



Walk Bike Glendale works to make Glendale a place where everyone feels safe to walk and bike. Walking and bicycling are great ways to improve our health, improve the environment, reduce congestion, and to have fun in the Jewel City.

At Walk Bike Glendale we:

- Advocate for vibrant and safe places to walk and bike by implementing the Safe and Healthy Streets Plan and the Bicycle Transportation Plan.
- Promote walking and bicycling as fun and sustainable alternatives to driving by hosting events.
- Educate to increase safety on our streets by teaching adult and youth educational classes and distributing educational materials to the public.
- Inspire the community to get involved and make a difference through outreach and partnering with other organizations.

Why walking and bicycling matter:

- Cities that are walkable and bikeable have higher property values and increased sales tax revenue.
- People who walk and bicycle spend more money in their local communities.
- Bicycle and pedestrian projects create more jobs per million dollars spent.
- 17% of adults and 18% of children in Glendale are chronically obese.
- There are approximately 395 deaths each year in Glendale due to diabetes, stroke, and coronary heart disease.
- 29 percent of households in Glendale have 1 or fewer vehicles available.

Why advocacy:

- Each year over 100 pedestrians and 50 bicyclists are injured or killed on Glendale streets (38% of fatalities and 16% of injuries).
- Glendale continues to rank 1st in CA for pedestrian collisions involving a senior citizen (over 65).
- 19% of all trips in Los Angeles County are accomplished by walking and bicycling.
- 36% of school children walk or bicycle to school in Los Angeles County.
- Less than 1% of transportation dollars in Los Angeles County are spent on bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure projects.