

HENDERSON, NV

TOTAL POPULATION

POPULATION DENSITY

2392

Henderson

270,811 TOTAL AREA (sq. miles) 105.5

Average Gold

10 BUILDING BLOCKS OF A BICYCLE FRIENDLY COMMUNITY

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Arterial and Major Collector Streets with Bike Lanes	65%	59%
Total Bicycle Network Mileage to Total Road Network Mileage	43%	110%
Public Education Outreach	VERY GOOD	VERY GOOD
Share of Transportation Budget Spent on Bicycling	14%	10%
Bike Month and Bike to Work Events	VERY GOOD	GOOD
Active Bicycle Advocacy Group	YES	YES
Active Bicycle Advisory Committee	YES	MEETS MONTHLY OR MORE
Bicycle-Friendly Laws & Ordinances	VERY GOOD	FEW/GOOD
Bike Plan is Current and is Being Implemented	YES	YES
Bike Program Staff to Population	1 PER 32K	1 PER 27K

OF LOCAL BICYCLE FRIENDLY BUSINESSES 3

OF LOCAL BICYCLE FRIENDLY UNIVERSITIES ()

CATEGORY SCORES

ENGINEERING Bicycle network and connectivity	4/10
EDUCATION Motorist awareness and bicycling skills	5/10
ENCOURAGEMENT Mainstreaming bicycling culture	5/10
ENFORCEMENT Promoting safety and protecting bicyclists' rights	6/10
EVALUATION & PLANNING Setting targets and having a plan	3/10

KEY OUTCOMES	Average Gold	Henderson
RIDERSHIP Percentage of Commuters who bike	5.5%	0.2%
SAFETY MEASURES CRASHES Crashes per 10k bicycle commuters	100	2692
SAFETY MEASURES FATALITIES Fatalities per 10k bicycle commuters	0.6	22



KEY STEPS TO GOLD



» Install an on-street bicycle wayfinding system with distance and destination information at strategic locations around the community, integrating preferred on street routes and off-street facilities.

» Ensure that there are bicycle education opportunities specifically for seniors, families and other specific demographic groups. By specifically targeting education opportunities to certain groups you can ensure that those groups are better reached and their specific concerns are addressed by the curriculum.

» Develop a design manual that meets current NACTO standards or endorse the NACTO Urban Bikeway Design Guide.

» Encourage local institutions of higher education to promote cycling to students, staff, and faculty and to seek recognition through the Bicycle Friendly University program.

» Continue to work with the Henderson Police Department to implement specialized training for all officers focused on increasing awareness of bicycle-related laws and enforcement of traffic laws that contribute to bicyclist injuries.

» Conduct community-wide research on bicycle usage to more efficiently distribute resources according to current and potential demand. Conduct counts on roads and trails, count parked bicycles at schools and transit stations, or conduct a statistically relevant community bicycle survey.

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