

Wapehani
MOUNTAIN
BIKE PARK

Road in southwestern Bloomington. The park contains approximately 5 miles of easy, intermediate, and expert level mountain bike trails. For trail updates and closures please see the information sign located at the park trailhead.

3401 W. Wapehani Rd.

HAZARDS
& EMERGENCIES

01

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY

Call **9-1-1** or tell someone else to call for you

02

IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN A CRASH

>> Call **9-1-1** or tell someone else to call for you

>> If you are in pain, stay put. Moving yourself or someone who is injured could cause even more injury.

>> If your crash involves a car, make sure you get (1) the driver's name and contact info (2) license plate number (3) insurance info

>> Get an incident report number from the police officer at the scene

03

REPORT A ROAD HAZARD OR CLOSE CALL INCIDENT

Visit bloomington.in.gov/report to report close calls, potholes, glass, and other dangerous conditions.

HOW
to REGISTER
your BIKE

Registering your bike can assist you in recovering your bike if it's stolen. Register your bike through Indiana University for \$10 at the Parking Operations Office located in the Henderson Parking Garage, 301 S. Indiana Ave., or FREE through the City of Bloomington Controllers Office, 401 N. Morton St., Suite 240.

LOVE
your
BIKE?

01

U-Locks are best, followed by heavy-duty cable/key locks

02

Securely lock both wheels and frame to a bike rack, at the very least lock your front wheel

03

Lock your bike where a thief is more apt to be noticed, ie: a busy intersection

04

Bicycles that are registered have a much greater chance of being returned

BIKING
at NIGHT

If drivers can see you, they are less likely to hit you. Visibility is key. Wear bright blinking lights and try to wear reflective clothing.

BIKE
& RIDE

Every Bloomington Transit bus has a bike rack that carries up to two bicycles at no additional charge. Simply flip the rack down, load your bike and secure the front wheel with the support arm. Board the bus and enjoy the ride!

PASS
BUSES
on the Left

Bus drivers have blind spots to their rear and right. Pass on the left so you don't get squeezed against the curb if the bus is pulling over or turning right.

CITY OF BLOOMINGTON

*SEE OTHER SIDE FOR COUNTY DETAIL

Signed Bike Routes

>> signs indicate a preferred route

Multi-use Paths

>> closed to motor vehicles

Bike Lanes

>> designated road space for bicycles

Shared Lanes

>> markings indicate where to ride

Neighborhood Greenway

>> low stress routes; connect multiple facilities

Trails

Bicycle Underpass/Overpass

Bicycle Shops

City of Bloomington Parks

Trailheads

Schools

Swimming Pools

0 1/4 1/2 3/4 1

mile

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CYCLIST TIME / DISTANCE SCALE

Depending on your pace, 5 minutes of uninterrupted cycling will yield the following average trip distances:

>> If you travel at a leisurely 10 mph pace, you will travel 0.8 miles

>> If you travel at a medium 15 mph pace, you will travel 1.25 miles

>> If you travel at a quick 20 mph pace, you will travel 1.7 miles

BIKE SHOPS

>> BIKESMITHS BICYCLE SHOP

112 S. College Ave.

Bloomington, IN 47404

812-339-9970

>> BLOOMINGTON COMMUNITY BIKE PROJECT

A volunteer non-profit organization that reuses bike parts and provides tools to fix your own bike.

214 N Madison St.

Bloomington, IN 47404

Also located at Grimes Ln. and the B-Line Trail

>> BICYCLE DOCTOR

8551 W. Gardner Rd.

Bloomington, IN 47403

812-825-5050

>> BICYCLE GARAGE, INC.

507 E. Kirkwood Ave.

Bloomington, IN 47408

812-339-3457

>> REVOLUTION BIKE AND BEAN

401 E. 10th St.

Bloomington, IN 47408

812-336-0241

>> SALT CREEK CYCLES

4001 E. 3rd St. #6

Bloomington, IN 47401

812-334-2453

the MONTH of MAY is

Bloomington BIKES MONTH

www.bloomington.in.gov/bike

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BIKE
FRIENDLY
America

An initiative of the League of American Bicyclists, the Bicycle Friendly America program is "a tool for states, communities, businesses and universities to make bicycling a real transportation and recreation option for all people" Bloomington was the first League designated Bicycle Friendly Community in Indiana and is proud to be recognized as a Gold rated community.

The following local organizations have also been recognized by the League through the Bicycle Friendly America program:

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BLOOMINGTON / MONROE COUNTY
BICYCLE MAP

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A COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON AND MONROE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENTS
ADDITIONAL GRANT FUNDING PROVIDED BY THE INDIANA GREENWAYS FOUNDATION
AND THE BLOOMINGTON BICYCLE CLUB

BIKE
TIPS

Respect Pedestrians

Give pedestrians plenty of space and let them know you're near with your voice or a ring of your bell.

Walk Right, Pass Left

Pass others, going your direction, on their left. Common courtesy calls for providing ample space when passing pedestrians, especially for kids and pets who can often be unpredictable.

Use Hand Signals

Your movement affects other drivers. Let them know what you intend to do. Signal as a manner of self-protection and courtesy.

Walk Bikes on the Sidewalk, Ride Bikes on the Street

Walking your bike keeps your sidewalks clear for safe and comfortable walking.

Scan the Road

Scan behind you to check for other vehicles prior to changing lanes. Scan the road ahead for pedestrians, hazards, car doors, and zombies.

Negotiate with Drivers

Communicate with drivers as a manner of safety. Signal and make eye contact with them. Assume they don't see you until they make eye contact with you.

Use Caution at Intersections

The majority of crashes happen at intersections. Make sure you are visible, signal your intentions, be prepared to stop, and proceed with caution.

Be Aware of Car Doors

Motorists can unexpectedly open doors, so be especially careful if you see someone in a car. It's best to ride a car door's width away from parked cars. Take extra space in the lane if you need to.

Ride Straight

Don't dodge between parked cars. Ride in a straight line. Pass on the left and watch for cars entering the roadway from driveways and alleys.

Watch for Right Turns

Scanning the road ahead and taking the lane will keep you in a safe position. Stay behind traffic at intersections in case other vehicles turn right with no warning.

See and Be Seen

For safety and courtesy, use lights at night. The law requires the use of a white front light visible from at least 500 feet away and a rear red light visible from 500 feet away.

Ride Single File

State law says bicyclists may not ride more than two abreast except on paths or parts of roadways set aside for the exclusive use of bicycles. Riding single file when being passed is courteous to other road users.

