

- *Streets for Pandemic Response & Recovery* by the National Association of City Transportation Officials – This resource aggregates and synthesizes emerging practices in transportation and street design in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. It highlights cities’ current efforts to re-organize streets to best manage this crisis and support economic recovery. These emerging practices are organized into standalone implementation sheets and will be expanded over time based on evolving practices. <https://nacto.org/publication/streets-for-pandemic-response-recovery/emerging-street-strategies/school-streets/>