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#### **WELCOME TO NEW ORLEANS!**





Imani Johnson Conference Co-chair City of Durham

On behalf of the 2025 Planning Committee, we are delighted to welcome you to ACT's 39th Annual International Conference in New Orleans, Louisiana, the birthplace of jazz. As they say in NOLA, "Laissez les bons temps rouler" (Let the Good Times Roll)! We're thrilled to have you join us for a week of fostering new connections, comparing stories of impact, and centering excellence in the TDM Industry. Whether you're attending for the first time or are a seasoned ACT veteran, we recognize and thank you for your unwavering dedication to keep communities moving safely and sustainably during today's evolving landscape. We hope our time together this year reminds you of the vital impact of TDM through impactful workshops, dynamic sessions, and cultural tours around the Big Easy.



Shontay Rose-Bell Conference Co-chair

This year's conference program brings together subject matter experts from transportation agencies and organizations worldwide. The opportunity to network, re-engage, bounce ideas, and learn from the best of the best in the TDM industry is immeasurable.

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Stacy Newcomer Conference Co-chair

We express our utmost gratitude to the masterminds who made this event possible. To Casey Murphy, ACT's Senior Director of Events, and ACT's dedicated staff, thank you for helping us bring our visions to life in every endeavor to make this year ACT's best year yet! The success of this year would not have been possible without all the devoted volunteers who served on the Conference Planning Committee and provided their time, talent, and treasure throughout this year. We are grateful to all the sponsors highlighted in this program for giving copious financial support to ensure our time in New Orleans is one for the books and investing in a brighter, more connected future.



Tim Phelps Conference Co-chair TMACC

We hope your time here in New Orleans enriches you in culture, cuisine, and competence to improve the TDM industry. As you explore this multi-modal city of New Orleans, remember the F.R.O.G.: F for ferry boats, R for riding on the streetcar, O for operating the bus schedule, and G for getting there on foot. Whatever mode you choose, we're happy to have you here at the 39th ACT International Conference!

#### Laissez Les Bons Temps Rouler!

Imani Johnson, Shontay Rose-Bell, Stacy Newcomer, and Tim Phelps Conference Committee Co-Chairs

#### **PLANNING COMMITTEE**

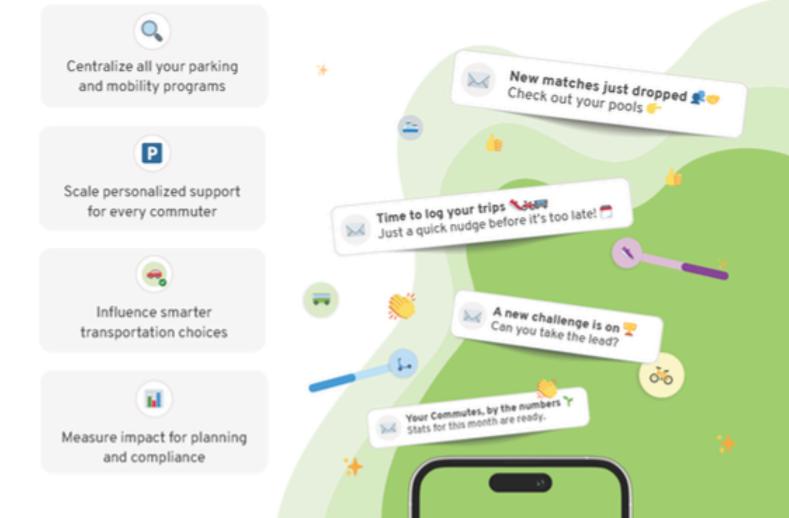
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#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

MONDAY, AUGUST 4

#### Keynote Panel: Resilience in Motion: Advancing Transportation for a Stronger New Orleans

#### Featuring:

- Lona Hankins, CEO, New Orleans Regional Transit Authority
- **Greg Nichols**, Deputy Chief Resilience Officer, Office of Resilience & Sustainability, City of New Orleans
- Camille Manning-Broome, CEO, Center for Planning Excellence
- Moderator: Ian Todreas, US Head of Sustainability Solutions, SLR

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 5

#### **Shailen Bhatt**

Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer (United States, Latin America, and Minerals & Metals), AtkinsRéalis



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#### Sunday, August 3

8:30 a.m. - 7 p.m. **Registration Open** 

Grand Reg (5th Floor)

8:30 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Tours

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. **Grant Writing for Beginners: Tailored to the TDM Industry** 

Nottoway (4th Floor) \*Workshop pre-registration required

From Aspiration to Certification: Preparing for the TDM-CP Exam

Oak Alley (4th Floor) \*Workshop pre-registration required

Shaping Public Perception: Strategic Media Engagement in TDM 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Oak Alley (4th Floor) \*Workshop pre-registration required

**Volunteer Leaders Workshop** 

Nottoway (4th Floor) \*Workshop pre-registration required

**Future of Disbanded TRB TDM Committee Meeting** 3 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Edgewood A&B (4th Floor)

4 p.m. - 5 p.m. **Finance Committee Meeting** 

Oak Alley (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

5 p.m. - 6 p.m. President's Reception (invite only)

Waterbury (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor)

**Opening Reception/Masquerade Ball** 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Grand Ballroom C-E (5th Floor)

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#### **Monday, August 4**

**Registration Open** 7:45 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Grand Reg (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Networking Breakfast & Exhibit Hall** 8 a.m. - 9 a.m.

Grand Ballroom A-E

**ACT Carpool Summit - Organizational Meeting Carpool Council** 8:15 a.m. - 9 a.m.

and the Public Policy Committee

Grand Chenier (5th Floor)

9 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Monday Morning Welcome and Keynote - Resilience in Motion:

**Advancing Transportation for a Stronger New Orleans** 

Grand Ballroom C-E (5th Floor)

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10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. **Networking Break with Refreshments in Exhibit Hall** 

Grand Ballroom A-B (5th Floor)

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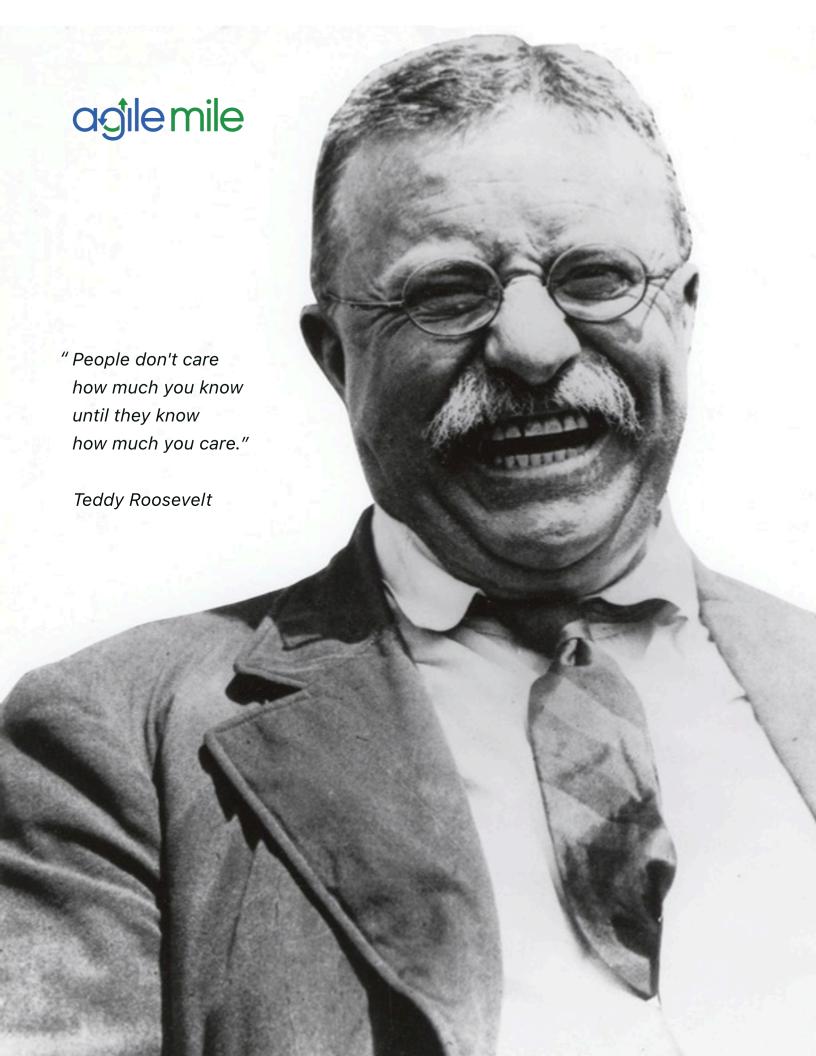
10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. **Tech-Driven Travel: Unlocking Smarter Systems for Tomorrow's** 

**Mobility** 

Nottoway (4th Floor)

Grand Chenier room sponsored by: **awnt** 

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#### Monday, August 4 (cont.)

10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. Count Me In: Innovations in Vehicle Occupancy Verification

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Stadium and Megaevent Mobility Playbooks** 

Bayside A&B (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

New Predictive Methodologies for Quantifying the Impacts of TDM

**Strategies and Sample Applications** 

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

Designing, Implementing & Managing TDM Ordinances: Lessons from the

**Across the Country** 

Grand Chenier (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Data-Driven Strategies to Expand Transportation Access** 

Bayside C (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

12 pm. - 1 p.m. Networking Lunch with Exhibitors

Grand Ballroom A-E (5th Floor)

**Chapter/Council/Committee Leaders Luncheon (Invite only)** 

Borgne (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)

1:10 p.m. - 2:10 p.m. Peer to Peer Networking Roundtables!

Bayside C (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**On-Demand Innovation: Exploring Microtransit Pilot Initiatives** 

Grand Chenier (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Micromobility at Work: Transforming Campus Transportation and

**Driving Corporate Sustainability** 

Grand Couteau (5th Floor)

Navigating Pre-Tax and Post-Tax Regulations for an Effective Commuter

**Program** 

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

TDM for Life: Building TDM Practices for Multigenerational Communities

Nottoway (4th Floor)

**Doing What Works: Leveraging Policy to Measure Behavior Change** 

Bayside A&B (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

2:10 p.m. - 2:20 p.m. Break

2:20 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. Beyond City Limits: Tailoring TDM for Suburban and Rural Success

Grand Chenier (5th Floor)

**Commuting Reimagined: Unveiling Employers' Most Innovative** 

**Solutions** 

Grand Couteau (5th Floor)

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#### Monday, August 4 (cont.)

2:20 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.

**Innovations in Vanpooling** 

Nottoway (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Whose TMA Is It Anyway?

Oak Alley (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Smart Moves: TDM Solutions for Hospitals and Campuses** 

Bayside A&B (4th Floor)

Federal Policy Fast Forward: What the next year will bring for TDM

Policy at the Federal Level

Bayside C (4th Floor)

3:20 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Afternoon Break: Scoop from Scoop in the Exhibit Hall

Grand Ballroom A-B (5th Floor)

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3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

**Higher Education Council Meeting** 

Grand Chenier (5th Floor)

TMA/TMO Council Meeting

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

**Technology & Innovation Council** 

Meeting

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Transit Council Meeting

Bayside A&B (4th Floor)

**Micromobility Council Meeting** 

Nottoway (4th Floor)

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

**Cascade Chapter Meeting** 

Bayside C (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Patriot Chapter Meeting** 

Estherwood (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Chesapeake Chapter Meeting** 

Nottoway (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Red River Chapter Meeting** 

Southdown (4th Floor)

**Mid-Atlantic Chapter Meeting** 

Bayside A&B (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Rocky Mountain Chapter Meeting** 

Edgewood A&B (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Midwest Chapter Meeting** 

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

SEACT Chapter Meeting

Grand Chenier (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Northern California Chapter Meeting** 

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Valley of the Sun Chapter Meeting

Oakley (4th Floor)

**Southern California Chapter Meeting** 

Gallier A&B (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

**Exhibitors Reception** 

Grand Ballroom A-B (5th Floor)

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#### Tuesday, August 5

7:30 a.m. - 8 a.m. Morning Wellness Walk

Sheraton Hotel Lobby

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7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m. Registration Open

Grand Reg (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. Networking Breakfast & Exhibit Hall

Grand Ballroom A-E (5th Floor)

8:45 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. ACT Annual Meeting

Grand Ballroom C-E (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Annual Meeting/Community Sponsor sponsored by: Qoile mile

9:15 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Networking Break with Refreshments in Exhibit Hall

Grand Ballroom A-B (5th Floor)

9:45 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Mobility and the Modern Workplace: Best Practices for Enabling Commuter

**Mode Shift** 

Grand Chenier (5th Floor)

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**Universal Basic Mobility as a TDM Strategy** 

Nottoway (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

TDM as Resilience: How TDM programs are Essential for Construction and

**Unplanned Closures** 

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Pooling Together: Marketing Strategies for Car, Van, and School Ridesharing

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

Various Approaches To The Evolving Role Of Bikes In TDM

Bayside A&B (4th Floor)

The Road Ahead: Navigating Transportation Alternatives in Tough Terrain

Bayside C (4th Floor)

11 a.m. - 11:10 a.m. Break

11 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. A Traffic Engineer and TDM Expert Walk Into a Bar

Grand Chenier (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Pedaling Progress: How Bentonville and Walmart Are Transforming** 

Micromobility

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Social Mobility: Advancing Health and Economic Opportunity through

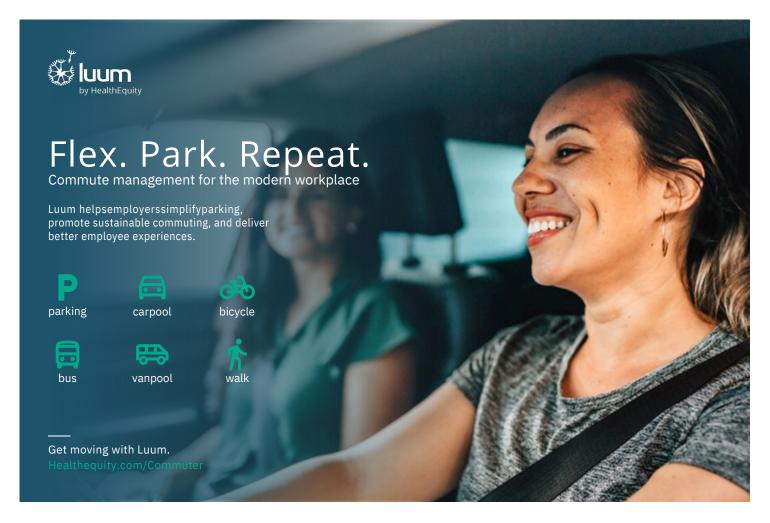
Transportation

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

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#### Tuesday, August 5 (cont.)

11 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. TDM Collaboration Between State DOTs and MPOs - Early Initiatives

Nottoway (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Integrating TDM into Special Event Planning** 

Bayside A&B (4th Floor)

Managing Supply, Minimizing Cost: Quantifying TDM to Right-Size Parking

Bayside C (4th Floor)

12:10 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. Lunch & Exhibit Hall

Based on your selected option when registering, you will have received a gift card for lunch off-site or a ticket for

lunch at the hotel.

12:10 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. TDM-CP & TDM-AO Luncheon (Invite Only)

Borgne (3rd Floor)

1:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Out of Gas? Refuel Your TDM Efforts through Recognition Programs

Grand Chenier (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Leveraging Behavioral Science and Incentives to Transform Commuter Behavior

Grand Couteau (5th Floor)

**TDM Strategies for Essential Employees: Transforming Airport Access and** 

**Equity** 

Oak Alley (4th Floor)

Al in Action: How TDM Leaders Can Leverage Artificial Intelligence

Nottoway (4th Floor)

Powering Campuses: Electric Fleets, E-Mobility, and EV Infrastructure for TDM

Bayside A&B (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Life in the Bike Lane: Hosting employer bike workshops 101

Bayside C (4th Floor)

3:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Afternoon Keynote Presentation - Shailen Bhatt

Grand Ballroom C-E (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

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4:45 p.m. - 5 p.m. Networking Break with Refreshments in Exhibit Hall

Grand Ballroom C-E (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

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**5 p.m. - 6 p.m.** Vanpool Council Meeting Grand Chenier (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Shuttle Council Meeting** 

Oak Alley (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Marketing & Communications

**Council Meeting** 

Carpool Council Meeting
Bayside C (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Employer Council Meeting** 

Nottoway (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

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#### Wednesday, August 6

Registration 8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Grand Reg (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Networking Breakfast & Exhibit Hall** 8 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Grand Ballroom A-E (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**ACT National Awards & 2026 Conference Announcement** 8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

Grand Ballroom C-E (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

Fostering Active Transportation Programs Through the Use of 10 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

**Ambassadors** 

Grand Chenier (5th Floor)

**Easing RTO by Enhancing Support for Commuter Benefits** 

Grand Couteau (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)

**Fare-Free Transit: Evaluating Success and Suitability** 

Nottoway (4th Floor)

**Tours** 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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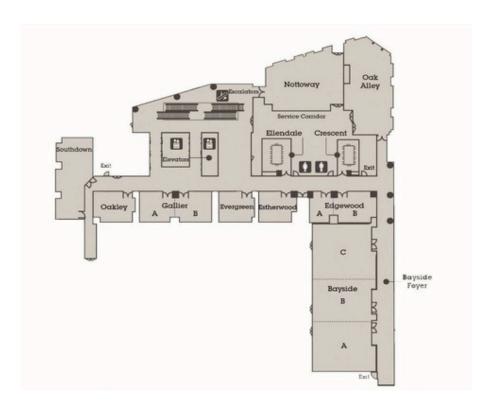


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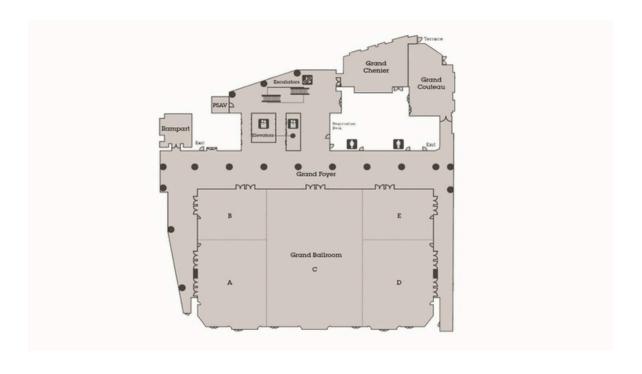


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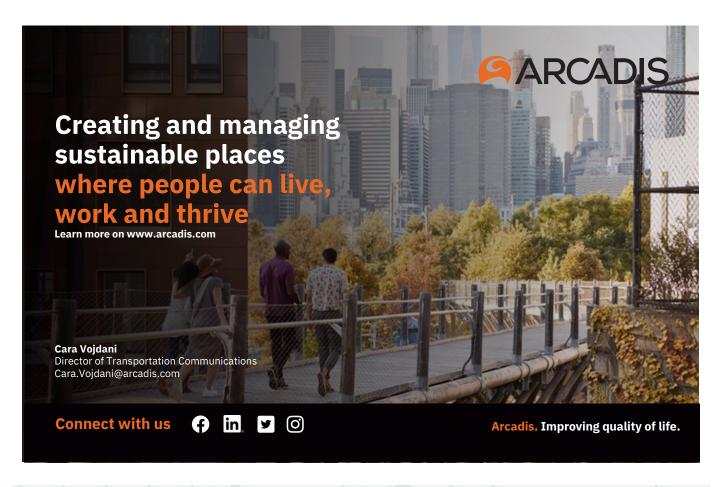
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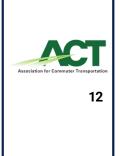












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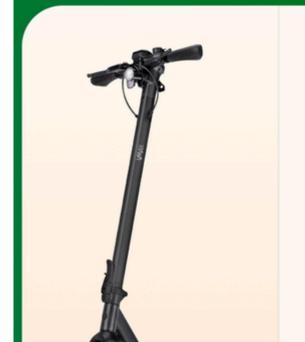
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Mon. Aug. 4

Breakfast, Lunch & Breaks Visit WeDriveU in the Exhibit Hall

3:45 - 4:45 PM Transit Council Meeting (Bayside A&B 4th FI)

6:00 - 7:00 PM Exhibitor Reception Tues. Aug. 5

7:30 - 8:00 AM (pre-registration required)
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5:00 - 6:00 PM Shuttle Council Meeting (Oak Alley 4th Floor)







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