

**July 2016** Volume 44 Issue 7 Established 1972 DATE/ PRESENTER/ MEETING LOCATION TIME TOPIC **Tri-County Bicycle** Association Members are welcome to attend all board P.O. Box 22146 Foster Community meetings to express their concerns. Due to time constraints, if you have a specific item to be brought before the board, please BOARD July 5 Center Lansing, MI 48909-2146 200 N. Foster St. MEETING 6:30 p.m. (517) 882-3700 contact the President one week prior to the Lansing, MI www.biketcba.org meeting and ask for add'l agenda item. Member meeting is the last Thursday of Meetings/Deadlines the month, 7:00 p.m. Announcements Front Cover Guest Dean Brailey: Bicycle Lighting July: DALMAC Prep- TCBA members July 28 Foster Community TCBA Calendar / Events 2 will offer tips to first time DALMAC riders **MEMBERSHIP** August 25 Center, and events director will update us on 2016 7:00 p.m. 200 N. Foster St. DALMAC 2 DALMAC. Lansing, MI August: Wally Miars of Charlotte will share highlights of his through hiking trip **Club Express News** 2 on the Appalachian Trail **Board Meeting Minutes** 3 Light Show Aftermath 3 Conference Room A 2nd Wednesday of the month тсва Neighborhood Empow-July 13 Everyone is welcome to attend! Light Show Part 2 ADVOCACY erment Center 4 6-7:30 p.m. COMMITTEE 600 W. Maple St. http://advocacy.biketcba.org/ Lansing, MI **DALMAC Grant Summary** 4 **Ride Calendar** 5 CHAINWHEEL DEADLINES 6 **Ride Descriptions** NEWSLETTER Please send items in MSWord format to Patricia Mead, via e-mail, chainwheel-Sunrise / Sunset 6 chatter@ biketcba.org by the deadline. July 8 From the President 7 Please send ride calendar information to Ed Usewick, by email tcbamonth-RIDE Classified/Member Specials 8 lyrides@aol.com on or before the deadline. Be sure to include ride times, days CALENDAR of the week, mileage, location, ride leader name and telephone number or any July 8 Chainlinks 8 special qualifications. No ride, if rain, is assumed. TCBA Contacts/Change of Statement from TCBA President Pat Kelley Address Form 9

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ed in the loss of a life on 6/11/16 during the 100,000 Metre T-Shirt Ride in Grand Ledge. Our condolences and hearts go out to all those involved in, and who witnessed the accident and the aftermath.

The Tri-County Bicycle Association (TCBA) is deeply saddened by the tragic event that end-

We also want to express our sincere condolences for the bicyclists killed in Kalamazoo earlier in June. No words can convey what we are feeling.

Ride and drive safely.

# **Heartfelt Thank You**

We, the family of Bonnie Defeyter (Belcher), want to thank our TCBA friends for all the heart-felt condolences, prayers and kindness.

With deep appreciation,

Edie, Mike and Susan Belcher

# DALMAC Registration is Open

#### DALMAC Registration is Open! August 31<sup>st</sup> or September 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>, 2016 What's New for 2016!

UP & 5 East Route riders will have the option to stop in either St. Ignace or Rudyard!

DALMAC®~ The Dick Allen Lansing to MACkinaw Bicycle Tour is Michigan's annual, fully-supported, epic end-of-summer bicycle camping tour. Four routes wind northward in four or five days through Michigan's countryside and quaint small towns, from East Lansing to up north destinations. Each route varies in distance providing just the right challenge for all cyclists whether beginner or experienced, relaxed paced or speedy.

#### **DALMAC Volunteer** Positions are available:

- Media Relations Coordinator
- Volunteer Coordinator transition helper
- Purchasing Committee

Send a note to **volunteer@dalmac.org** if you would like further info on these opportunities...



# New for 2016! 2 Day DALMAC

DALMAC is adding a NEW weekend 2 Day option to the 5 East route beginning this year. You can find more information on this at www.dalmac.org where you can register for this new addition.

DALMAC is excited to offer this option to help accommodate riders who are unable to take time off or simply prefer a weekend ride!

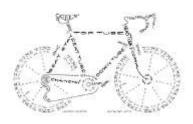
## 2 East DALMAC

Route 102/129 Miles Grayling, MI to St. Ignace or Rudyard, MI 
Saturday: Grayling High School to Cheboygan High School ~ 76 miles Sunday: Cheboygan High School to St. Ignace or Rudyard High School ~ 26/53 miles

The 2 East route meals include Saturday breakfast and dinner, and Sunday breakfast. Dinner on Friday is on your own. **Cost**: \$125 adult, **Preteen** \$100.

## 2016 TCBA Calendar / Events

Month	Board Meeting	Member Meet- ing
August	2	25
September	6	29
October	4	27
November	1	17
December	6	Holiday Party



Summer Tour	July 13-17
Women on Wheels (WOW)	July 23
DALMAC	August 31-September 4
Holiday Party	December 8

# Club Express Mileage Update

We are transitioning to a new way of recording and then posting your ride miles through our new Club Express website. Eventually, each Ride Leader will be able to enter their group's ride miles directly, making the process quicker and more accurate. Doug Sherman (our volunteer that records each member's ride mileage now) will continue to be the ride "mileage keeper" until this new method has been implemented.

Currently, Doug is collecting all the ride sheets as usual. We are working on an interim way to post mileage on our website; www.biketcba.org, until the new Club Express component is finished. Please be patient, and we will notify you when the mileage is available to view. We have your miles total, and you will be getting credit toward your Ride Incentive for 2016. (Please refrain from e-mailing Doug and asking what your total miles are to date.) Thank you!

# **TCBA Board of Director's Meeting Minutes**

June 7, 2016, Foster Community Center, Lansing, Michigan

President Patrick Kelley called the meeting to order at 6:35 PM. Deb Traxinger, Bill Smith and Steve Leiby, Ken Schwartz, Joane Gruizenga were present. Ken Hendrick was absent. No other members were present. The meeting agenda and May board minutes were approved.

Correspondence received: The president received an email from Doug and Diane Sherman regarding their willingness to continue logging ride miles from their new location.

#### **Board Reports**

Presidents: Patrick Kelley - 1. Club Express (CE) – ride miles won't be entered until at least August while CE works on a new system specifically for our club. Currently, CE cannot enter our home miles and ride leader miles.

2. A motion to order one more box of TCBA slap bands was made by Steve Leiby – second Bill Smith. Motion passed.

3. A motion to approve funds for Unitarian Universal Church to help buy a bike rack for their new location near the river trail was made by Steve Leiby - second by Bill Smith. Motion passed.

4. It is the consensus of the board to have all rides in one place on the Event Calendar on the TCBA website. Pending feedback from the membership, we will attempt to do so by Oct. 1, 2016. The president will write an article for the July Chainwheel Chatter explaining this plan.

Vice Presidents: Bill Smith - The Okemos Library is holding a bike "petting zoo" on June 24 from 1-3pm. Recumbents, uprights, trikes are all welcome for a show and tell for the kids.

Secretary: Deb Traxinger - The South River Trail bike ride occurred May 22. Twelve people including 4 young children did the ride to Hawk Island and back.

Treasurer: Steve Leiby submitted the financial report and a motion to approve passed.

Events Director: DALMAC registration is still open and there is a new 2 Day East Route. Kudos to Ken Hendrick and the DALMAC Committee for creating this new addition

At Large Directors: Ride incentives can still be picked up at the June membership meeting.

Advocacy Committee: Mike Unsworth submitted his report via email.

New Business: None

Old Business: Mason bike racks are up.

Meeting Adjourned: 8: 00 PM Respectfully submitted by Deb Traxinger, Secretary TCBA Board of Directors.

## **Light Show Aftermath**

I'd like to thank everyone at the May club meeting for being so gracious and patient while we distributed all the lights. I hope that everyone ended up with something they can use to increase their safety while riding.

Now that I've gotten through the hard part of the adventure, giving away all the lights and stuff, I'm now at the point that every computer nerd hates, maintenance. Yup, there are going to be people out there who won a light and then found out that they don't know how to install it, charge it, or generally replace the batteries. That's expected, so I'd like to offer my help to anyone who has questions regarding the lights, or help in dealing with unexpected issues. I've already been asked some interesting questions so here's my best answers in case you are wondering the same thing.

? "How long will my battery last?" Well, like most things scientific, it depends. The small four cell batteries that I handed out with most of the lights are 4800mAh batteries, composed of four 18660 batteries. That being said they will deplete fastest on high beam then lower settings and last the longest on flashing. I have used the two led SolarStorm lights on high using the 4800mAh battery for two hours without any loss of light output. The three led SolarStorms have lasted an hour, but that's the longest I've ridden with one so I'm not sure how long it will go without loss of output. Most of the lights have circuitry that automagically drops the light intensity to low when they are down to 20% of their capacity. The larger lights, 7000 lumen to 18000 lumen draw sufficient power to require a much larger battery. If you received one of these lights along with the small battery pack, please contact me if you need the larger battery.

If you're of the scientific nature and you want to help provide us with some data you can e-mail me with your test results. Just make sure you send me a photo of the light, so I can ID it properly, and the amount of time you use it on both high and low settings. That way I'll be able to compile a chart so people will know if they need to upgrade their battery based on the intended length of their nite stalker rides.

? "I forgot to grab an extra 8.4v charger for my office and as you know

by Dean Brailey

every ounce counts so how do I get another charger?" Well, I've snipped some more chargers so all you have to do is e-mail me with your name, address and phone. Once I get the chargers I'll either drop it off at your house while riding around town, or I'll call you for a pickup. Simple, huh?

? "I've already used my light and the battery doesn't last as long as I need it to last. What now?" You can obtain a larger battery from me, if I have one available. If not just send me your name, e-mail, address and phone and I'll contact you to determine just how much juice you need. If I have the right spare then I'll get it to you as in the above points. On the other hand if I don't have it then we'll work out a plan to get one. That could be you taking the initiative and using the MyiBidder program to snipe one, or I can try to do it for you as part of my regular snipping. The latter option may take awhile, like a month, so you'll have to decide how you want to proceed.

? "I need additional tail lights. How can I get a few more?" Well, I'm down to just three tail lights and I'm not sure if I have the brackets to mount them to your bike. Two will clip to a bag, or your belt and one looks like it has a seat post mount. The fastest way to solve your problem is to visit one of the sponsors of the 2nd Annual Greater Lansing Bike Movie Night, Riverfront Cycle, Denny's Central Park Bicycles, Evergreen Cycles and Repair, Eric's Cycling and Fitness, or MSU Bikes. They all carry a good supply of rear lights that should meet your needs. If you need something special then e-mail me and I'll see if I can help.

? "Will TCBA have any night rides?" Ah, I guess that's a possibility for a ride, so why don't you start one? Heck, I might even show up! The other option is the Lansing Bike Party, https://www.facebook.com/groups/ lansingbikeparty, which is a fun group of people that ride to various places to eat, drink and be merry. I've ridden with them before and they're a neat batch of people to ride with and have fun.

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## Light Show Aftermath (continued from Page 3)

? "Is a flashing white front light really effective in getting you noticed during the day?" Yes. While driving my car I have noticed how they grab a motor vehicle driver's attention. I have no scientific data to back this up,

? "Where can I find reviews and info for various lights?" Here are some URLs for sites that may interest you.

- http://www.orfos.bike/
- http://www.stupidbright.com/
- https://www.bikelightdatabase.com/reviews/
- http://www.bikelightsreview.com/
- http://www.mtbr.com/cat/accessories/lights/
- pls\_130crx.aspx
- http://bikelights.drupalgardens.com/
- http://www.performancebike.com/bikes/
- Content\_10052\_10551\_-1\_HeadLightBuyersGuide http://www.outdoorgearlab.com/Best-Bike-Light
- http://thesweethome.com/reviews/best-commuterbike-lights/
- http://www.modernbike.com/bicycle-light-comparisonguide
- http://www.bicycling.com/bikes-and-gear-features/ reviews/bike-lights-high-tech-lights
- http://www.lightmalls.com/led-bicycle-lights

 http://bicyclesbuddy.com/review-7-brightest-bicycle-taillight/

- http://www.torchythebatteryboy.com/p/bike-lightdatabase.html
- http://www.lightandmotion.com/choose-your-light/urban
- https://www.serfas.com/products/lights/headlights

Finally, if you were one of the two winners of the Orfos lights please give me a call as I'm curious to find out how the lights have worked for you.

If you have any lighting questions, comments, or stunningly great insight, just call, or drop me an e-mail.  $\sim$  Dean

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# **DALMAC Fund Grant Summary**

The Tri-County Bicycle Association has awarded \$1,362,881 in DALMAC Fund grants from 1986 to 2016. The 2016 grants awarded are:

Advent House of Lansing, \$3,042 in TCBA General Funds for bicycle lights and locks for participants in homeless program. Presentation by Toni Townsend.

Adventure Cycling Association based in Missoula, MT, \$6,500 towards a \$57,800 project to sign US Bike Route 35 in Michigan. Presentation by Kerry Irons.

**Detroit Eastside Community Collaborative** in Detroit, \$4,500 to support a \$15,000 Earn-A-Bike program operated in conjunction with Back Alley Bikes of Detroit. Presentation by Yvonne Rucker.

**Kids Repair Program of Lansing**, \$7,500 in TCBA General Funds toward their \$13,189 Youth Bicycle Education program. Presentation by Dave Meade.

League of Michigan Bicyclists based

in Lansing, \$7,000 towards a \$13,500 project to bicycle education videos for police, drivers and bicyclists. Presentation by John Lindenmayer.

**Michigan Trails and Greenways** based in Lansing, \$5,000 towards a \$25,000 project to spearhead the Great Lake to Lake trail development in St. Clair County. Presentation by Nancy Krupiarz.

**Open Roads of Kalamazoo**, \$2,000 in support of a \$12,000 Earn-A-Bike program. Presentation by Erin Denay.

**Ottawa County**, \$5,000 in support of the \$987,000 Spoonville Bicycle Trail, Phase 2, construction project. Presentation by Danielle Stack.

**PEAC (Program to Educate All Cyclists)** in Ypsilanti, \$3,000 in support of their \$132,550 bicycle education program for persons with disabilities. Presentation by John Waterman.

**Special Olympics based at CMU**, \$2,000 in support of the \$372,355 bicycle athletes program in the 2016 Michigan

Special Olympics program. Presentation by Allison Miller.

**TART Trails of Traverse City,** \$4,500 towards the \$75,300 project to spearhead trail development from Elk Rapids to Traverse City. Presentation by Julie Clark.

**Village of Muir**, \$5,000 towards a \$987,000 project to renovate the Prairie Street Bridge for non-motorized traffic. Presentation by Laura Stewart.

**YMCA of Greater Flint** – **Camp Copne-conic**, \$3,400 towards the \$7,000 project to establish a fat tire bike program at the camp. Presentation by Thomas Bawden.

Editors note: The presentations were especially nice to see. Great stories and good people. If you have a chance to see the presentation next year, I highly encourage you to come to the meeting!

#### **Chainwheel Chatter**

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# JULY 2016 Ride Calendar: Recurring Rides; No Ride if Rain, Unless Noted

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Day/Date	Time	Miles	Class	Start Location	Other Information	Ride Leader
Sundava	7:30 AM	30	С	67th District Court House, Grand Blanc	Ride only the 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup>	Ed Usewick 810-694-9919
Sundays	11:00 AM	25-45	С	Kroger's (Coolidge Rd., E.L.)		Edie Belcher, 517/242- 4122
Mondays	10:00 AM	25-42	С	Victor Twnshp Hall	Food Stop No Ride 7/18	Jan or Tony Koller 517-669-5744
	6:15 PM	18-25	С	Coach's	Only July 18th and 25th Alternate leader Dick Chulski	Ginger Royston 517-331-5557
Tuesdays	6:00 PM	20-30 C Oneida Township harry@harrydale.com		Harry Levins 517-627-9763		
	6:30 PM	23-30	В	Williamstown Twp Hall	Ride on Wednesday if rain on Tuesday	Kristen Furseth 517-881-8099
	9::30 AM	30-45	С	Valley Farms Park (Dewitt)		Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Wednesdays	5:30 PM	30	В	Visiting Nurses Bldg. Davison, Ml	Ride Location! 10128 E Lippincott Blvd	Dave/Carolyn Mansfield 810-444-8709 or 810-658-0406
	6:00 PM	20-30	В	Oneida Gospel Church	harry@harrydale.com	Harry Levins 517-627-9763
	6:15 PM	25-35	В	Riverview Church		Jim Delinescheff 517-333-9329
	6:30 PM	22-30	B/C	Kensington Metro- Park	Upper Parking Lot East Boat Launch July 6, 20, 27	Patricia Mead 248-210-0337
Thursdays No evening rides	s		harry@harrydale.com	Harry Levins 517-627-9763		
7/28 club meet- ing			В			Kathryn Hixson 517-899-9509
Fridays	9:30 AM	25-45	С	DeWitt Township Hall	Food Stop No ride 7/15	Jan or Tony Koller 517-669-5744
Thuays	6:00 PM	26-34	С	Hamlin Township Hall, Eaton Rapids	Route maps on mapmyride.com	Rob Taylor 517-648-2608
Saturdays WOW-July	8:00 AM	50-70	Z	Grand Ledge Public Schools Admin. Bldg. (Sawdon)	<u>harry@harrydale.com</u> No ride on WOW Saturday	Harry Levins 517-627-9763
23 <sup>rd</sup> !!!	9:00 AM	45-65	Z	Valley Farms Park (Dewitt)	No ride 7/23	Edie Belcher 517-242-4122
Weekdays; ex- cept club mtg. night	6:00 PM	D	10	Grand Blanc City Hall	City trail ride, Easy. Please Call before coming	Roxanne Usewick 810-694-9919

#### **Ride Starting Point Descriptions**

67th District Court Hous	e Grand Blanc
Coaches Pub & Grill	6201 Bishop
	south of the King exit on I-96
Dewitt Township Hall	1401 W. Herbison Rd. 1/2 mi. west of Old 27
Hamlin Township Hall	6463 S Clinton Trl, Eaton Rapids
Kroger in East Lansing	Coolidge & Lake Lansing
Parking is o	on the east side of Kroger's lot near Coolidge Road
Oneida Gospel Church	Corner of Oneida and Strange Hwy, Gd Ledge
Oneida Township Hall	11041 Oneida Road, Grand Ledge
Grand Ledge Public Sch	nool Admin Bldg. 220 Lamson Rd., Grand Ledge
Meet in the Jenne St. pa	arking lot (opposite side of building from Lamson
St)	
Kensington MetroPark	I-96 and Kent Lake Road
Riverview Church	Willoughby, one block west of College Rd.
Valley Farms Park	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> mile south of Mega Mall; Brook/Wieland Roads
	Across from Dewitt Fire Station
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Victor Township Hall Williamstown Twp Hall

6843 Alward Road Laingsburg Corner Zimmer & Germany Rds 4 mi east & 1 mi south of Haslett

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# Helmets are required on all TCBA Rides!!!!

#### **RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS**

A+	19+ MPH
А	17-19 MPH

- 14-17 MPH
- A B С 12-14 MPH

D Under 12 MPH Fun and Social Group Ride

F Family Fun & First-Timers Ride

M Mountain Bike N/A

Z .....Rides over 40 miles in length to be ridden at the rider's own pace without on the road ride leader supervision. Leader must have detailed map of the ride for all riders.

For More Rides call: 517-882-3700 or visit the web site: www.biketcba.org. Also check this number for updates/changes on rides listed in this Chainwheel Chatter.

To receive the Ride Line Transcript by email, send your email address to: bikerides@comcast.net Ride Line Call-in Coordinator: Thomas Bogle



June Sunrise/Sunset						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Sunrise: 6:22am Sunset: 9:08pm	Sunrise: 6:23am Sunset: 9:07pm	Sunrise: 6:24am Sunset: 9:06pm	Sunrise: 6:25am Sunset: 9:05pm	Sunrise: 6:26am Sunset: 9:04pm	Sunrise: 6:27am Sunset: 9:03pm	Sunrise: 6:28am Sunset: 9:01pm
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Sunrise: 6:29am Sunset: 9:00pm						

# Did you know?

# **TCBA is on Facebook!!** https://www.facebook.com/biketcba

# **From the President**

Hope your summer riding is going well. Please stay safe. Remember, group rides offer safety of numbers. Check out your website www.biketcba.org for the rides available! If you haven't logged in yet please do so. (If you have any issues with logging into our site please contact Dan Stockwell, the webmaster; webmaster@biketcba.org)

The TCBA Board has recently agreed to list all rides (day rides, Called-in Rides, Chainwheel Chatter rides, tours, and other TCBA sponsored rides and activities) in one easy to find location.

Our vision is there is one place to look for a ride, and our hope is this will be the easiest way to get members to ride in groups, which is TCBA's purpose! This is currently in place on the Event Calendar at www.biketcba.org. The TCBA Board is thoughts regarding t

Now that the calendar is in place and being updated regularly by several volunteers, the tentative plan will include no longer having rides listed in the Chainwheel Chatter (we will keep the Chainwheel Chatter, but not list rides).

The "Called-In Ride Line" will also change. When a Ride Leader wants to get a Ride or Rides posted to the Calendar, they will contact the "Ride Coordinator" who will then post the ride(s) to the Calendar.

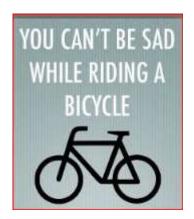
The weekly Called in Ride e-mails will also discontinue, as all the Rides for TCBA would be on the Event Calendar via the Ride Coordinator.

One place to look, one person to contact to have your Ride put on the Calendar! We think this will streamline the Ride posting process, make it easier to see where/when Rides are, and easier to get Rides posted!

The TCBA Board is looking to you for your thoughts regarding this proposal at president@biketcba.org.

Happy riding!

Pat Kelley, TCBA President



When the spirits are low, when the day appears dark, when work becomes monotonous, when hope hardly seems worth having, just mount a bicycle and go out for a spin down the road, without thought on anything but the ride you are taking.

~Arthur Conan Doyle

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For Sale: 2007/2008 Trek KDR 1000 Kids Road Bike. Discovery Channel Edition. Excellent condition. Selling because daughter has outgrown. The measurement of the seat tube from the base to the top is 36cm. Specs: Frame: Alpha Aluminum, Fork: Alloy, Tires: Bontrager Race Lite, 24x1", Shifters: Shimano Sora Flight Deck, Front derailleur: Shimano 2200, Rear derailleur: Shimano Tiagra, Crank: Bontrager Sport 48/39, 150mm, Cassette: SRAM PG850 12-23, 8 speed, Saddle: Bontrager Race Junior, Stem: Bontrager Sport, 10 degree, Headset: Aheadset Slimstak w/semicartridge bearings, sealed, Sora STI levers and Tektro cross levers

\$400. Cash only. Bike located in DeWitt. Please email Lois @ loiseallen@gmail.com or call/ text 803.553.1288. Pictures available on request. (6/16)

For Sale: 2014 Trek Madonne. 58cm. All Ultegra components. Black and red. Only ridden a few times (less than 150 miles). New: Almost \$4,000. Yours for only \$2,000. Non negotiable. It's a bargain. 517-243-6789 or johnson.betty@yahoo.com (6/16)

For Sale: Loki II Infrared Wooden Two Person Sauna Room Product #IG-520G Asking \$1,500, Never Used Call 517-580-3689 (7/16) **For Sale**: Trek Tandem Double Cross Model Shimano Derailleur, Shimano Deore Brakes (XT), Miche Monolithic Stoker Kit, Heat treat-



ed Titan Tour Wheels, Black w/red accents, Excellent Condition, Limited Use **Asking**: \$900, Contact: Wima4@tds.net or 517-898-9692



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www.capitalareasmartcommute.co m Smart Commute Program

Network

www.midmeac.org Mid-Michigan Environmental Action Council

www.bikems.org Various rides throughout the country

www.mmba.org Michigan Mountain Biking Association

www.railstotrails.org Rails to Trails Conservancy

www.michigantrails.org Michigan Trails & Greenway Alliance

www.facebook.com TCBA is there as a group; check us out!

twitter.com Twitter

http://www.nhtsa.gov/Bicycles National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

http://www.aabts.org/ Ann Arbor Bicycle Touring Society

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# **TCBA MEMBER CONTACT**



Your respect is requested when using any of the numbers on this page. Phone calls during family time and at late hours can be intrusive.

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