

City of Lakewood

SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS

2017

COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY AWARD

Lakewood Bicycle Advisory Team



In 2015, a group of bicycle enthusiasts came together to form the Lakewood Bicycle Advisory Team (LBAT) with the goal of improving bicycling conditions in Lakewood. Through community engagement, education and policy advocacy, LBAT has accelerated Lakewood’s journey to becoming a bicycle friendly city and has fostered a strong community of cycling advocates along the way. LBAT has been engaging residents across the city through neighborhood bike rides, hosting the Lakewood Earth Day Celebration bicycle valet station, advocating for extended bicycle paths and teaching bicycle safety courses.

Most recently, LBAT has championed the “Cycling Without Age” initiative, which enables volunteers to provide rides to older adults who are no longer able to ride a bicycle. By promoting bicycle use in Lakewood, LBAT is reducing Lakewood’s carbon footprint, improving community health and advancing the community’s multimodal transportation and sustainability goals.

Achievement Areas

- Climate Change & Adaptation
- Sustainable Transportation

