City of Alexandria, Virginia

MEMORANDUM

DATE: OCTOBER 5, 2011

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

FROM: BRUCE JOHNSON, ACTING CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF A PROPOSAL FOR ALEXANDRIA TO JOIN THE REGIONAL CAPITAL BIKESHARE NETWORK

ISSUE: Joining the regional bikeshare program.

RECOMMENDATION: That Council authorize the City to join the regional Capital Bikeshare network utilizing federal CMAQ/RSTP grant funds, beginning implementation with six bikeshare stations with 54 bikes as a pilot program, and expanding when additional grant funding becomes available as discussed in this memorandum.

BACKGROUND: It is proposed that the City join the regional Capital Bikeshare program with an initial pilot program of six bike share stations, with a total of 54 bicycles, with the addition of a minimum of six additional stations when funding becomes available. A detailed explanation of the Capital Bikeshare program is provided in Attachment 1. As part of the Bicycle and Pedestrian Mobility Plan, areas for potential bicycle activity have been identified and are mapped in Attachment 2, with streets shown in red as being those with the highest levels of potential bicycle activity. Old Town and Carlyle areas have high potential, and also have a street network that lends itself to safe bicycle travel. Consistent with the success of previous bicycle sharing programs that have been tightly clustered, staff is proposing initial pilot stations and expansion stations, shown in Attachment 2, to be located close to Metrorail and transit stations, commercial centers, tourist destinations, and residential areas.

T&ES staff has been coordinating with other City departments and key stakeholders in the development of the pilot program proposal, including the Old Town Civic Association and the Northeast Citizens Association. As a next step, there will be continued discussions with stakeholders in the identification of specific bike share station locations. It is staff’s goal that all pilot stations will be located on City or WMATA property. Technical considerations for siting include exposure to sunlight to power the station’s solar panels, pedestrian and bicycle access and clearance, truck access for loading and unloading bicycles, drainage, clearance from and access to utilities, and vehicular and pedestrian sight distance. Throughout the pilot program, staff will assess trip origins and destinations, usage by station, tourist usage, Alexandria membership rates, and whether revenue goals are met, among other trends. Next steps include consideration of expansion outside of Old Town, heading north to Del Ray, Arlandria and
Potomac Yard, connecting to the existing Arlington bike share network. Expansion to Alexandria’s West End will also be considered in the future in coordination with the eventual expansion of transit service to this area, and the implementation of enhanced transit services along the Van Dorn/Beauregard corridor.

Over 30 individuals or groups have contacted City Council or staff to request Capital Bikeshare expansion into Alexandria. The Capital Bikeshare proposal for Alexandria is also supported by the Alexandria Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee, and the Environmental Policy Commission (Attachment 3). The Transportation Commission supports bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria, and voted to approve a request for CMAQ grants to fund the program.

Once implemented, data from the City’s bikeshare program will be collected, analyzed and reported. As this is a new program for the City, adjustments to the program may be necessary based upon what the City learns from the collected data. An annual evaluation report to Council and the City’s Transportation Commission will also be prepared. At about the three year mark, the bikeshare program will have likely expanded sufficiently and provided enough information to conduct a comprehensive evaluation to determine its long-term future in the City.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The pilot program of six bike sharing stations in Alexandria would be implemented with $400,000 of existing prior year CMAQ/RSTP grant funds. On September 27, Council approved (contingent on approving joining the bikeshare network) $400,000 in federal CMAQ/RSTP grant funds for fiscal year 2013 for expansion of the program to add six more stations. With 12 stations, Alexandria would then have a more robust and networked bikeshare system. Staff is not recommending the use of City General Fund monies for this pilot program. While jurisdictional costs for Capital Bikeshare vary, the CMAQ/RSTP grant funding of $400,000 available now in FY 2012 would allow for six bike sharing stations with a total of 54 bicycles at a cost of approximately $264,000, with $108,000 in operating costs and $24,000 in installation costs for the first year (Attachment 4).

Annual operating costs for the pilot program are estimated at $108,000. Some of the cost will be covered by the revenues from the Bikeshare Program. For the first two years of operation, it is anticipated that revenues will cover approximately 30 percent of operating costs, or $32,000. The remaining annual operating cost, $76,000, will be funded through Transportation Management Plan (TMP) funds. Currently, there are over 56 active TMPs with annual planned and required private sector contributions of over $1.5 million and of that over $400,000 is unspent. The City’s TMP Ordinance allows the City to capture unspent funds for City TDM programs. Staff is working with TMPs to spend these funds in TDM programs. If Council approves the implementation of the bikeshare stations, staff will ask TMPs with unspent funds for funds to help cover the operating costs of the bike share program. Formal agreements will be needed to structure the transfer of funds, however, staff has contacted the representatives of 12 TMPs and they have indicated that they are interested in using unspent funds toward Capital Bikeshare operating costs.

With nearly all operating costs covered by revenues in D.C. and Arlington, staff anticipates that after the third year of operation, annual operating costs would likely be covered by revenues in Alexandria.
ATTACHMENTS:
Attachment 1: Capital Bikeshare Program Information
Attachment 2: Potential Bike Share Stations
Attachment 3: Environmental Policy Commission Letter of Support
Attachment 4: Cost Estimate for Alexandria Pilot Program
Attachment 5: Arlington Station Usage, Month of August 2011
Attachment 6: Letter from Alexandria Transportation Commission dated October 5, 2011

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CAPITAL BIKESHARE PROGRAM INFORMATION

In September 2010, Capital Bikeshare, the largest bicycle sharing system in the United States, was launched in Washington, D.C., and Arlington County with 1,100 bicycles located at 110 stations. Bicycle sharing is a service in which public bicycles are made available for shared use. About 200 cities worldwide have some sort of bikesharing program with the number of bikeshare bikes in these cities ranging from a few dozen to tens of thousands. Users can pick up and drop off bikes at designated stations by either registering online or at a station. Noted as a great success, Capital Bikeshare claims over 70,000 daily and weekly memberships and 15,000 annual memberships. As of September 2011, Capital Bikeshare generated 1 million rides, with the majority of trips occurring during the morning and evening commute. There are approximately 3,500 rides per weekday, with an average of 3.5 trips per bike per day.

Due to the success of the program, by the end of this year, D.C. will add 25 more bike stations and Arlington will add 12 more bike stations. When the first stations were put in place last year in Arlington County and D.C., officials predicted that 6,000 people would purchase the annual memberships in the first year. Instead, that target was reached in six months (and then doubled in 24 hours through a half-price promotion). As evidenced by the 70,000 weekly and daily memberships, over four times the number of annual memberships, Capital Bikeshare is well used by tourists. Given the success of bike share in Europe and on other continents, about 15 cities in the United States in recent years have already launched programs, including Boston, Miami, Chicago, Minneapolis, and Denver. New York City is launching a program with 10,000 bicycles in 2012.

Alexandria Suited for Expansion: According to the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) 2008 survey, bicycle commuting share in Alexandria is second in the region after D.C., and nearly twice the share of Arlington. Not only does Alexandria have the demand for bicycle travel, but tourists that visit the City would benefit from the program, as well as those looking to travel from the Metrorail stations to the Old Town, King Street, and Carlyle areas. With one million Capital Bikeshare trips in the first year of operation, Alexandria’s pilot will likely generate approximately 40,000 to 50,000 bike trips in the first year of operation, which translates into a reduction in single-occupancy vehicle trips.

How Capital Bikeshare Works: Capital Bikeshare can be accessed 24 hours per day and riders have a choice of one-day memberships at $5, five-day memberships at $15, 30-day memberships at $30, or an annual membership for $75. The first 30 minutes of every trip is free, with a fee charged for each half-hour thereafter. Daily memberships can be purchased at any station, and other memberships can be purchased online or by phone. Each jurisdiction participating in Capital Bikeshare owns the stations within their boundaries, but the Capital Bikeshare contractor, Alta Bike Share, operates the entire regional system. A bikeshare patron will be able to pick up a bike in D.C. or Arlington and drop it off in Alexandria (and vice-versa). When a member joins, 100 percent of the revenue from the membership fee goes to the jurisdiction where the member resides, if that jurisdiction is part of the Capital Bikeshare network. Membership fees generated from individuals who live outside of the membership jurisdictions are pro-rated among the jurisdictions. Usage fees are distributed to member jurisdictions based on the origin of each
revenue-generating trip. Usage fees to date have substantially offset the operating costs of the
system.

Capital Bikeshare stations have solar-powered docking stations for the bicycles, usually with a
minimum of 15 docks per station, and use smart card technology so that cyclists can pick up a
bike from any station in the system and return it to an empty dock at any other station, allowing
for one-way trips. Different configurations can be used in the bike station design to minimize
the amount of space needed for them. Losses due to theft and vandalism are minimized because
operators have the ability to track bicycles and hold users financially responsible for the bikes
until they are returned. All bikes in the system are red, both bringing awareness to the program
through uniformity and enhancing safety through using a bright color.

The average trip on Capital Bikeshare is 1.2 miles, and most trips are under 30 minutes.
Previous bike share programs have shown that dense systems work best, and therefore Capital
Bikeshare trips are intended to be short. To accommodate this, stations are placed approximately
one-quarter mile apart and located at major origins and destinations, such as residential areas,
commercial centers, and transit stations. Bike share helps solve the "last mile problem" of
commuters getting to their destination by co-locating bike share stations with transit. Because
Capital Bikeshare is priced to encourage short trips (i.e., to discourage long trips), riders that
need bicycles for an extended period of time generally use local bike rental shops. Contact
information for local bike rental shops in DC and Arlington is listed on the Capital Bikeshare
website. Some bicycle rental shops have helped coordinate and support Capital Bikeshare, as it
drives up demand for bicycle trips, both short and long trips, and therefore has brought more
rentals to their businesses.

Program Costs: While jurisdictional costs for Capital Bikeshare vary, the smallest station has an
approximate capital cost of $34,000, and the largest station has an approximate capital cost of
$65,000, with an additional installation cost of $4,000 per station. These costs include an
engineered structure, electrical and communication infrastructure as well as the bicycles and
storage apparatus.

Operating expenses are estimated at $155 per bicycle per month for both D.C. and Arlington.
Bikes need to be replaced approximately every six years at an average of $1,000 per bike, and
stations need replacement every ten years at an average of $10,000 per station. For the month of
May, Capital Bikeshare calculated the cost per ride in D.C. as $1.06 per ride and in Arlington as
$2.11 per ride. DASH, as a comparison, averages $3.03 per ride according to the National
Transit Database. It is projected that Alexandria’s per ride costs will be less than the DASH per
ride costs, but equivalent to or more than the Arlington per ride costs. Cost per ride is calculated
as the operating and maintenance costs divided by the number of rides, and capital costs are not
included in any of these calculations. Capital Bikeshare provided specific usage data by station
in Arlington for the month of August is shown in Attachment 5.

Generating more revenue than expected, since the program was launched in September 2010,
revenue has fully covered operating expenses in D.C., and in Arlington, revenue has covered 65
percent of operating costs. In addition, Arlington has worked with developers that wish to
sponsor a Capital Bikeshare station, thereby covering the capital and operating costs of the
station in exchange for promotion through the bike share system. Some employers in Alexandria have already approached staff to inquire about this possibility if Alexandria joins the Capital Bikeshare network. For the Harris Teeter development, the implementation of a bike share station was incorporated into conditions of development approval, provided that Capital Bikeshare expands to Alexandria.
*Further engineering and site analysis will be conducted to determine specific station location.*
The Honorable William D. Euille  
Mayor of Alexandria  
City Hall  
301 King Street, Room 2300  
Alexandria, VA 22314  

Dear Mayor Euille,  

Proposed Bikeshare Program  

At its meeting on the 19th September the EPC examined the proposed Bikeshare program and gave it its unanimous support.

The concept clearly meets one or more objectives of the Environmental Action Plan: it was explained that the program best suits commuters to help them move to a public transport hub. As such it is a very inexpensive way for the City to encourage the use of public transport.

Having a Bikeshare program, linked to similar programs in Arlington and the District should enhance Alexandria as a tourist destination and yet the use of Bikeshare bicycles, due the financial structure of hiring such a bike would not put the scheme in direct competition with the established bicycle hirers in the city who cater more for the longer hire periods.

Yours faithfully

Peter Pennington  
Chair, EPC
# Cost Estimate for Launching Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria

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*Yearly operating cost for 54 bikes, not including revenue. This does not include bikes that need to be replaced approximately every six years at an estimated cost of $1,000 per bike and stations that need replacement every ten years at approximately $10,000 per station.*
## Arlington Station Usage, Month of August 2011

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### TOTAL

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Alexandria Transportation Commission  
301 King Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Mayor William D. Euille and Members of City Council  
City Hall  
301 King Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

October 5, 2011

Re: Capitol Bike Share Program

Dear Mayor Euille and Members of City Council:

At its meeting on October 5th, the Alexandria Transportation Commission voted unanimously to endorse the City’s proposed participation in the Capitol Bikeshare program. The success of the program in the District and the high numbers of these shared bikes already seen in Old Town are a compelling argument for our participation. Tourists will expect the City to provide a place to return and rent bikes, as we market ourselves as being an integral part of the DC tourism experience. This tourism is critical to the health of our local economy.

Please be assured that the Transportation Commission is working with staff on inexpensive ways to accommodate heavier bike traffic. This will be in accordance with the Complete Streets Resolution passed by Council and can be guided by the proposed Complete Streets Design Manual.

The addition of these shared bikes to our streets will encourage a culture of bike usage which is in compliance with the City’s stated goals of encouraging environmentally-friendly transportation modes. Other jurisdictions have found that where bikes are seen, more bikes appear. In essence, if you see someone riding a bike on a street, you are more likely to try it yourself.

With respect,

Kevin Posey  
Chair, Alexandria Transportation Commission  

cc: Alexandria City Council  
Alexandria Transportation Commission
Capital Bikeshare
Pilot Program Proposal for Alexandria

October 11, 2011
What is Capital Bikeshare?

- D.C. and Arlington County government program
- Launched September 20, 2010
- Bike transit
- Over 1110 bikes and over 110 stations
- Average trip 24 minutes
- Complements other transport modes and works best in dense urban areas
Capital Bikeshare Success

- Annual membership goal reached in 6 months
- Revenue covers operating costs in D.C. in the first year, was not anticipated until 4th year of operation
- Tourist usage high: 70,000 daily and weekly members
- 1 million rides
- Largest program in the U.S.
- Pilot Program in Old Town/Carlyle
- Fund capital costs through grants and developer contributions
- Fund operating costs through TMPs and program revenue

*Further engineering and site analysis will be conducted to determine specific station location.

City of Alexandria
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Capital Bikeshare Station Locations
Public Outreach

- Old Town Civic Association
- Northeast Citizens Association
- Transportation Commission
- Environmental Policy Commission
- Board of Architectural Review
- Alexandria Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee
- Interactive website for station recommendations planned
Evaluation

- Extensive data available
- Regular updates
- Annual evaluation report
Fiscal Impact

- $400,000 prior year CMAQ for capital and first year operations = 6 pilot stations
- $400,000 FY 2013 CMAQ for capital and first year operations = 6 additional stations
- Operating costs to be covered through TMP funds and program revenue
- Grant and developer funding for expansion stations
- No City general fund monies for the program
Recommendation and Next Steps

- Council authorize the City to join the regional Capital Bikeshare network utilizing federal CMAQ/RSTP grant funds
- Begin with six bike share stations and expand when additional grant funding becomes available
Dear Councilmembers:

Attached is a letter from the Transportation Commission, endorsing the City’s participation in the Capital Bikeshare program. This letter is in response to a motion that was passed at the October 5 Transportation Commission meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

Steve Sindiong, AICP
Principal Transportation Planner
City of Alexandria Transportation and Environmental Services
301 King Street, Room 3900
Alexandria, VA 22314
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Mayor William D. Euille and Members of City Council
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301 King Street
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October 5, 2011

Re: Capitol Bike Share Program

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With respect,

Kevin Posey
Chair, Alexandria Transportation Commission

cc: Alexandria City Council
Alexandria Transportation Commission
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Subject: Capitol Bikeshare

Alexandria Mayor and City Council,
As representatives of the city's
cyclists and pedestrians the Alexandria Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory
Committee strongly endorses the introduction of Capital Bikeshare in
Alexandria.
Capital Bikeshare in the District and Arlington is the most
successful bike sharing system in the United
States. It is rapidly
expanding in the region and Alexandria should not be left out. Our

Comments:
proximity to the District
will only bring more visitors on bikes rather
than cars, and with them they bring money. We also know most of
the
users will be our residents which mean they will be using bikes rather than
cars. This results in less
traffic, less pollution, and healthier
residents.
Recent success has shown that Capital Bikeshare in the
District is paying for itself, something none of
the other transit
systems come even close to doing. And as you know current funding for the

Alexandria
system is from grants which do not come out of the budget. We

appreciate your support for this effort.

Jerry King, Chair
Alexandria

Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee
From: Blanche Horst <blanchehorst1@verizon.net>
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To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
Subject: COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare
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COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Subject: Capital Bikeshare
Totally support Capital Bikeshare coming to Old Town and Alexandria in general. Trails along the river are made for walking and cycling. The bicycles are sturdy and concept is ingenious. Please add your support and ensure Bikeshare comes to our community.
Dear Mayor Euille and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

My husband and I both use bikeshare as an option for our commutes, although currently we must transfer to Metro for a portion of our trip. We would love to be able to continue our ride all the way to Alexandria, and we would enjoy having bikeshare as an option to travel into Del Ray or Old Town.

Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Felice Brychta
Dear Alexandria City Council,

As an Alexandria resident and bike commuter, I urge you to support the expansion of Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria. This is a great program that greatly facilitates the use of bikes in and around the city. More people on bikes means a healthier population, less car congestion, and yet more bike friendly streets and paths! Overall, that’s a great result for a green, ecofriendly, and livable city.

Please vote to support Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria.

Sincerely,

Britta Bierwagen
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Eugenie Ballering
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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I know this program will be great for the City of Alexandria.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Michael and Anne Griffith
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Casey Kane
Dear Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist (daily cycling commuter) and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be successful and popular and we should share in this success.

My family and our occaisional visitors would use this service, and I think Alexandria has some ideal locations to place the terminals for all to enjoy.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Jim Clausen
Dear Members of the Alexandria City Council,

I am writing a brief note in support of Capital Bikeshare's proposed expansion to Alexandria. Cycling is my preferred mode of transportation around our city, and often I ride the Mount Vernon Trail to DC or Four Mile Run Trail to Arlington. With Capital Bikeshare, I see that cycling mobility opening up to many more people, both citizens of our community and visitors. And more bikes on the road means people are out of their cars, benefiting individual health and the quality of life offered by the city. This is a winning proposal!

Thank you for your attention and service to Alexandria.

Best,
Caroline Ridley
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. Capital Bikeshare is an outstanding option for those who want to leave a smaller emission impression on our environment in Northern Virginia. My sons have used Capital Bikeshare in DC and I would love to have that as an alternative in Alexandria. I would be very grateful if you would provide the leadership to bring this popular and successful program to Alexandria.

Thank you in advance for your support of this vote!

Janet Zimmerman
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Julie Anne Watko
My husband and I support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria. Thank you, Carolyn Greene McKee
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Subject: I SUPPORT CAPITAL BIKESHARE
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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AND- IT CAN HELP EASE THE PARKING PROBLEM IN OLD TOWN

Thank you for your support!
Sincerely,
Rich Moran
111 Quay St.
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,
Allen
Irwin
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Sincerely,
Adam Bibler
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Moulton
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  3201 Gunston RD
  
  City: Alexandria
  State: Virginia
  Zip: 22302
  Phone: 571-312-8268
Email Address: clay.moulton@irs.gov
Subject: Please Support Capital Bikeshare
  
  Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

  Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist, daily bike commuter, and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

  Comments: Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular

  and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

  Sincerely,

  Clay Moulton
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Keith
Last Name: Weiss
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City: Alexandria
State: VA
Zip: 22314
Phone: 2025560323
Email Address: keith.weiss@gmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

I read that the bikeshare plan passed and am very happy about this. Alexandria is just a little bit too big to walk everywhere so I look forward to being able to patronize a much greater part of the city. I also really look forward to being able to bike into DC. I see people biking with capital share bikes on the path all the time and they are always forced to go to Crystal City. It will be nice to have more people coming to Alexandria.

Sincerely,

Keith Weiss
STewart Pressnall <stwp@cquest.com>

Wednesday, October 12, 2011 10:03 AM

William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones

COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare

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COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Stewart
Last Name: Pressnall
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City: Alexandria
State: VA
Zip: 22314
Phone: 703-864-4981
Email Address: stwp@cquest.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare
Comments: Thank you!
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Julie Anne Watko
From: Carolyn McKee <cammacronaut@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 5:18 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
Subject: COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare
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COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: McKee
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City: Alexandria
State: VA
Zip: 22305
Phone: (703) 549-4319
Email Address: cammacronaut@gmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare
Comments: My husband and I support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria. Thank you, Carolyn Greene McKee
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success!

AND- IT CAN HELP EASE THE PARKING PROBLEM IN OLD TOWN

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Rich Moran
111 Quay St.
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Allen

Irwin
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Clay Moulton
Dear Mayor and City Council,

I am writing in support of the City's funding of the Capitol BikeShare project. I have been working with the city for over 20 years now to create a pedestrian and bike friendly community for visitors as well as citizens. Of the various benefits of Capitol BikeShare, one that is not usually mentioned is the use of the bikes as a convenient transit option for people who are staying at Alexandria's executive suites for a few weeks or sometimes a month or more. This program will allow these visitors an inexpensive way to make shorter trips without renting a car.

Please vote to fund the program. Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

Dave Levy
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Jeff Monroe
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Phone:
Email Address: caro.murray@gmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria!

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Caroline Murray
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote.

As a

Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success.

Sincerely,

Phil Raino
216 Wesmond Dr
Alexandria, VA 22305
703-869-7347
phil.raino@gmail.com
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Holly Jamesen Carr
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support the efforts to bring Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria in tonight's City Council vote with a "yes."

As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. I have witnessed bikesharing in DC and it has been incredibly successful and popular.

We should spread the benefits of this service into the Northern Virginia area.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Dorothy Hae Eun Min, Esq.
I hope Alexandria will see fit to consider joining Capital Bikeshare. I live in Del Ray, and am convinced that bikeshare would bring more people to our neighborhood businesses, tourists, and other visitors, as well as make metro more accessible to those of us who live here and commute.

Thanks.
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely, Kirk E Saunders

Ps. This transportation solution will also help show motorists that bicycles of all kinds belong in our city & should be treated with respect in our bicycle friendly city.
Subject: As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success!

Thank you for your support!
Sincerely,

Rudolf M. Rojas
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely, Joseph

and Elizabeth Schilling
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

David Newman
COA Contact Us: Please vote for Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria

Dear Mayor Euille and City Council:

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria with a "yes" vote at this evening's City Council meeting.

As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Participating in this regional operation is clearing in keeping with EcoCity-Alexandria's values and our City's commitment to smart, sustainable and environmentally-friendly growth and a healthy quality of life for its residents.

Please support this pilot and ensure its success by planning a thoughtful distribution of initial CB stations that includes locations in the Del Ray neighborhood. In so doing, you would

1) tap into the large bicycling population in Del Ray likely to take advantage of this resource
2) serve the vibrant Del Ray commercial district with its
multiple short-trip destinations and
3) create a corridor of
sustainability connecting stations in Old Town with the established
bike-share network in Arlington.

Thank you for your
support!

Sincerely,
Sean Crumley
Commuter Cyclist and Del Ray Booster
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Christine Brudevold
Dear Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

PLEASE VOTE YES!

thank

you,

Dana Howe
Dear Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success.

I'm already a member of Capital Bikeshare and would love to use the bikes in Alexandria, as well.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Lindsey Bachman
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bike sharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Sean E Vincent
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Kendra

Decker
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Phone: 7036798739
Email Address: positron@gmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

I am unable to attend this meeting tonight, but I strongly support the notion of bringing a bike sharing service to Alexandria!

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Tamara Nicholson
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Eric Governo
**COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members**

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Dear Mayor Euille and City Council Members,

Please support Capital Bikeshare for Alexandria tonight. We need this, particularly around Old Town and near the two Metro stations. Thanks.

Seth Heald
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Mary

Hoehn
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. I had hoped to attend tonight's vote, but it is Tuesday, which is my bike to work day of the week (as is Thursday when possible). Since I work in Springfield, I might not be able to be back in Old Town in time for the meeting, so I want to send my support of Capital Bikeshare via email.

Thank you for listening, and for taking tonight's vote. I hope now for your "yes" vote.

Sincerely,
stew
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has proven to be incredibly successful. Our city stands to benefit in increased economic activity in our shopping districts, better connectivity between neighborhoods, and safer streets. More people taking short trips by bike rather than car (or not at all) reduces traffic and provides a more livable streetscape. Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Erik Dahlberg
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Dalton
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City: Alexandria
State: Virginia
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Phone: 5714497531
Email Address: seanldalton@gmail.com
Subject: Please support Alexandria Bikeshare

Mayor Euille and Members of the Council:

I am a long-time Alexandria resident, though a much more recent user of the Capital Bikeshare program in DC. I strongly support the item on tonight’s City Council agenda that would authorize Alexandria to join the Capital Bikeshare network.

This proposal would present a win for both residents of the City as well as our many tourists, and would create one more option for multimodal public transportation around the City. The costs of joining this program, while significant, should be viewed as a wise investment in expanding public transportation options -- an option, in this case, that is even "greener" than Metro or DASH.

I further welcome the proposal for one of the initial Bikeshare sites to be located at the Braddock Road.
Metro (Site #6 in the agenda item's Attachment #1). Co-location of Bikeshare stations with Metro is a smart move for encouraging multimodal use, and the chosen location of the Braddock Road Metro will hopefully spur the bikes' use in the Rosemont and Del Ray neighborhoods. I would encourage the City Council to consider these neighborhoods for possible inclusion in future Bikeshare expansion plans.

I thank those Members of the Council who responded to my email of support for Alexandria's participation in the Bikeshare program earlier this year, and urge each of you to vote in favor of this item on the Council's agenda tonight.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

-Sean
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Phone: 703-304-9843
Email Address: sfici69@hotmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Shaw

T. Fici
Dear Mayor Euille and Members of the City Council,

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Sincerely,

Geoff Goode
From: Laurie Wax <Lauriewax@hotmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:29 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
Subject: COA Contact Us: capital bike share
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COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Laurie
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    State: VA
    Zip: 22314
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Comments: Please support capital bike share in alexandria!
    laurie
From: Christine Laba <chrisinark@hotmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:28 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
Subject: COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare
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COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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  State: VA
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Phone:
Email Address: chrisinark@hotmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare
  Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Often I bike to work in Rosslyn; however, some days it is not possible for me to bike home. It would be nice to have to option of biking one way using a Capital Bikeshare bike and taking the metro back tome or vice-versa. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!
Jackie Henderson

From: david cordell <dcordell11@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:29 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
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Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria voter, who has been a member of Capital Bikeshare since its inception, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success!

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

David Cordell
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,
John
Harris
I'm writing in support of Alexandria joining the Capital Bikeshare program. It has been a huge success in DC and Arlington and would enhance car-free travel to Alexandria. I live in the north end of Old Town and would use it very often for shopping and eating on and around King Street. Thank you. Linda Wernery
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

I am very excited to see the city considering joining Capital Bikeshare. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare and would be very excited to have it in our community. Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote.

Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Carolyn Hanson
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Steponkus
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City: Alexandria
State: VA
Zip: 22314
Phone:
Email Address: marstepo@yahoo.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Mary Steponkus
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist (I commute from Fairfax county to my job in Alexandria), I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success!

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Keith Kerr
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

**From:** Paul Will <paul.will@us.army.mil>

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:31 PM

**To:** William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones

**Subject:** COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare

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**Issue Type:** Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

**First Name:** Paul

**Last Name:** Will

**Street Address:**

- City:
- State:
- Zip:
- Phone:

**Email Address:** paul.will@us.army.mil

**Subject:** Capital Bikeshare

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success!

Also, please get with a regional approach and don't do your own program that does not consider the systems in DC and Arlington - it would be nice to bike accross the region and have the same vendor and be able to leave a bike picked up in the District in Alexandria.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Paul
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

**Issue Type:** Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

**First Name:** Purvi

**Last Name:** Irwin

**Street Address:** 1023 Vernon Street

**City:** Alexandria

**State:** VA

**Zip:** 22314

**Phone:** 202-374-9953

**Email Address:** purvigandhiirwin@gmail.com

**Subject:** Capital Bikeshare Vote Today.

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Purvi Gandhi Irwin
Jackie Henderson

From: Sam Gaugush <sam.gaugush@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:34 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
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Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Gaugush
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   State: VA
   Zip: 22305
Phone: 6083450920
Email Address: sam.gaugush@gmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare
Please support Capital Bikeshare coming to Alexandria. It is a great
cost-effective way to provide alternative transportation. I have used it
Comments: in other parts of the DC Metro area, and it would be a welcome addition to
our fine city.
Thank you.
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Virginia Grevett
From: Veronica DeVore <veronica.devore@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:33 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
Subject: COA Contact Us: Vote Yes on Capital Bikeshare!
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COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Email Address: veronica.devore@gmail.com
Subject: Vote Yes on Capital Bikeshare!
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,
Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Biking in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!
Sincerely,
Veronica DeVore
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "Yes" vote. As a Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we are able to and should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Tim Bawcombe
Steve Roncone

From: Steve Roncone <saroncone@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:32 PM
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones
Subject: COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria support
Attachments: ATT00001.txt

COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Roncone
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  City: Alexandria
  State: VA
  Zip: 22301
Phone:
Email Address: saroncone@yahoo.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria support
Comments: I support capital bikeshare in Alexandria. Please vote yes.
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Joy Douglas
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Robin
Last Name: Hughes
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City: Washington
State: DC
Zip: 20002
Phone: 812-320-9360
Email Address: hugrobin@gmail.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare

I live in DC, and bike to Virginia daily for work. As a bike commuter, I fully support capital bikeshare, and hope that Alexandria will decide to become a part of the program. Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. It is an affordable and very flexible way for people to get around, and is especially helpful to people who may not be able to have drivers' licenses, like the elderly, or people who have had DUI's. This population is often ignored when considering transportation development options. Bikesharing is also a great fit, since Metro trains do not serve Alexandria as fully as they serve the city of DC.

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Thank you for your support!
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Comments: Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,
Terese Winslow
Dear Mayor Euille and City Council,

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Sincerely,
Sarah Ridgely Moulton
Subject: Support BikeShare program

I have heard a proposal is on the docket tonight regarding the Capital Bikeshare program. As an Alexandria resident who commutes to work via bicycle and who rides thousands of miles a year, I heartily support this initiative. In addition, I support all ongoing and future efforts to promote biking as a way of life in our city.

Regards,

Carlos E.

Hazera /signed/

114 Harvard Street, 22314
571-332-2571
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Stan Stemp
Bill Winslow <wwinslow@bcg-usa.com>  

Tuesday, October 11, 2011 12:40 PM

William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones

COA Contact Us: bikeshare

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Winslow
Street Address: 714 South Fairfax Street
City: Alexandria
State: VA
Zip: 22314
Phone: 703-739-5695
Email Address: wwinslow@bcg-usa.com

Subject: bikeshare
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Edward Murray
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Miriam Carroll Fenton
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Sincerely,

Lawrence Ruggiero
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members

Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Ray
Last Name: Maker
Street Address: 3817 Eisenhower Ave
City: Alexandria
State: VA
Zip: 22304
Phone: 206-391-2326
Email Address: ray@dcrainmaker.com
Subject: Support of Bike Share in Alexandria

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

As one who lives in Alexandria,

I've been waiting a long time for Capital Bikeshare to make it to our little slice of the greater DC area. To me, this would greatly benefit businesses as I'm more likely to hop on an available bike to a nearby place to grab something quick, than I am to hop on a bus or fill a parking spot with a car.

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote.

I look forward to seeing the red bikes soon!

Thanks,
Ray
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Franklin Holley
(cyclist and Alexandria community member)
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Sincerely,

Steven Gordon
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Shea
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    City: Alexandria
    State: VA
    Zip: 22302
Phone: 571-272-5453
Email Address: ursusdc@netscape.net
Subject: Capital Bikeshare

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Patrick Shea
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Jeremy Kent
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Sincerely,

Liz and Paul Frommer
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. I am a year 'round bike commuter (Alexandria to Georgetown) and I am aware of the many advantages to promoting biking in our community. We need to encourage biking as an alternative to motorized vehicle transport; this will promote a healthier community by promoting exercise and cleaner air as well as lessen the wear and tear on our expensive road infrastructure. Since DC has had the bike share program, I encourage out of town guests to make use of it as a means of sightseeing our beautiful Nations Capital and I have had very positive feedback. I'm sure that Alexandria's tourism trade could benefit from a well located bikeshare program too.

Sincerely,
Pamela Sams
From: Shelly Kaufman <bobkaufman.kaufman@gmail.com>  
Sent: Tuesday, October 11, 2011 1:11 PM  
To: William Euille; Frank Fannon; Kerry Donley; Alicia Hughes; Del Pepper; Paul Smedberg; Rose Boyd; Jackie Henderson; Rob Krupicka; Linda Owens; Elizabeth Jones  
Subject: COA Contact Us: Capitol Bike Share  
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Carolyn Schroeder
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Edward King
Alexandria Resident
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Rob
Last Name: Maccubbin
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    City: Alexandria
    State: Virginia
    Zip: 22305
Phone: 703-684-2026
Email Address: rmpaccubbin@yahoo.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare

Mayor Euille and City Council,

I am writing to ask you to please bring Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria with a “yes” vote tonight. Our compact city is a perfect place for making bicycling a viable way to get around town. I’ve heard of the success of the program elsewhere in the region and am sure it would be well used by residents and tourists alike.

Best Regards,
Rob Maccubbin
Dear Mayor Euille and City Council Members,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! I currently use the BikeShare in DC where I work and would use it around Alexandria if given the chance.

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Erik Peterson
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Ryan
Last Name: Newill
Street Address: 315a E. Monroe Avenue
   City: Alexandria
   State: VA
   Zip: 22301
Phone:
Email Address: ryan_newill@yahoo.com
Subject: Capital Bikeshare in Alexandria
          I wish to express my wholehearted support of the Capital Bikeshare program
          and its proposed expansion into Alexandria, which I understand the council
          will be voting on this evening. Further, I encourage council members to
          consider bikeshare not as a bike rental or recreational program, but as a
          valuable addition to the city's transit portfolio.

Comments:
Best regards,
Ryan
Newill
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Gretchen Tanner Goldman, PhD
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As an avid Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. Bikesharing in our region has shown to be incredibly successful and popular and we should share in this success! Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Anne Gray Haynes
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,
Kassahun

Ali
Please vote "yes" tonight to bring Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria. As a bicyclist and voter in Alexandria, I support Capital Bikeshare as a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community.

Bikesharing in DC and Arlington has been very successful and it would benefit Alexandria to participate. I often see people on the CP bikes on the Mount Vernon Trail, but with no docking stations in Alexandria, they're going to turn around and go to Arlington to shop or eat, instead of visiting Alexandria. More visitors and fewer cars? It's a win-win for the City.

Thank you for your consideration,

Betsy Biffl
Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

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Sincerely,

Tracy Krulik
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Will Stowe
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Sincerely,

Robert J. Brychta
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
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Last Name: Alford
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   State: VA
   Zip: 22302
Phone: 7037989217
Email Address: alford.alison@gmail.com

Subject: Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote

Dear Alexandria Mayor and City Council,

Please support bringing Capital Bikeshare to Alexandria tonight with a "yes" vote. As a
Alexandria bicyclist and voter, I support Capital Bikeshare as
a cost-effective transportation alternative for our community. I regularly
bike to my work in Washington DC, and my 6 mile commute is indeed faster by
bike than by driving or taking public transportation! The DC area has one
of the worst commute in the United States, and by supporting bikesharing
and bicyclists, you will help cut down on traffic congestion, pollution
from cars and buses, help the Alexandria residents save money on commuting
costs, and help endorse a positive, active and healthy lifestyle.

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Sincerely,
Alison Alford
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Sincerely,

Kyle Phillips
COA Contact Us: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


Issue Type: Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members
First Name: Bruce
Last Name: Dwyer
Street Address: 915 Bernard St.
    City: Alexandria
    State: VA
    Zip: 22314
Phone: 703-549-3263
Email Address: ouibike@gmail.com
Subject: Captial Bikeshare
Comments: Please vote tonight in favor of Alexandria joining the Regional Capital Bikeshare program. I have been working for 20 years to improve bicycling conditions in Alexandria for both transportation and recreation. I am proud of the great progress the city has made as I am sure are also. We need to continue supporting bicycling to improve our health, reduce air pollution, and mitigate congestion. After walking, bicycling is the most cost effective way to get around, as demonstrated by the popularity of bikeshare in Washington and Arlington. I look forward to soon seeing the red bikes on the streets of Alexandria.

Thank you for your support of a livable Alexandria.
Bruce Dwyer
Mayor Euille and Members of City Council,

The attached letter contains results from a survey conducted by the Bel Ray Citizens Association. Of particular note is the strong interest of the Del Ray neighborhood for a bike share station. It actually rated higher than the metro stop at Potomac Yard and a trolley connection to Old Town.

We realize that the pilot program is focused on Old Town, but ask that the strong interest in Del Ray be taken into consideration when the bike share program is evaluated for expansion.

Sincerely,
David Fromm, Treasurer
On Behalf of the DRCA Executive Board

David Fromm, Treasurer
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202.404.4670 (W)
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October 10, 2011

Subject: Del Ray Citizens Association Survey Results concerning Bikeshare Program
(Docket item #13)

To Mayor Euille and Members of City Council,

In the late spring through early summer of 2011, the Del Ray Citizens Association conducted an extensive survey of its membership. The survey was also opened to the general Del Ray neighborhood. The survey was conducted using Survey Monkey, and was completed by 244 individuals of which one-third were non-members.

The survey question that is pertinent to the docket item asked, “How important are each of the potential transportation projects in the neighborhood?” The results are summarized in the following table.

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The strongest “Good for the neighborhood” response (82%) was for a bicycle sharing station in Del Ray. We realize that the current proposal is focused on Old Town. We would ask that when it comes time to consider expanding the system that the strong interest in Del Ray is taken into consideration.

Sincerely,
David Fromm, Treasurer
On behalf of the DRCA Executive Board

cc: Bruce Johnson, Acting City Manager
Rich Baier, Director T&ES

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Dear Mayor, Vice Mayor and Council Members,

I have contacted the City in the past to encourage Capital Bikeshare (CaBi) stations in the City. I am aware that there are plans right now to start deployment of a few stations. As you can see from the remarkable success of CaBi in the District and Arlington, this would be a terrific addition to the transportation mix. Even the National Park Service will allow CaBi stations on its land now! I work in the District and can attest to the convenience, safety and ease of use of CaBi bikes which I use regularly for trips to meetings.

As we know from the failed SmartBike project, scale is a key factor in the success of CaBi deployment. For Alexandria, this means that Old Town, Del Ray, Potomac Yards as well as King Street and Braddock Road metro stations need to be included in the initial roll-out with a sufficient amount of stations and bikes. That will make it easy from the beginning to explore the city. Even today, I see occasional Cabi riders in Old Town and Del
Ray,

despite the lack of docking stations.

There is good reason to be

aggressive with the roll-out of the CaBi system in Alexandria. It's a

quality-of-life issue as well as an environmental issue and is another

piece of the puzzle to solving our transportation issues.

Thank you for

your attention in this matter.

Eric Wagner
Laura White <lwhite1@bna.com>  
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Bikeshare Program  
Hello! I understand that a Bikesharing program might be coming to Alexandria. It would save me a lot of time and money! Plus, easy bike rentals at the King Street metro would provide easy access to the Mount Vernon Trail and be a lovely tourist attraction!  
Thanks,  
Laura White  
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Dear Mayor Euille, Vice Mayor Donley, and Members of the City Council:

I am writing to ask that you vote to bring the very successful Capital Bikeshare bicycle rental program to Alexandria. I understand that the plan would begin with just a few stations, but I look forward to when the Bikeshare system has a station near my house, so I can easily ride to Metro or to other parts of Old Town to shop. With Capital Bikeshare, I know that I wouldn’t have to worry that my bicycle might be stolen, get a flat tire, or that I might get caught in the rain. Capital Bikeshare is, by all accounts, a very successful program; a couple of my DC friends use it and love it. It moves 4-5000 people per day at very low cost. It is also popular with tourists. Please vote for Capital Bikeshare.

Sincerely,
Jackie Henderson

From: John Flack <JCFlack@comcast.net>
Sent: Thursday, July 28, 2011 2:36 PM
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Subject: COA Contact Us: Capital Bikeshare
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I just wanted to voice my support for joining DC and Arlington in Capital Bikeshare. Alexandria is a very bike friendly city and draws lots of tourists who arrive without their bikes. Traffic on King Street is pretty bad so that the DASH or King Street trolley buses take a long time to get from upper King to lower King, especially on weekends. If we could put a few Bikeshare stations at King Street Metro and at the water front, we could put some of these people on two wheels instead of four with little noise and no pollution. Better yet, post directions at these stations for using side streets like Cameron or Prince to avoid King. Additional stations in Del Ray and at Braddock Road Metro would be great. Great for local businesses, great for tourists, great for the rest of us.
Mayor, Vice Mayor, and Council Members


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I strongly support bikeshare in Alexandria, specially in Old Town. In fact, old town would be much more enjoyabble with a dedicated bike lane on king st.

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with tourists. Please vote for Capital Bikeshare.

Sincerely,
Jeanne McCann
To Whom it May Concern -

I just wanted to write a quick note to ask you, as neighbors, to support bikeshare expansion in Alexandria. I regularly commute by bicycle to Alexandria and your community is one of the best in the region for cyclists. Adding stations to the larger bikeshare network will only be a boon for you. Bikes reduce congestion, pollution, and improve public health. There is also evidence to suggest that bicyclists are better consumers. The money you save on automobile costs free up cash for other purchases. Bikesharing has been an incredible success in DC and Arlington; Alexandria would do well to join the movement!

Thanks for your time!

John Stinson
To the Alexandria Mayor, Vice Mayor, and City Council Members:

I am writing today to express my unequivocal support for CaBi (Capital Bike Share) stations here in Alexandria. The bike share program is excellent to get people not only biking, but to our City where they can then walk around. I already see many Capital Bike Share bikes in Alexandria (despite having no station here), a strong market signal that people not only want to visit Alexandria, but want to visit Alexandria by bicycle.

These days, even walking is considered alternate transportation. Having strategically places bike stations is key to the success of Capital Bike Share in Alexandria. Placing them near transit hubs (e.g. King St) would allow people to bike in (or bike out) from surrounding areas, and take the metro home. It would allow people to have fun, while also ensuring a "plan B" to get home is available.

As a working economist, I
also believe the program would facilitate increased economic activity even if it doesn't bring any additional citizens into town (although it certainly will). Why? Because people who bike do it for fun. Even if they bike in to Alexandria, then walk around, they are doing it for fun. Plain and simple. Compare the amount of happiness or even stress you having heading south on King or Duke St at 5pm in a motor-vehicle vs. a bike or by foot. An elated feeling of happiness translates to more dollars being spent here.

If you take one thing from my message take this: a healthy city is a diverse city, and a diverse city is one that offers multiple safe transit options for its citizens.

Please join me in my support for Capital Bike Share. This program makes economic sense, ethical sense, and community sense.

Sincerely,
Michael Gilbert
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