

Safe Routes to School (SRTS) April 2009 Report

Summary

Major planning efforts included the spring Walk to School Day (May 13), Bike to Work Week activities (May 4–15), and Traffic Skills 101 course for PE teachers (May 21-22). The bicycle safety education program was observed and assisted.

Coordination

- planned for Traffic Skills 101 course for teachers and others to be offered in Carson City May 21-22
- met with Maggie Saunders, SRTS Coordinator for Clark County School District, and personnel from Watch Out Kids About programs
- attended Carson City School District Board of Trustees meetings
- attended RTC & CAMPO meeting
- met with Sarah Adler and Jonathan Mueller on grant revision and middle school education plan
- participated in Bike to Work Week planning with SRTS partner Muscle Powered

Education

- observed and assisted bicycle safety education programs at Fritsch ES and Empire ES, developed documentation on program
- presented on SRTS to Fritsch ES and Carson MS PTA/PTSA groups
- continued researching pedestrian safety curriculum and provided BTA feedback on its curriculum, and obtained and reviewed DVD videos from Disney, NHSTA, Honda, Bicycle Transportation Alliance, and StreetFilms

Encouragement

- developed flier for spring Walk to School Day, ordered incentives for Walk to School Day and other encouragement programs
- ordered bicycle helmets for Bordewich ES

Enforcement

- no significant action

Evaluation

- provided “Survey About Walking and Biking to School” (parent survey) to Fremont ES and Seeliger ES

Engineering

- no significant action; awaiting acceptance of Engineering element budget revision and stewardship review from NDOT