

Media Contact:
Devin King
Multimodal Administrator
(970) 375-4955
Devin.King@DurangoGov.org

949 E. 2nd Avenue
Durango, CO 81301
GetAroundDurango.com

Follow us:
[Facebook.com/getarounddurango](https://www.facebook.com/getarounddurango)
[Twitter.com/durangotransit](https://twitter.com/durangotransit)
[Facebook.com/cityofdurango](https://www.facebook.com/cityofdurango)
[Twitter.com/cityofdurango](https://twitter.com/cityofdurango)
[Instagram.com/cityofdurango](https://www.instagram.com/cityofdurango)



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE, MAY 31, 2022

NEWS RELEASE

Clean Commute Week is here! Join the fun June 11-16

Durango, CO: The city of Durango is pleased to present Clean Commute Week, a celebration of walking, rolling, biking, riding the bus and carpooling around Durango. The events you all love are back this year with a couple of change ups. This year will feature one new event, Multimodal Trivia on June 13, and Bike to Work Day will feature multiple stations around Durango including Mercy and Main Ave on June 15.

“Clean Commute Week is on its 12th year, and we’re excited to change things up a little this year,” said Devin King, multimodal administrator. “With new people in town, new infrastructure going in, and new laws in place, we thought it would be a good idea to add a fun educational event to the week with Multimodal Trivia at the 11th Street Station.”

The following is the event schedule. It is also available at DurangoGov.org/CleanCommuteWeek.

Business Commuter Challenge - June 8-14, 2022

Local businesses compete to see who can bike, walk, bus, roll or carpool more than other organizations in town. Participants earn points for each sustainable trip taken from **Wednesday, June 8 through Tuesday, June 14**. Winners are announced at the Love Your Commute Celebration at Ska Brewing on Thursday, June 16 from 5-7 PM. To sign up, contact Tommy Crosby at tommy.crosby@durangogov.org no later than **Friday, June 3**.

Saturday, June 11 from 8 AM - noon

Farmers Market - TBK Parking Lot, 259 W 9th St

Visit the Clean Commute Week booth at the Durango Farmers Market. Bring your bicycle for a FREE safety check by [Durango Cyclery](http://DurangoCyclery), and pick up your Clean Commute Week passport for a chance to win prizes.

Monday, June 13 at 4:30 PM

Paul Wilbert Memorial Passeggiata - Buckley Park, 1200 Main Ave

We are honored to bring back the annual Paul Wilbert Memorial Passeggiata in loving memory of our dear friend and community visionary Paul Wilbert. The Passeggiata, a slow bike ride down Main Avenue, will depart Buckley Park at 4:30 and end at 11th Street Station for Multimodal Trivia.

Monday, June 13 from 5 - 7 PM

Multimodal Trivia - [11th Street Station](#), 1101 Main Ave

Multimodal Trivia will cover the topics of transportation safety, laws, current multimodal projects, and other transportation related categories. Appetizers are being sponsored by [Abadie | Schill](#) and drinks are sponsored the [Durango Running Club](#). Appetizers and drinks are limited, so arrive early to partake.

Tuesday, June 14 from Noon-1PM

Pedal vs. Metal Challenge - [Backcountry Experience](#), 1205 Camino del Rio

Back by popular demand, the Pedal vs. Metal Challenge is a race against time and a variety of competitors. Participants compete in a scavenger hunt around Durango by whatever legal transportation mode they desire. Competitors will be on bikes, on motorcycles, in cars, on transit, or on foot. Meet at Backcountry Experience at noon to receive your mission and claim your prize.

Wednesday, June 15 from 7-9AM

Bike to Work Day - Multiple locations

On Bike to Work Day, stop by the multiple stations (check [web page](#) for up-to-date list) around Durango to enjoy free breakfast treats and goodies. Be sure to stop by the Welcome Center station or Mercy Regional Medical Center to pick up your FREE t-shirt.

Thursday, June 16 at 4:30

Bike Parade to Ska - Powerhouse Science Center, 1295 Camino Del Rio

Meet at the Powerhouse Science Center to join the Bike Parade and arrive at the Love Your Commute Celebration at Ska in style! The theme this year is your favorite outdoor sports gear and costumes are encouraged!

Thursday, June 16 from 5-7PM

Love Your Commute Celebration - [Ska Brewing Co.](#), 225 Girard St

The Love Your Commute Celebration is the culmination of Clean Commute Week festivities. Come to the awards ceremony to find out the winners of the Business Commuter Challenge and the Commuter of the Year! Enjoy live music, food, drinks and fun prizes! Food is being generously sponsored by [SEH](#) and drinks are generously being sponsored by [Durango Trails](#).

For more information about Clean Commute Week, visit Durangogov.org/CleanCommuteWeek or call (970) 375-4955.

###