

WHO WE ARE

Commuting Solutions is dedicated to delivering innovative transportation options that connect commuters to their workplaces, businesses to their employees and residents to their communities.

We advocate for infrastructure and transportation improvements, create essential partnerships and educate citizens. Our work is to provide progressive, flexible and sustainable transportation solutions that also reduce emissions and mitigate the impacts of climate change.

MISSION AND VISION

We connect people to places in the northwest metro region today and for the future.

We envision a region with a rich blend of state-of-the-art, multi-modal travel options accessible to, and



well-utilized by, those who call our region home. We work to hasten the day when transportation no longer contributes to climate change.

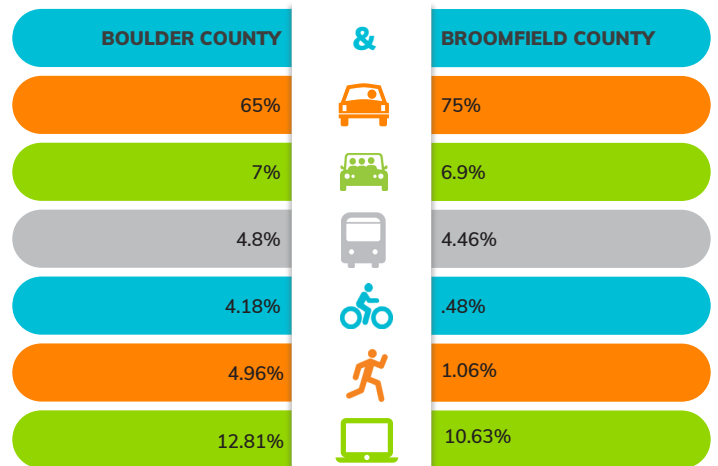
REGIONAL COMMUTING TRENDS

More than 65% of drivers in Boulder County drove alone while more than 75% of drivers in Broomfield County drove alone, according to a five-year estimate from the Denver Regional Council of Governments.

In Boulder County, 7% carpooled, 4.8% took public transportation, 4.18% rode their bike, 4.96% walked and 12.81% worked from home.

In Broomfield County, 6.9% carpooled, 4.46% took public transportation, .48% rode their bike, 1.06% walked and 10.63% worked from home.

TRENDS IN BOULDER/BROOMFIELD COUNTY



WHAT WE DO

Commuting Solutions is focused on increasing the share of car/vanpoolers, cyclists and transit riders by educating commuters, engaging with local employers and advocating for transportation investments. Throughout the year, our engagement efforts aim to reduce CO2 emissions, help businesses attract and retain employees, and support our region to stay on the cutting edge of transportation innovation.

Our regional impact is strengthened by our

partnership with the Denver Regional Council of Governments (DRCOG) and seven other Transportation Management Organizations throughout the Denver metro region. The partnership of our organizations help the entire Denver metro region meet goals for air quality, reducing single-occupancy vehicle trips and the total number of miles traveled, consistent with the 2021 GHG Pollution Reduction Roadmap goals for Colorado.

2021 Top 10 Accomplishments

1 Advocacy for the Northwest Metro Region through Annual (Virtual) Trip to Washington D.C. and State Legislature

Commuting Solutions, members of the Northwest Mayors & Commissioners Coalition and other stakeholders headed to Washington D.C. virtually in 2021 to advocate for the northwest metro region. In addition, we were actively involved in the state legislature and position talking including supporting SB21-260, the landmark transportation funding bill.

2 Completed the CO 119 First and Final Mile Study

In 2021, Commuting Solutions worked with its consultant, Fehr & Peers, local governments, businesses and state transportation agencies to complete the CO 119 First and Final Mile Study, which created corridor-wide recommendations for bicycle and pedestrian connections, shared parking, Transportation Demand Management and microtransit.

3 Continued Northwest Area Mobility Regional Planning Progress

Commuting Solutions worked with local governments, businesses and state transportation agencies to further the Northwest Area Mobility Study by working on the US 287, CO 7 and CO 42 corridor projects. There were meetings throughout the year, updates on social media, information in newsletters and dedicated webpages for the projects.

4 Launched Downtown Superior Modes

In August, Commuting Solutions launched its Transportation Demand Management program Downtown Superior Modes in coordination with the Town of Superior and Downtown Superior to help create sustainable commutes for residents, visitors and employees/employers in the area.

5 Continued to Build the CO 119 Coalition

Commuting Solutions continued to build its CO 119 coalition by working with local governments, businesses and transportation agencies to advocate for the CO 119 corridor project. There were membership meetings for the project, communications through newsletters, emails and social media as well as public involvement.

6 Federal Funding Collaborations

Commuting Solutions worked collaboratively on multiple grant applications to further the multimodal transportation options in the northwest metro region.

7 Expanded Stakeholder Engagement

Commuting Solutions had the privilege of working with new partnerships and expanding its memberships. We welcomed new members throughout the year. We held more than 20 events including Membership Meetings, Workplace Commute Ambassador Meetings, the 12th Legislative Breakfast, the 5th Sustainable Transportation Summit, webinars, RTD Rider Appreciation events and more!

8 Expanded the Bike-n-Ride Shelter Program

Commuting Solutions worked with the City and County of Broomfield, the City of Westminster and RTD to expand the Bike-n-Ride Shelter further along the U.S. 36 corridor to open two new shelters.

9 Continued to Promote, Support the Ride Free Lafayette Program

Commuting Solutions continued to work with Boulder County, the City of Lafayette and Via Mobility Service to provide a free, door-to-door resource for the City of Lafayette and a portion of the City of Louisville. We provided marketing and social media resources to promote a continuously successful program.

10 Advocated and Educated about Employee Trip Reduction Program

Commuting Solutions advocated and educated members, stakeholders and partners on the importance of Employee Trip Reduction Program (ETRP). The program was not approved, but Commuting Solutions and partners across the Denver northwest metro region continue to explore other plans and ideas to create sustainable transportation options.

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