



D12 BikeBus

Safe cycling in Dublin 12

Dublin City Council
South East Area
Committee Meeting

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Introduction

- D12 parents banding together to cycle with their children to school.
- We are also lobbying for better cycling infrastructure so our routes are safer and easier
- Bike Bus enables and encourages people to cycle as a normal everyday activity
- Gives returning adults and children the skill and confidence to go and cycle independently

Old Bike Bus



New Bike Bus



The Experience

Audrey experience
of lone child
cycling to school

Geraldine and
Joseph joining
from Crumlin as
new cyclists

Eoin as parent of three
and participant

Ciara cycling
through the
Walkinstown
Roundabout with 5
children

Dwayne as parent
and participant

Hilary as parent of
three and
participant of the
bike bus

Michelle as
volunteer marshal
on the bike bus
giving her time
freely

We cannot think this is fine.

Our lived experience is that it is:

- Not safe
- Not lovely
- It is aggressive
 - We are vulnerable road users and we feel threatened
 - No space provided on roads
 - Roads are not safe for cyclists

The Solution

- Adapt the public space to make fair and equitable for all users
- Make the public space safe for all users
- Be smart on access in local areas
- Create transport initiatives
- Community engagement

We will know that a solution has been found when bike buses are no longer necessary

Timeline

- Short Term (now)
 - Temporary interventions
- Medium Term (3-6 months)
 - Improvements to interventions
- Longer Term (6-18 months)
 - Permanent interventions

Questions?