



WISCONSIN PARTNERS FOR CLEAN AIR

A coalition committed to improving air quality through voluntary actions



Commuter Champion Award Nomination Guidelines

The Wisconsin Partners for Clean Air Commuter Champion Award is given out annually to the business or organization that provides their employees the most extensive commuter choices or benefits. Eligible organizations should offer or promote a variety of commuter programs to their employees that sets them apart from others. Previous winners may apply, but awards will not be granted for any two consecutive years. Applicants with any pending environmental violations are *ineligible* so please check status with your environmental/legal staff or with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources prior to nomination. Complete the checklist below indicating all employee commute activities *and provide a short narrative summary (one page or less)* summarizing your company's actions, which may include employee level of participation. **Return the checklist and the narrative summary to:** Peter McMullen at peter.mcmullen@wisconsin.gov by **March 17, 2017**.

TRANSIT:

- Provide reduced transit fare programs (i.e. Commuter Value Pass or Transit Certificates)
- Participate in pre-tax transit payment program
- Sell transit cards, passes or tickets on-site
- Display transit schedules and information for connecting with job site
- Promote *Try Transit Week*
- Other Transit Option: _____

VEHICLE:

- Promote WisDOT's Rideshare Program
- Provide internal carpool program
- Provide preferential parking for carpoolers
- Charge a parking fee
- Participate in a parking cash-out program (cash payment for giving up parking space)
- Provide shuttle service to/from remote work sites/lots
- Promote *Car Free* or *Dump the Pump Days*
- Provide electric vehicle charging station
- Other Vehicle Option: _____

BIKE/WALK:

- Provide bike racks or storage facilities
- Provide lockers or shower facilities
- Provide bike pumps or repair facilities
- Organize walk or bike groups for commuting
- Provide walk or bike maps
- Promote or participate in *Bike to Work Week*
- Provide coupons or discounts on equipment for bicyclists or walkers
- Other Bike/Walk Option: _____

OTHER:

- Provide guaranty or emergency ride home (through transit agency, WisDOT, or internal)
- Provide rewards or incentives to encourage use of alternative commutes (i.e. prizes)
- Offer compressed work week, flex, or telecommute schedule
- Appoint a designated Employee Transportation Coordinator for promoting/managing commuter benefits
- Participate in a Walk-to-Work Program that assists home-buying near work site or transit locations
- Host Transportation (other) Fairs promoting alternative modes of transportation
- Provide on-site amenities (e.g. dry cleaning, food, convenience store, etc.)
- Other (other) Option: _____

Company Name: _____ Contact: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____