

Stationless Bike Share Program -Permit & Transportation Code Update

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Stationless Bikeshare Pilot

- Jan 2018-July 2019
- JUMP stationless, lock-to, eBikes
- 500 bikes in SFMTA jurisdiction
- 50 bikes in Presidio jurisdiction





Lock-To Lessons Learned

- Better accessibility
- Reduces theft and vandalism
- Increases bike rack demand



- Recommendations:
 - Require lock-to devices
 - Institute a bike rack fee based on fleet size



Distribution Lessons Learned

- 3 bikes/mi² hard to enforce
- 20% in Communities of Concern
- too broad
- Rebalancing challenges



- Recommendations:
 - Revise Communities of Concern and bike density requirements
 - Neighborhood-based service distribution
 - Minimum requirements in outer areas

Public Engagement Lessons

- Community Based Organizations partnership undefined Memorandum of Understanding process
- More Programming Needed
- User accountability challenges

- Recommendations:
 - Require Partner-ready programs
 - Arts/Culture, Safety education, Low-income, Local hire, Small business promotion
 - Set low-income membership participation targets
 - Archive, report and track all feedback/response









Hardware Lessons Learned

- Device Model Change with Complications
 - People like eBikes
 - Cable lock difficulties
 - Battery Depletion \rightarrow Geolocation Loss





- Recommendations:
 - Require sample vehicles be provided to SFMTA prior to full fleet adoption.



Data Policy Lessons Learned

- Established national data standard
 - i.e. Mobility Data Specification (MDS)
- Long data-sharing test-phase
- More robust privacy policy



- Recommendations:
 - Adopt MDS and Scootershare privacy policy
 - Require feed prior to permitting

Summary of Transportation Code Changes

Establish authority to require the following:

- Lock-to stationless bikes
- Improved general and equity-based distribution metrics
- Partner-ready outreach programming
- shared archives for public feedback/response
- Any new devices be vetted by MTA staff
- MDS and data-sharing prior to permit
- Better fee schedules, including separate application and permit fees

