

# **2025 Program Priorities**

### **EDUCATION**

- Implement School Rotation Schedule, educating 5,000 to 6,000 K-12 students at 20-plus local schools.
- Provide mechanical checks/repairs by professional mechanics on 2,000 to 3,000 students' bicycles.
- Train 400 adults on how to teach bike-ped safety through their volunteering with SRTS programming.
- Support eight summer bike camps offered by Recreation Department.

# ENCOURAGEMENT

- Organize community participation in National Bike & Roll to School Day in May and National Walk & Roll to School Day in October. Partner with FC Moves events staff to grow these community celebrations.
- Partner with Bike Fort Collins to lead October Walk/Bike-to-School Challenge at 10-plus local schools.
- Organize and lead after-school biking/walking/scootering/unicycling clubs.
- Assist local schools with bike field trips focusing primarily on fourth-graders and fifth-graders.

# ENGAGEMENT

- Participate in major City events such as Transportation Projects Fair, Kids in the Park, and Open Streets.
- Participate in NoCo Bike-Ped Collaborative of the North Front Range Metropolitan Planning Organization and its new SRTS subcommittee.
- Offer technical assistance to cities and organizations in northern Colorado that are interested in starting SRTS programs (including Timnath, which plans to launch a program in 2025).

### **EVALUATION**

- Continue annual data collection on active modes among youth through mode-of-travel tallies at schools.
- Partner with Traffic Operations to conduct five School Transportation Safety Assessments annually. In 2025, assessments will be completed for Johnson and Kruse elementary schools, Blevins and Webber middle schools, and Rocky Mountain High School.

### ENGINEERING

- Partner with City departments such as Engineering, Traffic Operations, and Streets to ensure optimal design for youth in roadway projects.
- Ensure successful completion of construction project for two new bike-ped crossings benefiting Zach Elementary students (supported by \$745,587 grant from Colorado Department of Transportation).
- Partner with Park Planning and Development and Natural Areas departments on new trails benefiting youth.
- Apply for new grants for projects identified through the School Transportation Safety Assessment project.

### EQUITY

- Hire, train and support new Adaptive Program Specialist, who will assist with adaptive activities for students with disabilities during educational programming at schools.
- Partner with Safe Kids Larimer County, Poudre Fire Authority, CARE Housing, Neighbor to Neighbor, Housing Catalyst and other organizations to offer safety events in historically underserved neighborhoods.

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