Transportation Resource Bank

Learn More

Resource	Summary		
DOE Alternative Fuels	Calculates total cost of vehicle ownership and emissions to		
Data Center	help drivers choose the best option.		
Drive Electric	Provides information on benefits and accessibility of electric		
Tennessee <u>EV 101</u>	vehicle ownership		
American Public	Quick facts on the benefits of public transportation		
Transportation			
Association Facts Page			

Take Action

Action	Resource
Access free and reduced cost public transportation when you can	 See whether you qualify for <u>discounted bus fare</u> with KAT as a senior, disabled person, Medicare card holder, or with another status For children in Knox County, take advantage of <u>KAT's Youth Freedom Pass</u> to get free bus rides around town Access low-cost public transportation to access employment, medical care, and more via Knoxville and Knox County's <u>Community Action Committee</u> transportation programs For transportation outside of Knox County, look into programs like: <u>ETHRA Public Transit</u> (East Tennessee) <u>Lakeway Transit</u> (Morristown) <u>Oak Ridge Transit</u>
Explore alternate transportation options to save on gas money, exercise, and be active in your community	 Join the free Knoxville Regional Smart Trips program to earn rewards for walking, biking, taking the bus, carpooling, and working from home instead of driving alone. Look into Two Bikes to find cheap bike repairs, community biking events, and opportunities to donate bikes or request a free bike for yourself or someone you know is in need via their Pedal It Forward program

	•	 Search for other local bike organizations like Kickstand Bicycle Collective to find bike training and community ride opportunities Support your children's health and mobility by accessing Bike Walk Knoxville programs like <u>Safe Routes to School</u> to facilitate safe walks to school or the <u>Kids Love Bikes</u> <u>Program</u> to teach kids how to safely ride bicycles
Discover routes for hiking, walking, and biking around the Knoxville MSA and the region	•	Use tools like <u>komoot.com</u> to find routes for specific kinds of activity Find greenway maps for walking and biking in your area from your local government Look into parks in your community
Consider a higher-MPG vehicle when it's time for a new one to reduce fuel use and cut costs	•	Attend the annual Knoxville Drive Electric Festival or a Knoxville Electric Vehicle Association event to test-drive EVs and ask real drivers about their experience Learn about the benefits of EVs, like driving for a cost of 3 cents a mile versus 12 cents in a regular vehicle, at Drive Electric TN o If you need help finding a dealer, check out their Preferred EV Dealer tool

Regional Leaders

Resource	Summary
East TN Clean Fuels	Nonprofit that offers education on alternative-fuel vehicles and
	provides free technical support to public and private partners
	through programs such as Green Fleets and grants.
Drive Electric TN	Nonprofit that offers education on electric vehicles and
	provides free technical support to public and private partners
	through programs such as EMPOWER (workplace charging).
City of Knoxville	Manages free public chargers at 13 locations across Knoxville.
TN Department of	Installs public EV chargers (particularly in rural areas) via TN
Transportation	Electric Vehicle Infrastructure program.
Knoxville Area Transit	Regional transit agency that offers reduced fare for eligible
<u>(KAT)</u>	riders and discounts for bulk ticket purchases.
Bike Walk Knoxville	Advocates for safer walking and biking in Knoxville
<u>Two Bikes</u>	Nonprofit offering job training, free transportation
	opportunities, bike repair, and a community of cyclists with
	frequent biking events

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