

Fairfax County Capital Bikeshare Update

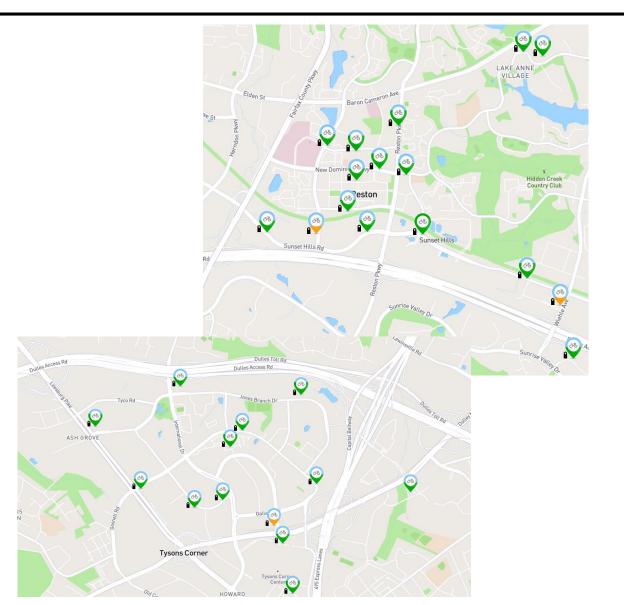
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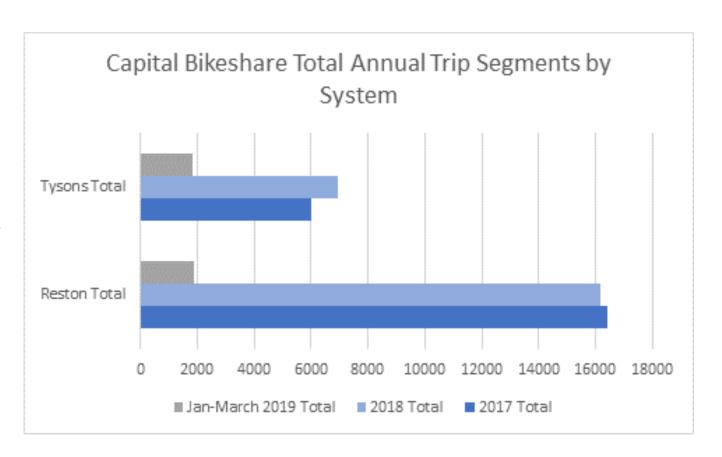
Current Bikeshare System Results / Highlights

- Capital Bikeshare launched on October 21, 2016 with 17 stations (nine in Reston and eight in Tysons)
- Today, there are 30 stations (16 in Reston, 13 in Tysons and one at West Falls Church Metrorail Station)

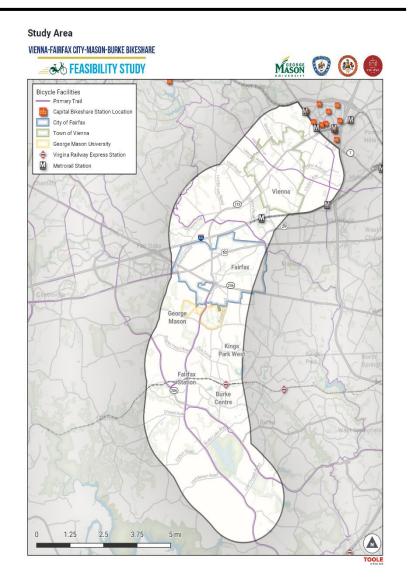


Current Bikeshare System Results / Highlights

- 23,129 trip segments were recorded in Fairfax County in 2018
- Bikeshare use in Fairfax
 County has increased by
 3.3% since 2017
- Strong growth in local trips not to/from Metro in Reston



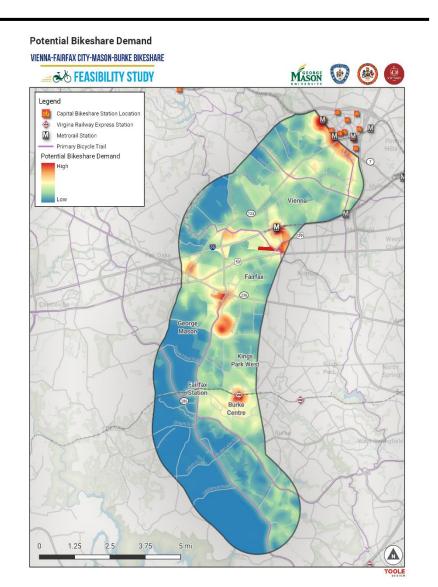
- Collaborative effort by the City of Fairfax, Town of Vienna, County of Fairfax, and George Mason University
- Scope: To determine the feasibility of a bikeshare program in the Route 123 Corridor between Tysons and Burke
- Consultant: Toole Design
- Completed: March 2019



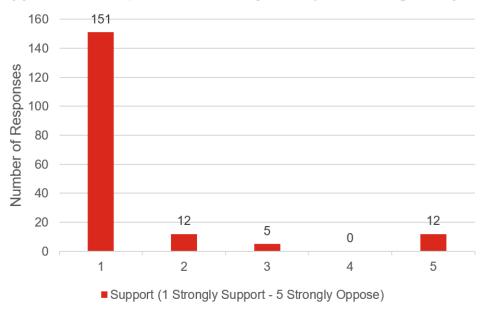
 Study considered docked bikeshare, dockless bikeshare, e-bikes, and escooters



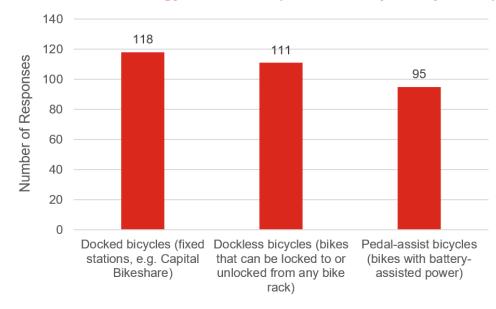
- Suitability analysis was performed to determine where bikeshare would be most successful
- Factors include:
 - community feedback
 - population and employment density
 - community and visitor attractions
 - transit and regional transportation
 - existing bike infrastructure
 - factors that reflect equity
 - topography



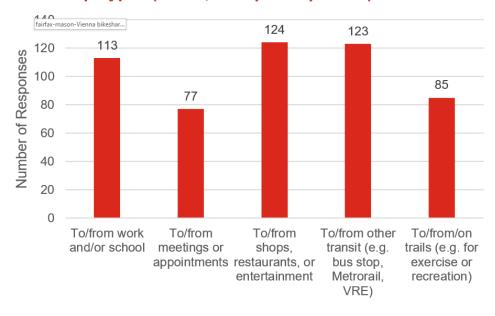
Support for Bikeshare in the Study Area (n=180, single response)



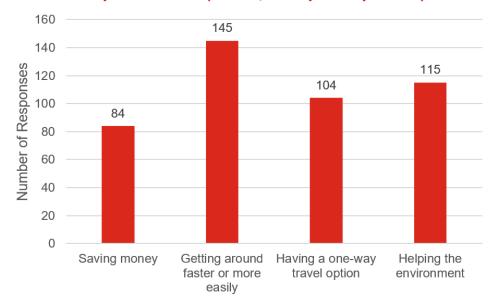
Bikeshare Technology Preference (n=324, multiple responses)



Desired Trip Types (n=522, multiple responses)



Bikeshare Trip Motivation (n=448, multiple responses)

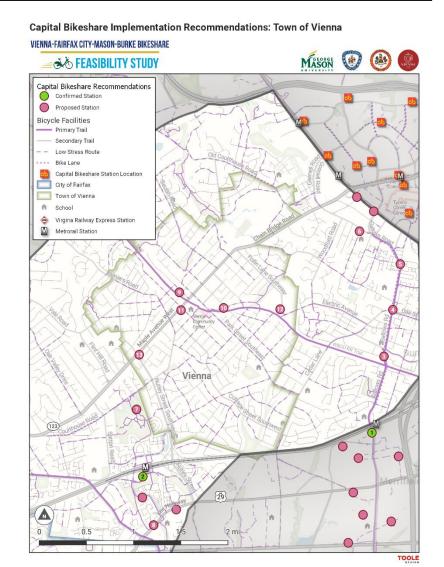


Recommendations:

- Expand Capital Bikeshare system into most of the study area and consider the establishment of dockless bikeshare at future date
- Dockless bikeshare could provide a better opportunity to cover lower density areas with more dispersed destinations
- Longer distances between destinations and topography bring a strong desire to electrify the fleet with e-bikes and e-scooters.
- Don't expand to Burke Centre at this time

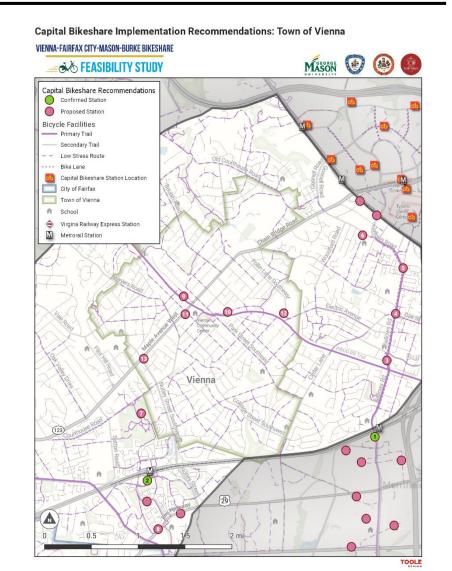
Fairfax County recommendations:

- Dunn Loring Merrifield Metrorail
 Station
- Vienna/Fairfax GMU Metrorail
 Station
- Gallows Road Corridor
- Nottoway Park
- Circle Towers



Town of Vienna recommendations:

- Town Green
- Community Center
- Maple Avenue Shopping Center
- Navy Federal Credit Union
- 444 Maple Ave W (redevelopment project)



Next Steps:

- Town of Vienna, City of Fairfax and George Mason University seeking funding to purchase Capital Bikeshare Stations
- Fairfax County is in the process of expanding Capital Bikeshare in study area with existing funding from I-66 Commuter Choice
 Program and federal Transportation Alternatives Program
 - South of Vienna/Fairfax-GMU Metrorail Station
 - Along Gallows Road between I-66 and Tysons

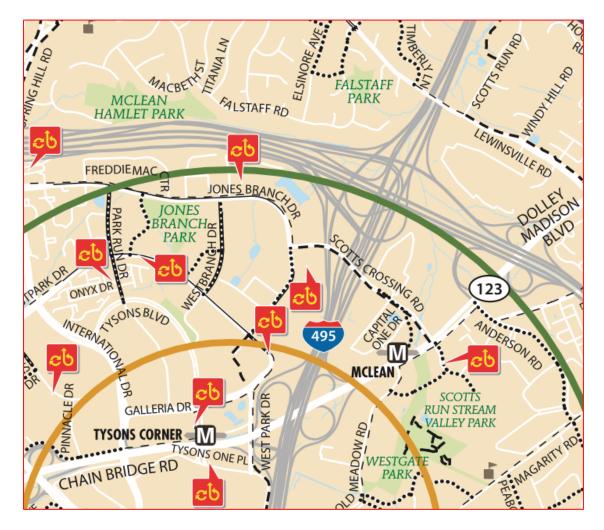
City of Falls Church Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- Launch: May 13, 2019
- FCDOT installed Capital Bikeshare station at West Falls Church Metrorail Station on May 8, 2019
- City of Falls Church launches Capital Bikeshare system with 11 stations on May 13, 2019



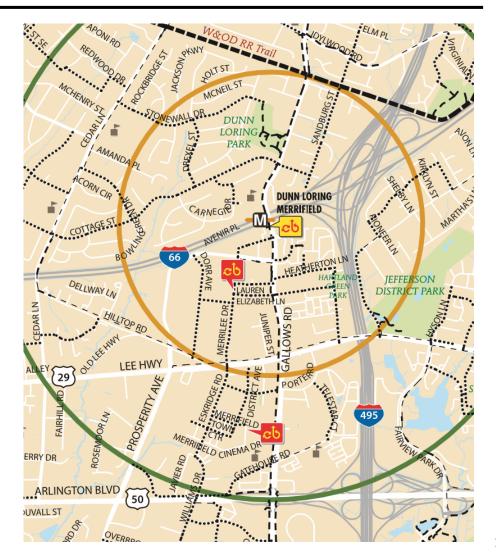
Tysons Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- FCDOT installed Capital Bikeshare station at McLean Metrorail Station in December 2018 with Jones Branch Connector Bridge access to network
- Next Station: May 17, 2019 at Hilton Headquarters, Jones Branch Drive at Scotts Crossing Road



Merrifield Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- Launch: May 22, 2019
- Station Locations:
 - Dunn Loring-Merrifield
 Metrorail Station
 - Halstead Square Dunn Loring Metro Apartments - Merrilee Drive at Lauren Elizabeth Lane
 - Mosaic District Merrifield Cinema Drive at Merrifield Town Center



Future Vienna South Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- Funded by I-66 Commuter Choice Program
- Estimated launch: Spring 2020
- Four stations
- Confirmed location: Vienna/Fairfax-GMU Metrorail Station (south entrance)
- Proposed locations: Vaden Drive, Lee Highway corridor

Future Merrifield Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- Funded by I-66 Commuter Choice Program
- Estimate launch: Spring 2020
- Six stations
- Confirmed location: Eskridge Road at Lee Highway (Proffer)
- Proposed locations: Dorr Avenue, Gatehouse Road corridor, Hartland Road and Fairfax Hospital campus

Future Reston Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- Funded by federal Transportation Alternatives Program
- Estimated launch: Spring 2020
- 10 stations
- Proposed locations:
 - Baron Cameron Avenue
 - North Shore Drive corridor
 - South Lakes Drive corridor
 - Glade Drive corridor
 - Reston Community Center (Hunters Woods)

Future Providence Capital Bikeshare Expansion

- Funded by federal Transportation Alternatives Program
- Estimated launch: Summer 2020
- 17 stations
- Proposed locations:
 - Westgate/Magarity Road/Old Meadow Road
 - Route 7 corridor between Tysons and City of Falls Church
 - Gallows Road corridor between Tysons and Merrifield
 - Route 29 corridor between Merrifield and the City of Falls Church

Next Steps

- Securing private, local and federal funding for additional expansions
 - Richmond Highway Corridor/Huntington/Mount Vernon Trail
 - Springfield
 - Reston and Herndon Transit Station Areas
 - McLean
 - Fair Oaks Fairfax Corner Government Center
 - Seven Corners
 - Bailey's Crossroads
 - Annandale

Questions