LEAGUE OF AMERICAN BICYCLISTS



Bicycle Friendly Community Application

Name of Community	v
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- * Name of Community Las Cruces
- * State
- ✓ New Mexico
- * Mayor or top elected official **Mayor Ken Miyagishima** * Phone
- (575) 541-2067 * Email

- * Email mayor@las-cruces.org

 * Address
 700 North Main Street

 * Website http://www.las-cruces.org/

Applicant Profile

- * Applicant Name Andrew Hume * Title Planner * Employer City of Las Cruces * Address
- city of Las Cruces

 * Address

 700 North Main Street

 * City

 Las Cruces

 * State
- - **✓** New Mexico

- * Zip 88001 * Phone (575) 528-3047 * Email ahume@las-cruces.org

Community Profile

The data in this section is gathered by the U.S. census. Click here to find the most recent information on your community.

* 1. Type of Jurisdiction

 ▼ Town/City/Municipality
County
Metropolitan Planning Organization or Council of Governments
Regional Planning Organization
Rural Planning Organization
Indian Nation
Other If other, describe * 2. Population 92235
3. Square milage of community

- * Total area
 77

 * Water area
 0
- * Land area
- * 4. Population Density 1198

5. Climate * Average temperature for January
57 * Average temperature for April
* Average temperature for July
* Average temperature for October
* Average precipitation for January
* Average precipitation for April
* Average precipitation for July
* Average precipitation for October .9
* 6. Median Household Income 36035
7. Age distribution * % under 5
7.4 * % age 6-17
21.2 * % age 18-64 58.2
* % age 65+ 13.2
* Totals 100.000000000001
8. Race
* % White 84.1 * % Black or African American
2.8 * % American Indian and Alask Native
1.9 * % Asian
1.8 * % Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander
• % Some other race
7.9 * % One race
98.5 * % Two or more races
1.5 * Totals
100 * % Hispanic or Latino (of any race) 55
* 9. What is the name of your community's bicycle program manager?
Andrew Hume * 10. In which department does your bicycle program manager work?
Engineering/public works
Planning
Parks and Recreation
raiks and recreation
Transportation
Other
If other, describe * 11. Are you the Bicycle Program Manager?
r Yes
☐ No
* Bicycle Program Manager Phone (575) 528-3047
* Bicycle Program Manager Email ahume@las-cruces.org
* 12. What percentage of the community's Bicycle Program Manager's time is spent on bicycling issues? 10% or less
10-25%
25-50%
<u>r</u> ∕ 50-75%

75-100%
$*$ 13. How many government employees, expressed in full-time equivalents, work on bicycle issues in your community ${f 1}$
*14. Do you have a <u>Bicycle Advisory Committee</u>
<u>I</u> ✓ Yes
☐ No
* 14a. How often does it meet?
Monthly
Every two months
Quarterly
Annually
Other (describe)
If other, describe * 14b. How many members serve on the committee?
* 14c. Which of the following groups are represented or regularly attend the Bicycle Advisory Committee?
✓ User group
Law enforcement
Chamber of commerce
Public health
✓ Planning department
▼ Transporation department
School board
Parks department
Recreation department
Transit agency
✓ Other (describe)
If other, describe New Mexico State University * 1/d New ion State University
Fric Liefeld
* Email of Bicycle Advisory Committee Chair etb@solsurvival.com
* 15. Is there a bicycle advocacy group(s) in your community?
r Yes
☐ No
15a. What is the name of the advocacy group(s) (if more than one, list them all)
Mesilla Valley Bicycle Coalition * 15b. Are any of them working with you on this application?
I ✓ Yes
☐ No
* 15c. List the name of the primary group: Mesilla Valley Bicycle Coalition
* 15d. Does this group have paid staff?
Yes
✓ No
* 15e. Do you contract with this group for any services or programs?

	Yes
	No
* 15f. \ Cind	Nho is the primary contact for them? y Robbins
* 15g.	Émail of primary contact of advocacy group robbin@aol.com
* 16. W	What are the primary reasons your community has invested in bicycling?
	Improved quality of life
	Improving public health
	Community connectivity
	Transportation options
	Climate change concerns
	Decrease traffic congestion
	Increase tourism
	Increase property values
	Cooperation with adjacent communities
	Public demand
	Economic development
	Traffic safety
	Other (describe)
17. Wh	r, describe lat was your community's most significant investment for bicycling in the past year?
allov	y completed first road diet on Solano Rd. which connects the city and university " 3 City staff members became LCIs " City vs local LCIs to use the City Hall facilities for classes " City supported National Bike Month events - Staff participated in the its; Put up a Share the Road billboard; Internal Bike to work activities " Updated bike suitability map " Updated regional plans
for it	n-road bicycle facilities and trails " ~10 miles of new bicycle facilities at specific improvements do you baye planned for bicycling in the following year?
Moto reco	ore LAB classes at the local public schools and universities " Complete district-wide Safe Routes to School Action Plan " Initiate or School Program for City Employees and bus drivers " Continue addition of bicycle facilities through roadway instruction and resurfacing projects " Outfall Channel Multi-Use Trail ~4.25 miles
	eering
19. Do	es your community have
	a <u>complete streets policy</u> ?
	a bicycle accomodation policy (a policy that requires the accommodation of cyclists in all new road construction and
reco	nstruction and resurfacing)?
	Neither
19a. W	hen was it adopted
	2009
http:	rovide a link or attach a copy of this legislation or policy. ://lcmpoweb.las-cruces.org/Complete%20Streets/City%20of%20Las%20Cruces%20Complete%20Streets%20Resolution.pdf ow was it adopted?
	Legislation
	Resolution
	Internal Policy
	Other
	r, describe hat tools are in place to ensure implementation?
	Implementation Guidance

	Design
	Manual
	Training
	Other
If other	r, describe
20. Ho	w do you ensure your engineers and planners accommodate cyclists according to AASHTO and MUTCD standards?
	Training
	Offer FHWA/NHI Training Course
	Hire Outside consultants to train staff
	Send staff to bicycle-specific conferences/training
	Require project consultants to have bike/ped qualifications
	Internal training or design manual
Pron * 21. W	escribe each checked note and pay for training sessions and webinars from APBP, FHWA, ITE, and other national sources. /hat percentage of bridges and tunnels in your community are accessible to bicyclists?
	hat are the exceptions? ow do you ensure there are end-of-trip facilities for bicyclists?
	Bike parking ordinance
	Bike parking ordinance for all new developments
	Ordinance requiring showers and lockers
	Building accessibility ordinance
	On street bike parking
	Ordinance that allows bike parking to substitute for car parking
	Standards for bicycle parking that conform to <u>APBP guidelines</u>
	Other
	r, describe cle Parking Design Standards
23. Ho	w many bike parking spaces are there in your community?
621	ke racks
0	ke lockers ke depot (i.e. <u>Bikestation</u>)
0	-street bike parking
0	
24. App 24a. So	proximately what percentage of these locations have bike racks or storage units? Phools
	91-100%
24b. Lil	
 <u> </u>	91-100%
24c. Ir	ansit Stations
24d Pa	46-60% arks & Recreation Centers
24u. Pa	76-90%
24e. G	overnment buildings
c. d	less than 15%
24f. Of	fice buildings
	less than 15%

24g. Shops
✓ less than 15%
24h. Public Housing
<u>⊮</u> 0%
* 25. Does your community have transit service?
r∕ Yes
☐ No
* 25a. Are buses equipped with <u>bike racks</u> ?
r Yes
No
25b. What percentage?
P 91-100%
25c. Are bikes allowed inside transit vehicles?
Yes
Sometimes
I ✓ No
If yes or sometimes, describe
* 26. What is the mileage of your total road network?
56327. What is the mileage of your total shared-use path network?15
28. List your current and planned bicycle accommodations? a. <u>Bike lanes</u>
Current Miles 47 Planned Miles
107 b. Shared lane markings
Current Miles 2 Planned Miles
18 c. Bitke boulevards
Current Miles O Planned Miles
3 d. Signed bike routes
Current Miles 18 Planned Miles
12 e. Paved shared use paths
Current Miles 13 Planned Miles
13 f. Natural surface shared use paths
Current Miles 2
Planned Miles 103 Signature
g. <u>Singletrack</u> Current Miles
Planned Miles 0
* 29. What other innovative ways have you improved on-road conditions for bicyclists?
✓ Road diets
Area wide traffic calming
Cycle tracks
Contra-flow bike lanes
Speed limits 20 mph or less on residential streets

Bike cut thrus
Way-finding signage with distance and/or time information
None
✓ Other
If other, describe Initiating use of sharrows * 30. What percentage of arterial streets have bike lanes or paved shoulders?
37 * 31. What percentage of natural surface, trails and singletrack are open to bicyclists?
100 31a. What are the exceptions?
32. What maintenance policies or programs ensure <i>bike lanes</i> and <i>shoulders</i> remain usable and safe? *32a. Street sweeping
More than other travel lanes
Same as other travel lanes
Weekly
Monthly
Quarterly
Annually
Never
✓ Other
If other, describe Same as travel lanes and Online request for street sweeping available through City website * 32b. Snow clearance
Before other travel lanes
Same time as other travel lanes
Within 48 hours of storm
Never
Other
✓ Not applicable
If other, describe * 32c. Pothole maintenance
Within 24 hours of complaint
Within one week of complaint
Within one month of complaint
Never
r Other
If other, describe Within 48 hours of complaint; Online request for pothole maintenance through City website 32d. Other Maintenance policies or programs for bike lanes and shoulders (describe) Sweep Las Cruces Clean program allows citizens to identify a specific route or area that needs to be swept.
33. What maintenance policies or programs ensure <i>shared-use paths</i> remain safe and usable? *33a. Path sweeping
Weekly
✓ Monthly
Quarterly

	Annually
	Never
	Other
If other * 33b. \	r, describe /egetation maintenance
	Weekly
	Monthly
	Quarterly
	Annually
	Never
	Other
If other * 33c. S	, describe Snow clearance
	Before roadways
	Same time as roadways
	Within 48 hours of storm
	Never
	Other
	Not applicable
	, describe Surface repair
	Within 24 hours of complaint
	Within one week of complaint
	Within one month of complaint
	Never
П	Other
If other	, describe her Maintenance policies or programs for shared-use paths (describe) age and litter patrol weekly Irrigation maintenance weekly
	ow do you accommodate cyclists at intersections in your community?
	All /Most signals are timed for bicyclists
	All /Most signals are timed
	Loop detector markings
	<u>Video detection</u>
	Advance stop line or Bike Box
	Bicycle signal heads
	Other
	None of the above
If other * 35. A	, describe re there other infrastructure improvements in your community to promote bicycling?
	Yes

r ∕ No
If yes, describe
<u>Education</u>
* 36. Do schools in your community offer a <u>Safe Routes to School</u> (or comparable) program that includes bicycling education? Yes No
What percentage of cohools in your jurisdiction porticipates?
What percentage of schools in your jurisdiction participates? a. Elementary (percentage) 13
b. Middle School (percentage) 17
c. High School (percentage) 0
* 37. Outside of schools, how are children taught safe bicycling skills?
Youth bike clubs
⊮ Bike clinics or rodeos
Youth recreation programs
Helmet fit seminars
Safety town
Trail riding classes
Other
None of the above
If other, describe * 38. Do you have a <u>diversion program</u> for cyclists or motorists?
Yes
⊭ No
If yes, describe * 39. What have you done in the last 18 months to educate motorists and bicyclists on sharing the road safely?
▶ Public service announcements
Community newsletter article
New resident packet
Utility bill insert
Bicycle ambassador program
Newspaper column/blog on bicycling
Dedicated bike page on community Web site
<u></u> Billboards
✓ Share the Road Signs
▼ Share the road information in driver's education
r Other

If other, describe Share the Road bumper stickers on all City vehicles Commuter bicycling brochures in English and Spanish

None of the above

^{40.} What of the following options are available on a regular basis to your community? * 40a. Traffic Skills 101 (or equivalent) classes -- including classroom and on-bike instruction.

Weekly
Monthly
Q uarterly
Annually
Never
Other
If other, describe * 40b. Cycling Skills classes three to four hour classroom training courses
Weekly
Monthly
Quarterly
✓ Annually
Never
Other
If other, describe * 40c. Commuter classes - one/two hour classes
Weekly
Monthly
Quarterly
✓ Annually
Never
Other
If other, describe
* 41. Has your community hosted a <u>League Cycling Instructor seminar</u> in the past two years?
Yes
No * 42. How many League Cycling Instructors are there in your community?
8 43. List active League Cycling Instructors (active means they have taught at least one class during the past 12 months).
Tammy Schurr K. Naoma Staley Jean Conway Georgé Pearson Andy Hume Cindy Robbins Ellen Castello Tom Hester 44. Does your community have driver training for any of the following professional drivers that include information on sharing the road with cyclists?
City staff
Taxi drivers
Transit operators
School bus operators
Delivery drivers
Other
* If other, describe * 44a. If yes to any of the above, describe the program. * 45. Describe any efforts your community has made to ensure your education programs reach traditionally underserved populations. * Bike Maintenance Class for Women and girls. The Mesilla Valley Bike Coalition Ride Right Right, Bright project raised funds for bike lights and have worked with Mesilla Valley Community of Hope to put lights on their clients bikes. Their clients include homeless and near homeless persons. The Optimist Club did tune-ups and fixed the bikes while MVBC installed lights on about 40 bicycles. * 46. Are there other education efforts in your community to promote bicycling?
y Yes

	No
Visib share there Day even educ comi the S	If yes, describe oility Rides: riding together during morning rush hour with high visibility shirts to demonstrate how cyclist and drivers can e the road. The City worked with Mesilla Valley Bike Coalition on weekly community rides during National Bike Month. Overall were more than 300 participants in last Mays events counting the Community Rides, Ride of Silence, and the Bike to Work events. Members of the MVBC and Southern New Mexico Bike Educators (SNMBE) held bike rodeos at the monthly Cyclovia ts. The CLC Bicycle Friendly Task Force made up of community members, cycling advocates and city staff came up with an actional plan to help the city support cycling education. Education materials for the Share the Road campaign include a How to mute by bike brochure (English and Spanish), a bumper sticker, and billboard rotated among different locations. Members of SNMBE are conducting Traffic Skills 101 classes each semester at New Mexico State University. The class is targeted toward ents but open to anyone. Bike Maintenance Classes open to anyone.
Encou	<u>iragement</u>
* 47. H	ow do you promote <u>National Bike Month</u> ?
	City Proclamation
	Community Ride
	Mayor-led Ride
	Public Service Announcements
	Publish a guide to Bike Month Events
	Bike Month Web site
	Commuter Challenge
	Commuter Breakfasts
	Trail construction or maintenance day
	Other
	No promotion
New	er, describe spaper articles
300	ow many people participate in <u>Bike Month</u> events? ow do you promote bicycling outside of <u>National Bike Month</u> ?
	Community Ride
	Mayor-led Ride
	Public Service Announcements
	Trail construction or maintenance day
	Summer Streets/Ciclovia/Sunday Parkways
	Commuter Challenge
	Commuter Breakfasts
	Other
	No promotion
Shar to we Also,	er, describe e the Road Visibility Rides - A morning commuter ride from various parts of the city to a central location. Participants required ear brightly colored clothing, helmets, and observe rules of the road. Earth Day at Young Park - MVBC did Fix-A-Flat lessons. , the Optimists were there to fix kids bikes. o you actively promote Bike to Work Day or other bicycle commuting incentive programs?
	Yes
ļ	No
Morr	If yes, describe ning breakfast and bike ride around downtown; Afternoon helmet fitting, bike repairs, and health booth Approximately what percentage of the community workforce do you reach? 16-30%
ļ	

	st the signature cycling events in your community? cta Omnium Horny Toad Hustle bes the municipality sponsor or actively support any of these rides?
	Yes
,	No
* 52a. If	f yes, how? bes your local tourism board promote bicycling in your area?
	Yes
,—	No f yes, how?
Webs	ite http://www.mustseelc.org/Visiting/Recreation/Bicycling.aspx e there cycling organizations in your area?
	Recreational Bike Clubs
	Mountain Bike Clubs
	Friends of the Trail Groups
	National Mountain Bike Patrol
	Racing Clubs or Teams
	Bicycle Co-ops
	Other
,—	None
* 54a. F Bike a	er, describe. For each type of club checked, list names of the organizations. and Chowder ROYALS Zia Velo Rim Rattlers Sow many <u>specialty bicycle retailers</u> (i.e shops dedicated primarily to selling bikes and bike-related equipment) are there in your community?
* 55a. L Outde	ist their names.
* 56. W	hich of these bicycling areas or facilities do you have in your community?
	BMX track
, <u> </u>	BMX track Velodrome
	Velodrome
	Velodrome Cyclocross course
	Velodrome Cyclocross course Mountain bike park
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No Spa. If yes, of what use is It?		Yes
Public use Private institution Other If other, describe Private institution Other If other, describe 60. Do you have any current <u>Bicycle Friendly Businesses</u> in your community? Yes Ves V		No
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<u></u> ✓ N	ational Highway Traffic Safety Administration Law Enforcement Training
c	ompletion of <u>Smart Cycling course</u> by Police
<u></u> Pı	resentation by League Cycling Instructor or local cyclist
☐ Ir	nstitute for Police Training and Development bicycle training
o	ther
N	o training currently offered
* If other, * 66. Wha	describe at enforcement campaigns are targeted at improving cyclist safety?
⊭ H	elmet/light giveaways
⊭ Ta	argeting motorist infractions
⊭ Ta	argeting cyclist infractions
⊭ SI	hare the road campaigns
P 0	ther
☐ N	one of the above
* If other, Bike ro	deos
	you have police department employees on bikes?
,— 	0
,	ves, what percentage of police department employees is on bike?
* 68. Are	there any other public safety (e.g. fire department or EMS) employees on bikes?
Y	es
⊬ N	o
* 68a. If y * 69. Do y	ves, what percentage of safety department employees is on bike? your local ordinances treat bicyclists <u>equitably</u> ? (examples can be found on the <u>BFC resources page</u>).
,—	here are specific penalties for failing to yield to a cyclist when turning. It is illegal to park or drive in a bike lane
	ections excepted)
,—	here are penalties for motor vehicle users that 'door' cyclists
,	here is a ban on cell phone use while driving.
<u> </u>	here is a ban on texting while driving.
⊬ ⊤ı	he community uses photo enforcement for red lights and/or speed
∏ ті	here is a state or local law that requires cyclists to use sidepaths regardless of their usability.
∏ ті	here is a state or local law that requires cyclists to use bike lanes where they are provided.
r c	yclists are required to ride as far to the right of the road as practicable without exceptions listed in <u>Uniform Vehicle Code</u> .
П ті	here is a general restriction on bicyclists riding on the sidewalk.
П Д	here are local or school policies that restrict youths from riding to school.
☐ N	one of the above
A	dditional information on any of the above mentioned ordinances as it pertains to your community.
* If Additi * 70. Are	onal Information, describe there any additional prohibitions or restrictions on cyclists in your community?
	es

r No
* 70a. If yes, describe * 71. Does your community have other programs or policies to enforce safe cycling?
Yes
⊮ No
* 71a. If yes, describe
Evaluation and Planning
* 72. What is the most current journey-to-work data for your community? (this percentage can be found in the <u>U.S. Census or the American</u>
Community Survey) 1.44
* 73. What additional information do you have on bicycle use for your community? N/A * 74. How many cyclict/mater yehicle fatalities have occurred in your community in the pact five years?
* 74. How many cyclist/motor vehicle fatalities have occurred in your community in the past five years? * 75. How many cyclist/motor vehicle crashes have occurred in your community in the past five years?
* 76. Do you have a specific plan or program to reduce these numbers?
Yes
<u>I</u> No
* 76a. If yes, provide the link to the plan or describe. * 77. Does your community have a bicycle plan?
<u>⊮</u> Yes
☐ No
* 77a. When was it passed or most recently updated?
<u>⊮</u> 2010
* 77b. Is there a dedicated funding source for implementation?
Yes
I ✓ No
* 77c. If yes, describe. * 77d. What percentage of the plan has been implemented?
25%
* 77e. Are you meeting annual target goals for implementation?
Yes
⊮ No
* 77f. Provide a link to the plan or describe.
http://lcmpoweb.las-cruces.org/maps/Bicycle%20System%20Priorities%20Plan%20June%202010.pdf
* 78. Do you have a trails master plan that addresses mountain bike access?
<u>r</u> Yes
☐ No
* 78a. If yes, provide the link to the plan or describe. http://lcmpoweb.las-cruces.org/maps/Trail%20System%20Priorities%20Plan%20June%202010.pdf
* 79. Is there <u>formal cooperation</u> between the mountain biking community and the community recreation and planning staff?
Yes
I ✓ No
* 79a. If yes, describe. * 80. Do you have trip reduction ordinances, policies or programs?
Yes
✓ No
* 80a. If yes, describe.
* 81. Have you done an <u>economic impact study</u> on bicycling in your community?
Yes
r ∕ No

* 81a. If yes, describe.
* 82. Do you have a mechanism to ensure facilities, programs and encouragement efforts are implemented in traditionally underserved

communities?
Yes
IV No
* 82a. If yes, describe. * 83. Does your community have other programs or policies to evaluate and/or plan bicycling conditions, programs, and facilities in your community?
Yes
<u>√</u> No
* 83a. If yes, describe.
<u>Final Overview</u>
84. What are the three primary reasons your community deserves to be designated a Bicycle Friendly Community? *84a.
Increased the number of LCIs from one to nine, including 2 MPO staff members. Other City staff have taken Traffic Skills 101 and the City offers LAB classes and other encouragement for staff to commute by bike to work with support of NBM activities for City staff and the community, bike rodeos at parks and schools, and public campaigns to build awareness such as bike route maps, billboards, brochures, t-shirts, PSAs on the City channel.
*84b. The City of Las Cruces is open to exploring solutions to equitable road sharing: example is experimentation with sharrows to determine the optimum use and placement for them. Citizens are becoming more accepting of bicycling particularly when in-road bike facilities are added/improved. *84c.
The City along with community members and the Mesilla Valley Bike Coalition have been able to come together and work on improvements for cyclists, pedestrians and motorists. The adoption of Complete Streets, the appointment of a Sustainability Officer, the formation of the Bicycle Friendly Task Force, and support for such programs as Ciclovia, National Bike Month activities, LAB education, Safe Routes to School, and bike facility improvements displays the citys commitment to establish Las
Cruces as a bike friendly community. 85. What are the three aspects of your community most in need of improvement in order to accommodate bicyclists?
* 85a. Expand well-connected system of in-road facilities signage including campaigns to let people know how to use the facilities.
*85b. More city-organized bicycling education, particularly more publicity to build awareness that cyclists belong on the road following the rules of the road
* 85c. More city-organized bicycling events * 86. Are you planning any new projects based on your completion of the Bicycle Friendly Community application?
r Yes
☐ No
*86a. If yes, describe. Complete review and revision of local bicycling laws Online map of bicycling routes and bike parking locations Continue expansion of in-road bicycle facilities *87. Has completing this application made you more aware of what your community needs to do to be bicycle friendly?
r Yes
☐ No
* 87a. If yes, describe. Expand education and encouragement opportunities, especially through City employee training programs