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This survey, which has been distributed to all Congressional candidates in your district, is meant to help educate our members and the general public impartially and on a nonpartisan basis about the policy positions of candidates for Congress. All views are welcome. Please fill out this form and return it to caron@bikeleague.org.

Please note: Each answer field has a limit of 350 characters (approximately 70 words).

Name of Candidate:

State and District:

1. The 116th Congress will start work on the next surface transportation reauthorization. What are your transportation priorities?

2. The Highway Trust Fund (HTF), which funds highway and transit projects, is funded through excise taxes on transportation related goods, the largest being taxes on gas and diesel. These fuel taxes were last increased in 1993, and have not kept pace with inflation and transportation costs. Under the current FAST Act, Congress moved \$72 billion from the general fund to the HTF for five years. What are your views on the HTF and federal funding of transportation?

3. Right now, 20 percent of Highway Trust Fund (HTF) dollars go to the transit fund, and 80 percent go to Highways fund. One to two percent of funding is devoted to bicycling and walking, which comes out of the Highway fund. What is your position on these funding allocations?

