

The TRB Committee on **Transportation Issues in Major U.S. Cities (ABE30)**, with co-sponsorship by the TRB Committee on **Pedestrians (ANF10)** and the TRB Committee on **Bicycle Transportation (ANF20)**, invites papers on:

Doing More with Less: Improving Transportation on a Shoestring Budget

Description:

Cities across the country are currently faced with the need to increase transportation services to growing populations with both land and financial resources running scarce. Many cities are meeting this challenge – not through expanding highway capacity or building new transit lines – but through innovative and incremental methods of increasing the efficiency of existing transportation resources. We are soliciting papers that exemplify approaches to capitalizing on existing transportation infrastructure in major U.S. cities including, but not restricted to, the following subject areas:

- Temporary projects demonstrating feasibility of innovative changes;
- Increasing the efficiency of existing transportation infrastructure;
- Enhancing on-street environments for pedestrians and bicyclists;
- Growing off-street bicycle facilities through ordinances that require employers, landlords, and/ or developers to provide bicycle parking and changing rooms;
- Bike sharing systems;
- Programmatic enhancements such as bicycle and pedestrian awareness education for automobile drivers or bicycle rider safety courses; and
- Incorporation of infrastructure resilience programs.

Paper Submission Due Date: August 1, 2013

Selected Papers will be Asked to Present at TRB's 2014 Annual Meeting, January 12-16, 2014

This Paper Call can also be viewed online at:

<http://pressamp.trb.org/CallForPapers/CFPDetail.asp?cid=1746>

Please submit all papers at:

<http://pressamp.trb.org/submissions/default.asp?event=756>

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