





# ANNUAL REPORT





# 2017 2018

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# **Municipalities Conference & Trade Show**

The Delaware County Transportation Management Association welcomed Jim Ritzman, PennDOT Deputy Secretary of Planning, as the keynote speaker of the 16th Annual Municipalities Conference & Trade Show: Integrating Transportation Demand Strategies, held April 12, 2018 at Drexelbrook Corporate Events Center in Drexel Hill, PA.

All 49 municipalities in Delaware County were invited to the event. More than 200 municipal managers, elected officials, engineers, road and highway managers, maintenance crews, emergency services personnel, plus environmental, zoning and planning committee members had the opportunity to network and exchange ideas for improving the county's transportation infrastructure.

This year featured two break-out sessions - "Advanced Signal Technologies: What's Working, What's New?" featuring Silvia Scheuermann, PE, Traffic Engineer, Urban Engineers, Inc. and Michael Centi, Traffic Control Specialist, PennDOT. In addition, the LTAP presentation, "Watch Where You Walk: Crosswalk Standards and the ADA," was led by Mark M. Hood, PE, Senior Engineer, Pennoni.

Dozens of vendors were on hand featuring products and services helpful to the attending municipalities and businesses. Exhibitors included engineering companies, financial firms, planning organizations, and transportation businesses.

Also featured, our Community Traffic Safety Program. "Can You Walk the Line?" Participants got a firsthand look at how dangerous impaired driving can be, by wearing the Fatal Vision Goggles, and walking the police line.



SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, April 11

DREXELBROOK CORPORATE EVENTS CENTER

# **EXPECT DELAYS**

# 95

# 95 Construction Getting Closer to **DELGO**

www.dvrpc.org/Commute95

# **I-95 Construction Project**

As the I-95 construction makes its way south, closer to Delaware County, DCTMA is increasing our efforts to help you navigate an easier commute to work. Together, with our partners at **PennDOT**, **DVRPC**, **and SEPTA**, DCTMA has produced a number of videos focusing on alternative transportation options. Our DCTMA-TV production team is busy working on our next video highlighting **DCTMA's Corporate Shuttle Service**. Coming Fall 2018.

www.dctma.org/dctma-tv/







# **Transportation Demand Management (TDM) Strategies**

DCTMA coordinates exceptional TDM solutions to get our members' employees to work safely, on time, and stress-free. Through DCTMA's Corporate Shuttle Program, employees will ride in style on a sleek, clean, and comfortable vehicle equipped with WI-FI, power ports and air conditioning. The cost-effective solution decreases traffic congestion, reduces vehicle emissions, and enhances productivity. Plus, employers save money on parking spot fees, and employees save on personal car expenses. We can customize a shuttle program fitting your professional needs and budget.





## **Annual Awards & Membership Meeting**

This past winter, Governor Wolf announced 35 municipalities in Pennsylvania would receive funding from the Automated Red Light Enforcement (ARLE). The projects will improve traffic safety, promote walking and cycling, enhance mobility, and reduce congestion – all part of DCTMA's mission. We were pleased that five municipalities receiving funding are DCTMA members. During our Annual Awards and Membership Meeting Thursday, June 14th, we presented the Chairman's Award to **Chester City, Concord, Haverford, Ridley, and Springfield Townships.** 

In addition, **Joe Mastronardo**, **Senior Engineer**, **Pennoni Associates**, received the John Pickett Award. He and his company continually promote land use with links to public transportation, ensuring there are accessible pedestrian routes, and that new facilities are transit-friendly. **Penn State Brandywine** accepted the Transportation Advocate Award for its commitment to DCTMA's Bike & Pedestrian Program.



# **Members Only Events**

DCTMA members are treated to our free Members Only Events throughout the year. Our latest behind-the-scenes tour took us to **Monroe energy**, a regional hub of the nation's energy industry based right here in Delaware County. We took a guided shuttle tour through the refinery, and learned about the 100-year history of regional refining.

## **Employment & Career EXPO**

Hundreds of qualified job applicants turned out for the 23rd Annual Employment & Career EXPO, held October 19th at Springfield Country Club. Presented by DCTMA and Delaware County Council, the event is open to all candidates looking for employment in a wide array of industries – health care, senior care, staffing agencies,

financial institutions, education, hospitality, non-profit, transportation, and so much more. EXPO partners also include Pennsylvania CareerLink, the Delaware County Commerce Center, and the Delaware County Chamber of Commerce. The 2017 sponsors included Crozer-Keystone Health System, Delaware County Community College, Goodwill Delaware & Delaware County, Penn State Brandywine, and SEPTA.



# 2018 EMPLOYMENT & CAREER EXPO

# SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, 10/11

SPRINGFIELD COUNTRY CLUB

# **Bike to Work Day**

Cyclists from across Delaware County joined us for the 2018 Bike to Work Day. Our 17th annual event on the Courthouse lawn featured refreshments, raffle prizes, free giveaways, bike commuting information, and helmet-fitting recommendations. DCTMA organizes Bike to Work Day each year to promote commuting by bike as a more eco-friendly way to travel to work. Bike to Work Day is sponsored by **Franklin Mint Federal Credit Union**.





# **High School Seatbelt Challenge**

Sun Valley High School, based in Aston, won DCTMA's 10th Annual High School Seat Belt Challenge. The student drivers showed the highest increase in seat belt usage this year by 12% between the fall and spring semesters. DCTMA presented the school's Student Senate members a \$500 check and special plaque to hang in the school over the next year.



# **Engineering Scholarship**

During the Municipalities Conference, the DCTMA Engineering Committee awarded the 3rd Annual Engineering Scholarship to Myrlie Taylor, a freshman studying Civil Engineering at **Delaware County Community College**. The committee reviewed applicants' essays and transcripts, and felt the Upper Darby teen was most deserving of the \$1,000 scholarship, given her perfect 4.0 GPA and career goals in engineering.

# **SEPTA Key**

The SEPTA Key rollout is in full swing, and the DCT-MA is ensuring all public transportation commuters are on board. We've held events throughout Delaware County, signing up thousands of riders for the new payment technology.



# **Transportation Enhancement Grant**

In line with our Transportation Demand Management mission of promoting alternative transportation, mitigating congestion, and reducing emissions, DCTMA offers an Annual Transportation Enhancement Grant. In 2017, we awarded **Penn State Brandywine** \$1,000 for the installation of new, secure bicycle parking across the campus. Other Enhancement Grant projects may include safe bus shelters, coordinating a carpool program, or creating accessible crosswalks. DCTMA's grant is open to all member companies and municipalities in Delaware County.



#### SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, October 11, 2018

**Employment & Career EXPO** 

Springfield Country Club

Thursday, April 11, 2019

Municipalities Conference & Trade Show

**Drexelbrook Corporate Events Center** 

Friday, May 18, 2019

**Bike to Work Day** 

**Delaware County Courthouse Lawn** 



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# **ADDITIONAL SERVICES**

#### Other programs and services provided by the DCTMA include:

**DCTMAlert** – Traffic Bulletin – a weekly email highlighting news impacting transportation in the county and region.

**SEPTAlert** – Updated schedule changes, delays, etc.

**DCTMA Event Update** – Announcements about upcoming programs and events.

InRoads – Our bi-annual e-newsletter.

**Customized Solutions** – Including corridor and traffic studies, parking management solutions, and English as a Second Language transit information.



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