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**Mack Halsted is Solano County Bike Commuter of the Year
May 14th, 2015 is 21st Annual Bike to Work Day;**

SUISUN CITY, CA - Mack Halsted started to bike to work the Monday after the bike lane opening on the Benicia-Martinez Bridge in August 2009, and has been riding to work ever since. His 34 mile round-trip journey starts from Fairfield at 4:15am with a peaceful morning ride where he watches the sun rise as he crosses the bridge to Martinez. Mack is the 2015 Solano County Bike Commuter of the Year.

Mack rides daily, regardless of the weather. In addition to his daily rides to work, Mack participates in a half-dozen century and double century "pleasure" rides throughout the year. He tries to be an ambassador - follows the rules of the road, is visible to others, sees from the car's perspective and shares the road.

Solano Bike to Work Day - May 14th, 2015 - is presented by 511.org and Kaiser Permanente, with promotions organized by Solano Napa Commuter Information, a program of the Solano Transportation Authority (STA). Additional activities include the Team Bike Challenge and 16 Energizer Stations that will be sponsored throughout Solano County. Bike to Work Day is funded by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission and the Bay Area Air Quality Management District. For more information on Bike to Work Day activities, such as the Team Bike Challenge and Energizer Stations, visit commuterinfo.net or call 800-535-6883.

16 Solano **Energizer Stations** will provide snacks, encouragement and a free reusable tote bag to bicyclists:

Benicia	Benicia Bridge Bike Path (Park Rd)	6:00 - 8:30 AM
Cordelia	Solano Community College Bldg 400	8:00- 11:00 AM
Dixon	Fisk's Cyclery	8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Fairfield	Linear Park Trail @ Pennsylvania	6:30 - 8:30 AM
	Armijo High School	7:00 - 8:00 AM
	Ray's Cycle	7:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Suisun City	Suisun City Amtrak Station	6:00 - 8:30 AM
Travis AFB	Travis AFB Family Support Center	7:00 - 9:00 AM
Vacaville	Vacaville Transportation Center @ Allison	6:00 - 8:30 AM
	VacaValley Pkwy – 2 stations	7:00 - 9:00 AM
	Velo Wrench	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
	Ray's Cycle	9:30 AM - 6:00 PM
Vallejo	Vallejo Transit Center	9:30 AM - 6:00 PM
	Vallejo Ferry Terminal	6:15 - 8:00 AM
Mare Island	Touro University, Lander Hall	7:30 - 9:00 AM

SOLANO NAPA COMMUTER INFORMATION

Solano Napa Commuter Information (SNCI) is a program of the Solano Transportation Authority (STA) in partnership with the Napa County Transportation and Planning Agency (NCTPA) and funded through Metropolitan Transportation Commission Regional Rideshare (511.org), Bay Area Air Quality Management District, Eastern Congestion Mitigation Air Quality and Yolo Solano Air Quality Management District funds for the purpose of managing countywide and regional rideshare programs in Napa and Solano counties and providing air quality improvements through trip reduction.



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