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Seaport TMA Awarded the *Active Commuting Award* by the Association for Commuter Transportation for Bike Seaport

Boston, MA – Seaport TMA was awarded the *Active Commuting Award* by the Association for Commuter Transportation (ACT), which recognizes and honors outstanding achievements in the use of Transportation Demand Management (TDM) strategies to improve transportation options for commuters.

For this year's 36th Annual International Conference, over 80 nominations were received for 11 awards. The awards were presented on the final day of the conference on August, 3, 2022.

Bike Seaport is a free, weekly bike tune-up series offered by Seaport TMA, cosponsored by WS Development and Amazon, and performed by mechanics from a local bike shop and co-op, Landry's Bicycles. Bike Seaport entered its 5th season on April 13 and has grown each year. In addition to the free service, we give out free bike safety gear, including lights, reflectors, seat covers, and more, as well as a free bagel and coffee from a local bagel shop.

"We are so honored to have the opportunity to recognize the hard work of this year's nominees," said David Straus, ACT Executive Director. "We're proud of the work that you've accomplished and look forward to continued success in TDM and as always, congratulations."

"We are thrilled that ACT has chosen to recognize our Bike Seaport program. We take great pride in offering hundreds of free bicycle checkups to cyclists from neighborhoods across the City of Boston, all in an effort to promote cycling as a fun, safe, and sustainable way to commute. This program wouldn't be possible without support from our partners and sponsors at WS Development and Amazon, who both share our commitment to expanding sustainable commuting options in Boston" Pat Sullivan, Executive Director of Seaport TMA.

View a full list of ACT's 2022 National Awards recipients online at: actweb.org/2022-national-awards

About Seaport TMA: Seaport TMA offers transportation programs and advocates for transportation projects and policies that help keep the Seaport moving and thriving as an extraordinary place to live, work, play, and visit.

About ACT:

With a vision of a better journey for everyone, the Association for Commuter Transportation strives to get the most out of our transportation systems by advancing Transportation Demand Management (TDM) programs and policies. ACT's members represent major employers, universities/colleges, hospitals, state departments of transportation, municipalities, metropolitan planning organizations, transportation management association, transportation providers, and regional rideshare programs.

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