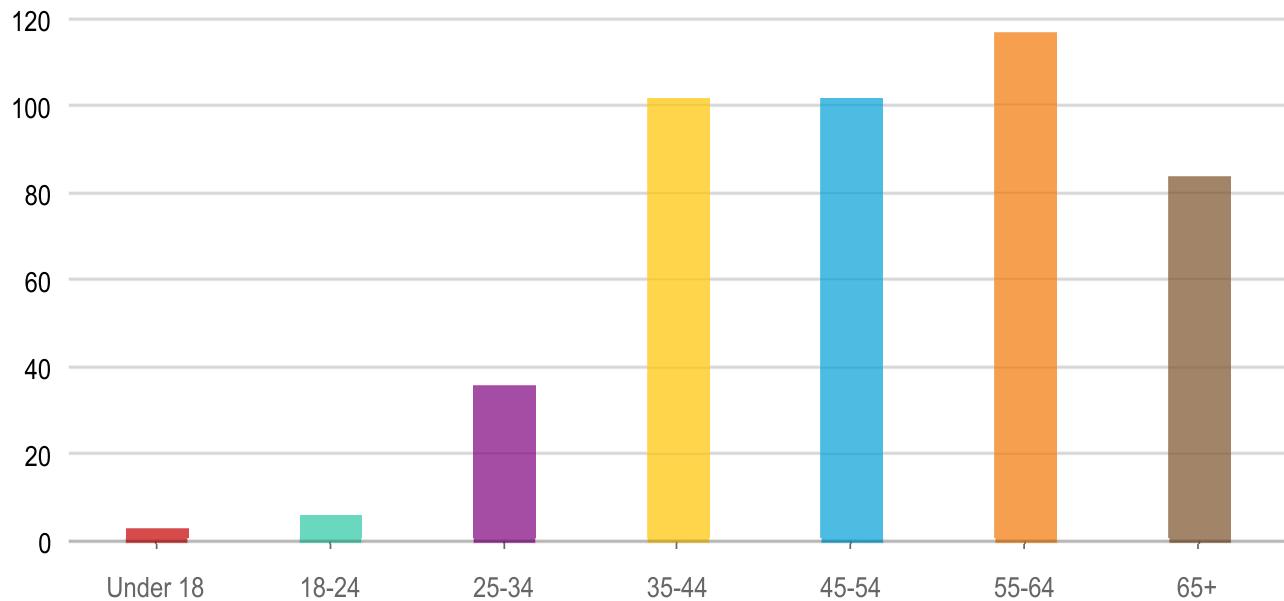


Cycling in Frederick County, Maryland

What is your age range? *



Answers

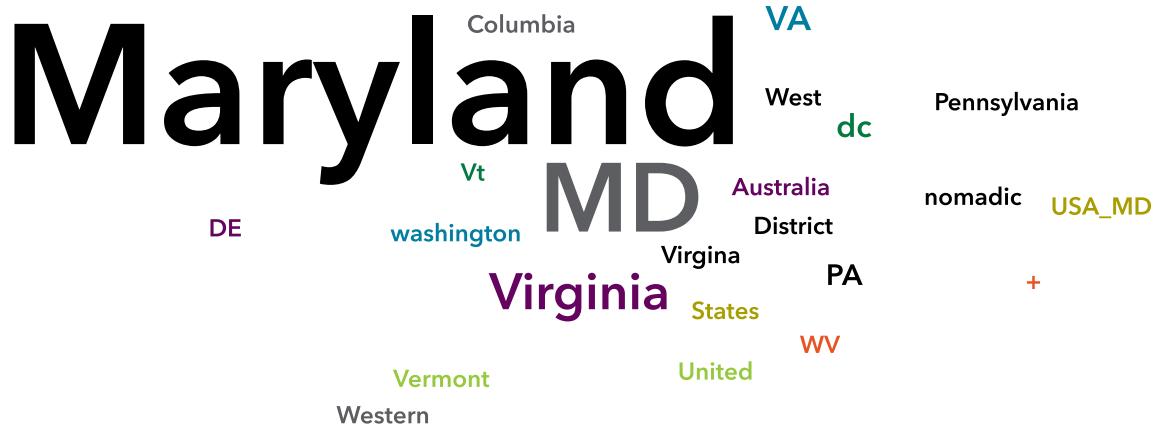
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Percentage

| Answers | Count | Percentage |
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| Under 18 | 3 | 0.67% |
| 18-24 | 6 | 1.33% |
| 25-34 | 36 | 8% |
| 35-44 | 102 | 22.67% |
| 45-54 | 102 | 22.67% |
| 55-64 | 117 | 26% |
| 65+ | 84 | 18.67% |

Answered: 450 Skipped: 0

What State do you live in? *



Word

Count

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| Maryland | 231 |
| MD | 117 |
| Virginia | 44 |
| VA | 20 |
| dc | 13 |
| PA | 9 |
| United | 4 |
| States | 4 |
| WV | 3 |
| West | 3 |
| Pennsylvania | 2 |
| Western | 1 |
| Australia | 1 |
| washington | 1 |

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| Vt | 1 |
| Virginia | 1 |
| Vermont | 1 |
| USA_MD | 1 |
| + | 1 |
| nomadic | 1 |
| District | 1 |
| Columbia | 1 |
| DE | 1 |

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What County do you live in? *

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Jefferson Loudon N/A Momgometry Park
Takoma washington Loudoun Manassas
n.a. anne Alexandria arundel Castle City live Fredrick
Addison dc Farifax Baltimore Maryland Fairfax Fauquier
Norfolk Georges Arlington
County MD Howard Stafford Adams Prince District part
Henrico Frederik PG Mintgomery Prince York Carroll
USA Franklin William Montgomery George's Carroll Harford
Berkeley

Word

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| Frederick | 258 |
| Montgomery | 45 |

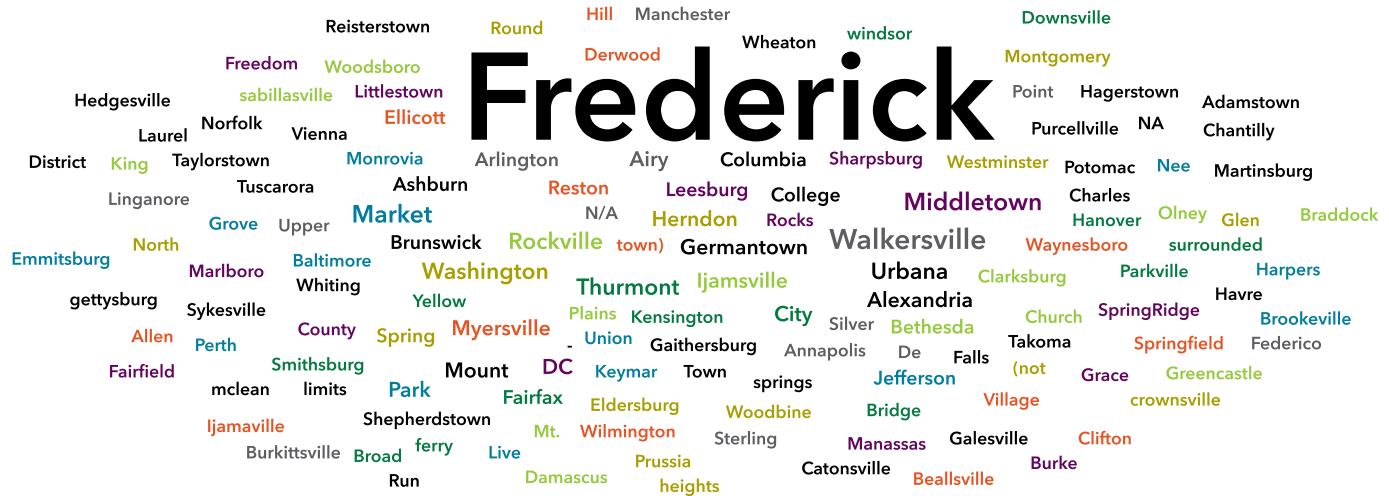
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| Loudoun | 13 |
| dc | 10 |
| Carroll | 9 |
| Howard | 9 |
| County | 9 |
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| Arlington | 7 |
| anne | 5 |
| arundel | 5 |
| Baltimore | 5 |
| Prince | 5 |
| Jefferson | 4 |
| Alexandria | 4 |
| City | 4 |
| Franklin | 3 |
| Adams | 3 |
| York | 3 |
| USA | 2 |
| Georges | 2 |
| MD | 2 |
| Maryland | 2 |
| Loudon | 2 |

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| Berkeley | 2 |
| George's | 2 |
| Takoma | 1 |
| Park | 1 |
| Stafford | 1 |
| William | 1 |
| PG | 1 |
| Norfolk | 1 |
| Castle | 1 |
| N/A | 1 |
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| Henrico | 1 |
| Harford | 1 |
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| Fauquier | 1 |
| Farifax | 1 |
| District | 1 |

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| Columbia | 1 |
| Manassas | 1 |
| Carrol | 1 |
| Australia | 1 |
| Afams | 1 |
| Addison | 1 |

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What City do you live in?



Word

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|--------------|-----|
| Frederick | 151 |
| Walkersville | 17 |
| Middletown | 12 |
| Market | 12 |
| Thurmont | 10 |

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| Urbana | 9 |
| Rockville | 9 |
| Washington | 9 |
| Myersville | 8 |
| Alexandria | 8 |
| Germantown | 7 |
| Airy | 7 |
| DC | 7 |
| Park | 7 |
| City | 7 |
| Mount | 6 |
| Ijamsville | 6 |
| Herndon | 6 |
| Reston | 5 |
| Brunswick | 5 |
| Ashburn | 5 |
| Arlington | 5 |
| Leesburg | 4 |
| Jefferson | 4 |
| Fairfax | 4 |
| College | 4 |
| Bethesda | 4 |
| Spring | 4 |

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| Ellicott | 4 |
| Columbia | 4 |
| Takoma | 3 |
| Silver | 3 |
| Sharpsburg | 3 |
| Monrovia | 3 |
| Kensington | 3 |
| Gaithersburg | 3 |
| Clarksburg | 3 |
| Westminster | 2 |
| Waynesboro | 2 |
| Vienna | 2 |
| Potomac | 2 |
| N/A | 2 |
| Littlestown | 2 |
| Keymar | 2 |
| Hanover | 2 |
| Falls | 2 |
| Church | 2 |
| Eldersburg | 2 |
| Derwood | 2 |
| Charles | 2 |
| Town | 2 |

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| Annapolis | 2 |
| County | 2 |
| Baltimore | 2 |
| Yellow | 1 |
| springs | 1 |
| Woodsboro | 1 |
| Woodbine | 1 |
| Wilmington | 1 |
| Whiting | 1 |
| Wheaton | 1 |
| Upper | 1 |
| Marlboro | 1 |
| Union | 1 |
| Bridge | 1 |
| Tuscarora | 1 |
| Plains | 1 |
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| town) | 1 |
| Taylorstown | 1 |
| Sykesville | 1 |
| Sterling | 1 |
| SpringRidge | 1 |
| Grove | 1 |

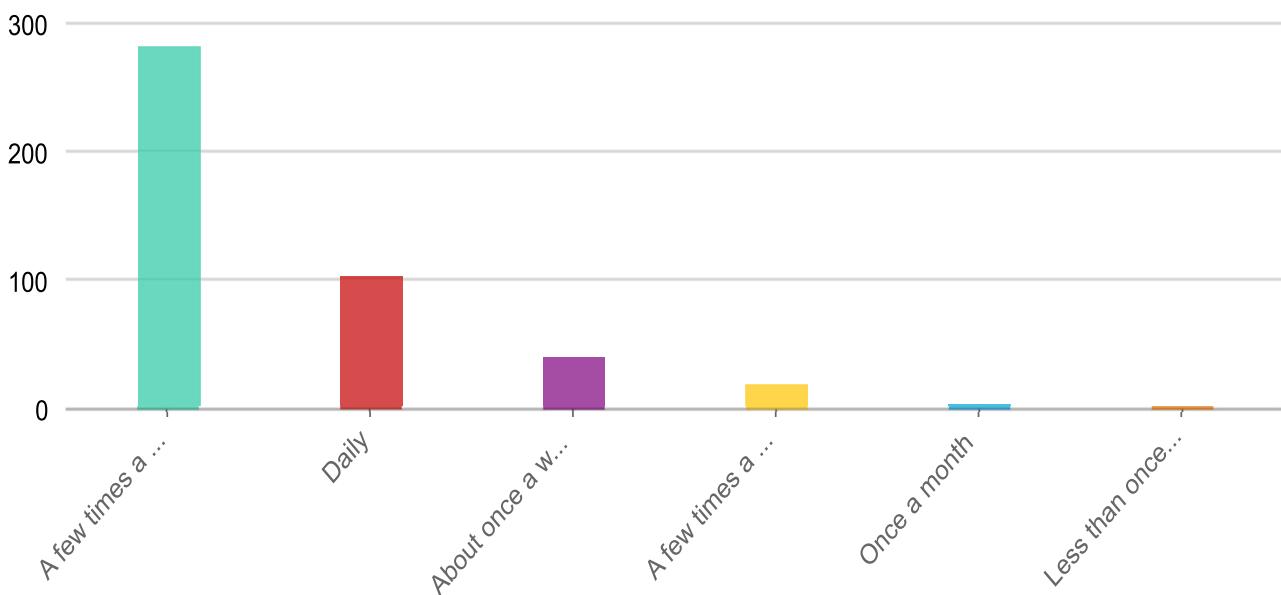
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| sabillasville | 1 |
| Round | 1 |
| Hill | 1 |
| Reisterstown | 1 |
| Purcellville | 1 |
| Point | 1 |
| Rocks | 1 |
| Perth | 1 |
| Parkville | 1 |
| limits | 1 |
| Olney | 1 |
| North | 1 |
| Springfield | 1 |
| Norfolk | 1 |
| - | 1 |
| Linganore | 1 |
| Freedom | 1 |
| Nee | 1 |
| windsor | 1 |
| NA | 1 |
| Mt. | 1 |

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| Montgomery | 1 |
| Village | 1 |
| mclean | 1 |
| Martinsburg | 1 |
| Manchester | 1 |
| Manassas | 1 |
| Live | 1 |
| surrounded | 1 |
| Laurel | 1 |
| King | 1 |
| Prussia | 1 |
| Ijamaville | 1 |
| Hedgesville | 1 |
| Havre | 1 |
| De | 1 |
| Grace | 1 |
| Harpers | 1 |
| ferry | 1 |
| Hagerstown | 1 |
| Greencastle | 1 |
| Glen | 1 |
| Allen | 1 |
| gettysburg | 1 |

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| Galesville | 1 |
| Federico | 1 |
| Fairfield | 1 |
| Emmitsburg | 1 |
| Downsville | 1 |
| District | 1 |
| Damascus | 1 |
| crownsville | 1 |
| Clifton | 1 |
| Chantilly | 1 |
| Catonsville | 1 |
| Burkittsville | 1 |
| Burke | 1 |
| Brooksville | 1 |
| Broad | 1 |
| Run | 1 |
| Braddock | 1 |
| heights | 1 |
| Beallsville | 1 |
| Adamstown | 1 |

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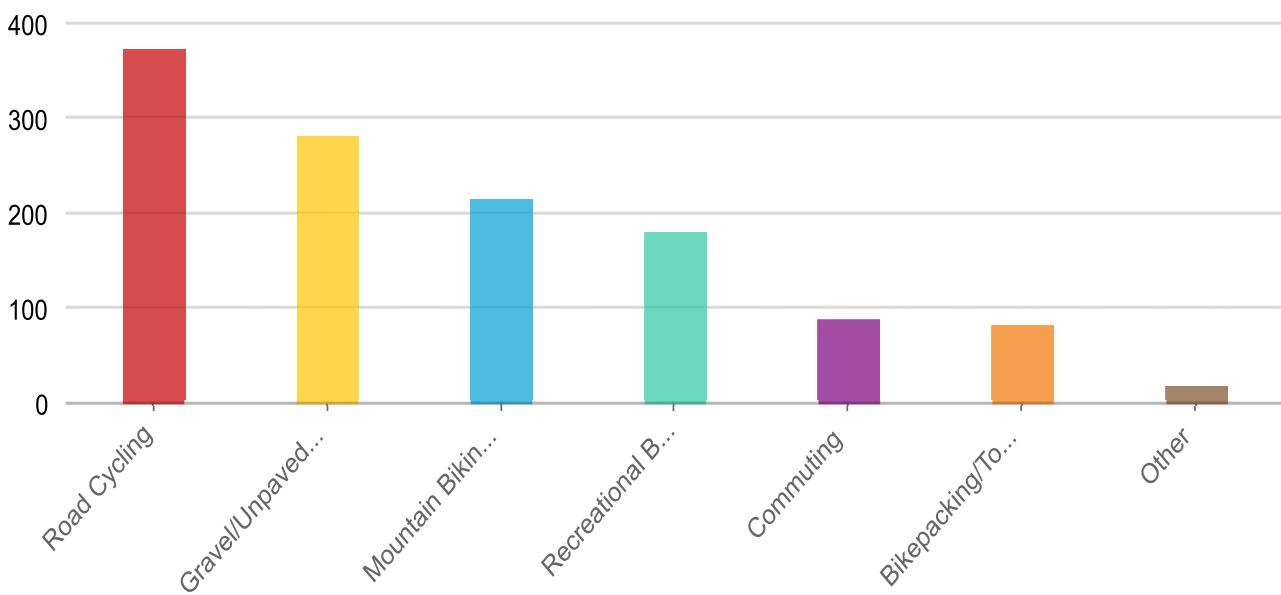
How often do you cycle a month? *



| Answers | Count | Percentage |
|------------------------|-------|------------|
| A few times a week | 282 | 62.67% |
| Daily | 103 | 22.89% |
| About once a week | 40 | 8.89% |
| A few times a month | 19 | 4.22% |
| Once a month | 4 | 0.89% |
| Less than once a month | 2 | 0.44% |

Answered: 450 Skipped: 0

What type of cycling do you do? (Select all that apply) *

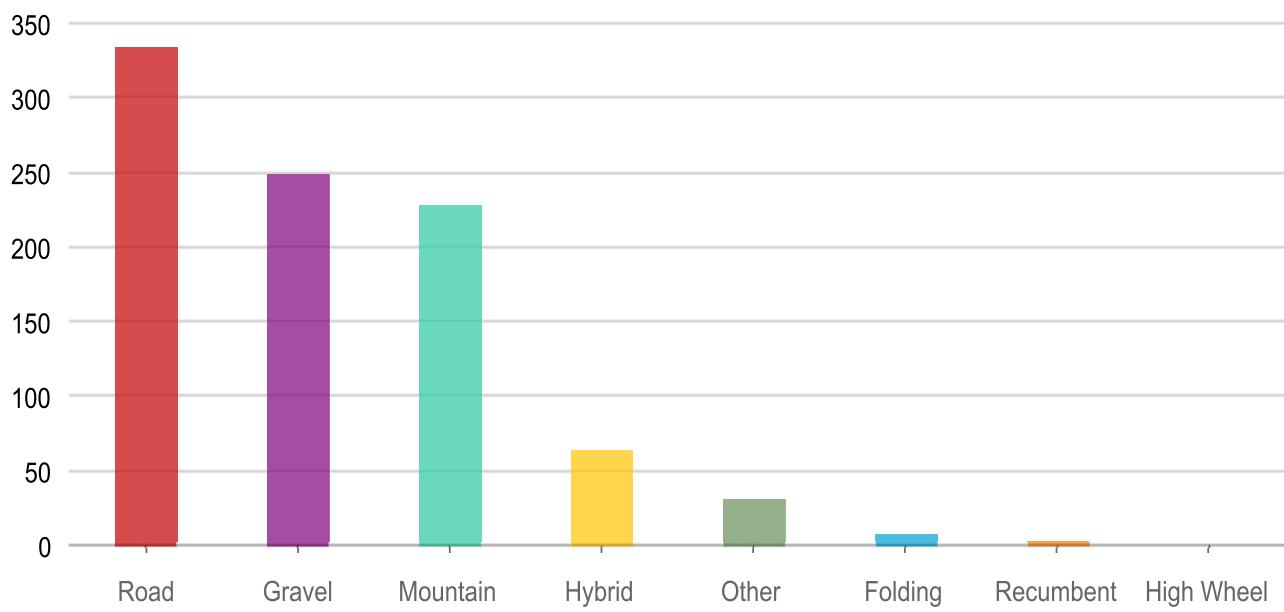


| Answers | Count | Percentage |
|----------------------------|-------|------------|
| Road Cycling | 373 | 82.89% |
| Gravel/Unpaved Road Riding | 281 | 62.44% |
| Mountain Biking | 215 | 47.78% |
| Recreational Biking | 180 | 40% |
| Commuting | 88 | 19.56% |
| Bikepacking/Touring | 82 | 18.22% |
| Other | 18 | 4% |

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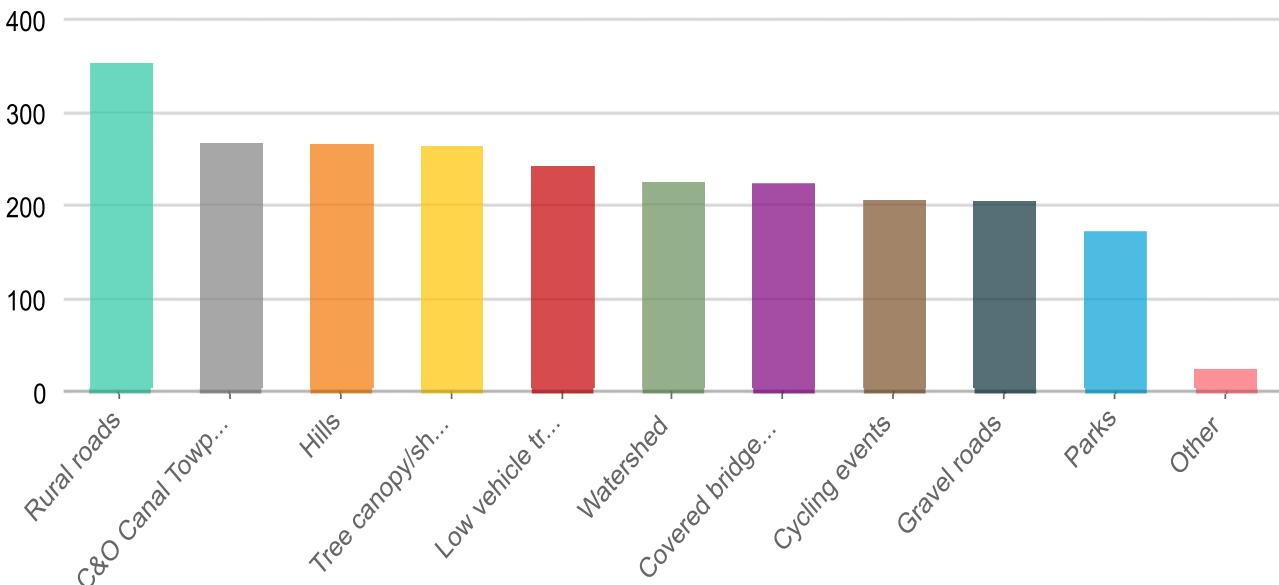
What kind of bike do you ride? (Select all that apply) *



| Answers | Count | Percentage |
|------------|-------|------------|
| Road | 334 | 74.22% |
| Gravel | 249 | 55.33% |
| Mountain | 228 | 50.67% |
| Hybrid | 64 | 14.22% |
| Other | 31 | 6.89% |
| Folding | 8 | 1.78% |
| Recumbent | 3 | 0.67% |
| High Wheel | 0 | 0% |

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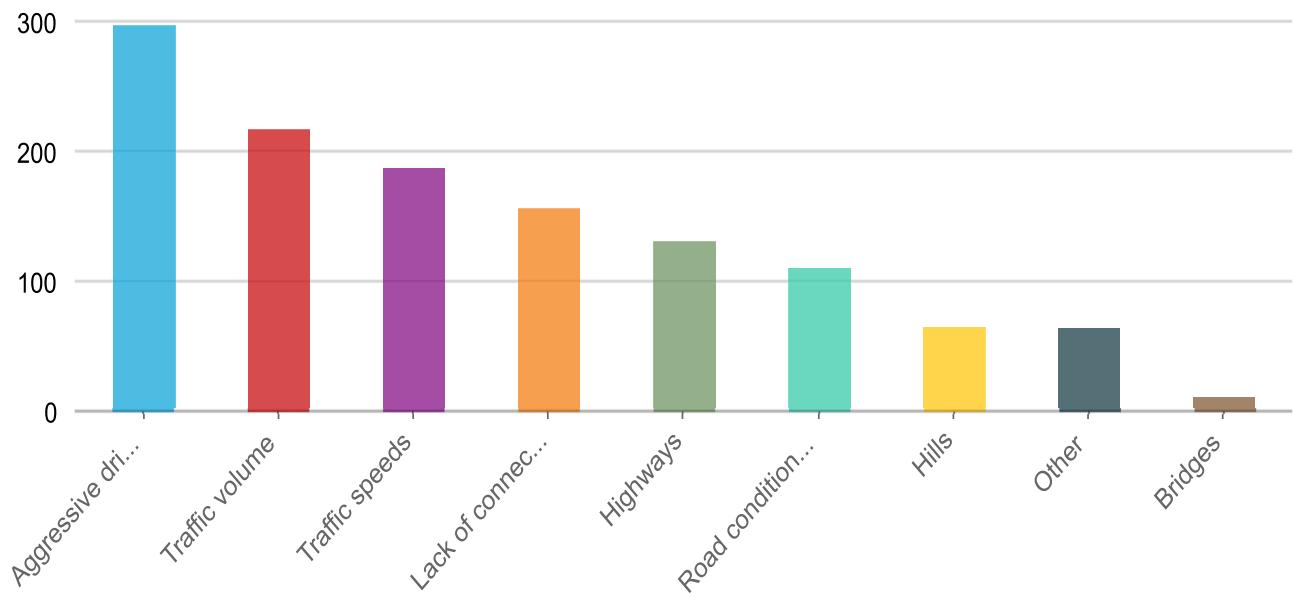
What do you like about cycling in Frederick County? (Select all that apply) *



| Answers | Count | Percentage |
|---------------------|-------|------------|
| Rural roads | 353 | 78.44% |
| C&O Canal Towpath | 267 | 59.33% |
| Hills | 266 | 59.11% |
| Tree canopy/shade | 264 | 58.67% |
| Low vehicle traffic | 243 | 54% |
| Watershed | 225 | 50% |
| Covered bridges | 224 | 49.78% |
| Cycling events | 206 | 45.78% |
| Gravel roads | 205 | 45.56% |
| Parks | 173 | 38.44% |
| Other | 25 | 5.56% |

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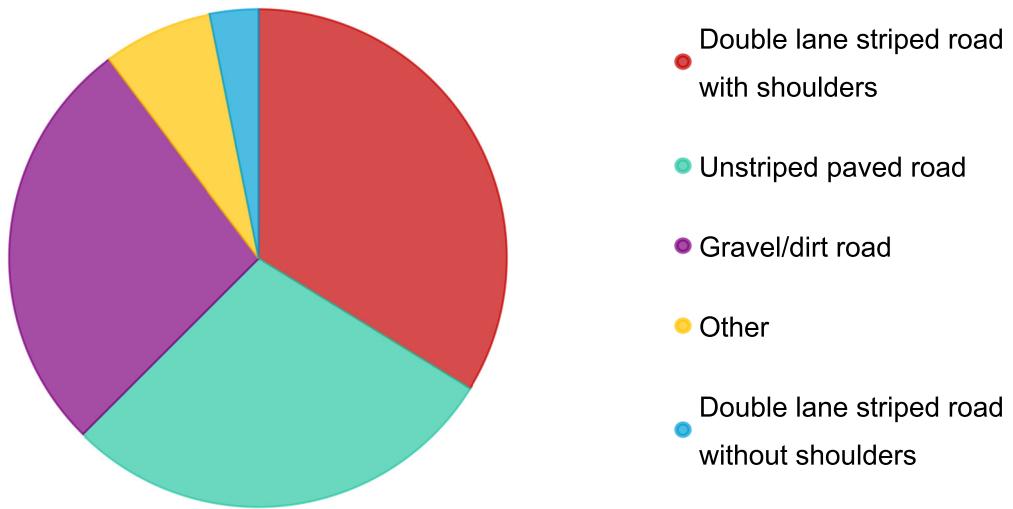
What makes cycling in Frederick County challenging? (Select all that apply) *



| Answers | Count | Percentage |
|----------------------|-------|------------|
| Aggressive drivers | 297 | 66% |
| Traffic volume | 217 | 48.22% |
| Traffic speeds | 187 | 41.56% |
| Lack of connectivity | 156 | 34.67% |
| Highways | 131 | 29.11% |
| Road conditions | 110 | 24.44% |
| Hills | 65 | 14.44% |
| Other | 64 | 14.22% |
| Bridges | 11 | 2.44% |

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What is your ideal road for cycling? *



Answers

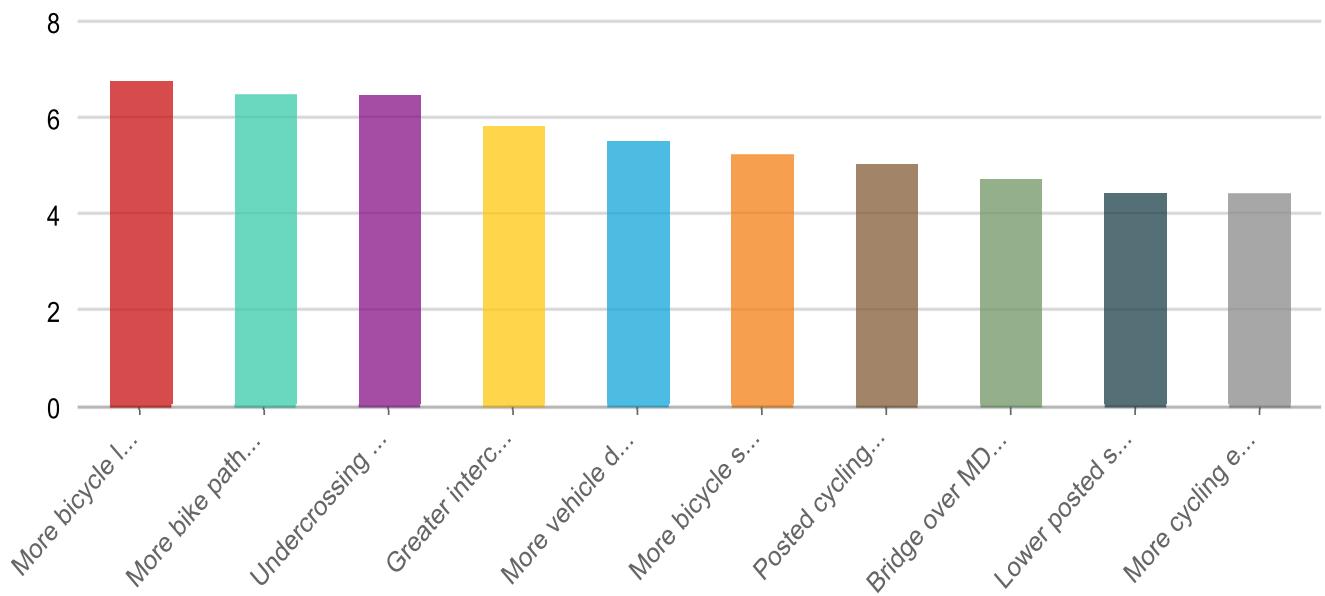
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| Double lane striped road with shoulders | 152 | 33.78% |
| Unstriped paved road | 129 | 28.67% |
| Gravel/dirt road | 123 | 27.33% |
| Other | 32 | 7.11% |
| Double lane striped road without shoulders | 14 | 3.11% |

Answered: 450 Skipped: 0

Please rank the improvements would you like to see in Frederick County? *



| Rank | Answers | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | Average score | |
|------|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | More bicycle lanes | 13.78% 62 | 18.89% 85 | 17.33% 78 | 10.44% 47 | 10.22% 46 | 8.44% 38 | 6.22% 6.77 28 |
| 2 | More bike paths | 21.11% 95 | 12.67% 57 | 10.44% 47 | 9.78% 44 | 7.56% 34 | 9.78 6.49 | |
| 3 | Undercrossing of US-15 | 21.11% 95 | 14.44% 65 | 7.56% 34 | 9.33% 42 | 10.67% 48 | 8% 6.47 | 7.33% 33 |
| 4 | Greater interconnectivity | 9.56% 43 | 10.89% 49 | 13.33% 60 | 12.22% 55 | 10.89% 49 | 9.78 6.49 | 5.84 |
| 5 | More vehicle driver education | 16% 72 | 6.89% 31 | 8.22% 37 | 10% 45 | 9.11% 41 | 8.67% 39 | 9.11% 5.52 41 |
| 6 | More bicycle specific signage on roads | 4% 18 | 7.78% 35 | 10.67% 48 | 10.44% 47 | 12.44% 56 | 15.11% 61 | 5.24 |

Answered: 450 Skipped: 0

Outside of Frederick County, where do you most enjoy cycling?

Crescent motor bunch hills. too. Farm kill routes beautiful spent parts Plains Northwestern joy biking. ranked public
 population cycle Poolesville lanes Anne crossing Bridge roads. 26 Ridge cross London Skills Franklin VT
 quiet 9 Fauquier Lots reserve 1. Loudon Mt Howard great 2) paths Bennett live 70 edge (Va) MD's Hampshire lot
 add It's paved lower Lake Western ride Pa 4. MoCo Park MD County. / West east Beach local
 states things path shore area Head Loudoun 6. Michaux city Creek traffic 15 Europe. ri
 George Shed State 2. Carroll trails bike Prince
 slope bicycle Canal 10. Patapsco gravel C&O speed
 rivers biking Fairfax forest Washington 1. national Road eastern Gettysburg Pennsylvania MTB primarily
 shoulders cyclists 2. DC. Frederick. riding Rail roads Trail drivers work counties farms
 driver posted southern north south Patapsco River drive vehicle Utica place Hill commuting
 Anacostia there. love agricultural 1. Virginia. va. dangerous. Rock Dominion recently avoid
 bad areas Skyline Arlington Adams find fl lewes Vernon
 biggest Taneytown towpath Europe George's find fl Dominion
 Schaeffer guy friendly 13. Europe

Response

Count

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| Loudoun county | 9 |
| Montgomery County | 7 |
| Loudoun county, VA | 6 |
| Washington County | 5 |
| Rail trails | 4 |
| C&O Canal | 3 |
| Patapsco Valley State Park | 2 |
| Montgomery County Agricultural Reserve | 2 |
| Michaux State Forest, PA | 2 |
| Gettysburg area | 2 |
| Eastern shore | 2 |
| Cacapon State Park, WV | 2 |
| Cacapon State Park WV | 2 |
| Zwift | 1 |

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| Wo&d | 1 |
| Windy Ridge Trails, Schaeffer Farms, Patapsco State Park, mountain biking trails all around the state | 1 |
| Western Slope, Elizabeth Furnace, Andy Guest Park, Cacapon, and local rides like Lake Fairfax, Acco tink, Fountainhead, Wakefield. And the Plains for gravel. | 1 |
| Western slope | 1 |
| Western MD mountains | 1 |
| western Loudoun County | 1 |
| Western Howard County, Northwestern Montgomery County, Carroll County | 1 |
| West virginia,wash county | 1 |
| West Virginia | 1 |
| We ride gravel roads in Lovettsville, purcellville, The Plains and Middleburg areas of Virginia. | 1 |
| We need to clean up all the dirty debris on the shoulders for the cycling. Come on! Utica Park need to add Cycling tools | 1 |
| Washington, DC., - Rock Creek Park (Maryland & DC) Anywhere on the C&O towpath. | 1 |
| Washington old dominion trail in VA | 1 |
| Washington DC. They have so many protected bike lanes and a large bike lane network. | 1 |
| Washington DC | 1 |
| Washington County MD and Loudoun County,VA | 1 |
| Washington and Old Dominion Trail Torrey Brown Rail Trail Western Maryland Rail Trail | 1 |
| W&OD paved trail Purcelleville to DC | 1 |
| W&OD in Northern Virginia | 1 |
| Virgins and Pennsylvania. These states offer miles of interconnected gravel roads. | 1 |
| Virginia, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Utah, New Hampshire | 1 |
| Virginia rural roads | 1 |

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| Valley Preferred Velodrome in Trexlertown, Pennsylvania W&OD Trail in Virginia | 1 |
| -Trails: Patapsco and Bacon Ridge -Gravel: Loudon County (VA), Michaux (PA), and any gravel on the East Coast -Pavement/Dirt: MD's Eastern Shore and rural DE -Paths: The bike and multi-use paths have way too much foot traffic to ride safely. | 1 |
| Trails we need more bike skills parks and trails with machine built trail builds | 1 |
| Trails and roads of MOCO, Franklin County and Loudon mostly | 1 |
| Towpath, Shenandoah Valley | 1 |
| throughout Loudoun Count, VA | 1 |
| This is a poorly constructed survey. | 1 |
| The watershed is a great place just need to be embraced by the city and state. Tons of people from all over drive distances to mountain bike there. Income is coming in because of biking. More trails and bike path more money. | 1 |
| The W&OD is pretty fire. I'm definitely a shed guy the most. The new work through MORE at the shed is awesome and since then I've been consistently donating to the group. We bring a bunch of guys from NOVA to come ride, buy a bunch of tacos at Taco Bar Frederick, and fill up at that Sheetz nearby. Probably get some sports drinks from there too. In short, the better the shed, the more money will be spent in Frederick. | 1 |
| The various paved shared use paths have become a joy to me, when I find one while exploring Frederick city. Any trails/shared use path that I can actually use to get to a destination with reduced traffic interaction is my favorite! | 1 |
| The UK | 1 |
| The ranked choice feature she's not work on my iPhone. Please fix! It continually resets and only allows one new item at the top. It keeps putting higher interest things lower. This defeats the purpose of the survey! 1. More vehicle driver education 2. Lower posted speeds 3. More bike paths 4. More bicycle specific signage on roads 5. More bicycle lanes 6. Greater Interconnectivity 7. Under crossing of US 15 8. Bridge Over 26 9. Posted cycling routes 10. More cycling events | 1 |
| The bike path from Annapolis to BWI | 1 |
| The Beltsville Agricultural Research Center in Prince George's Co.; Garrett County/Deep Creek Lake; Skyline Drive; the Blackwater Refuge, Cheaha Mountain Park; Washington D.C. | 1 |
| The Ag Reserve of Montgomery County, Adams County PA & Washington County MD. | 1 |

Thank you Watershed for the best trails in the world and helping the next generation to grow and develop

1

Taneytown Gettysburg Carroll county leonardstown

1

Sugarloaf, Poolesville roads

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Staunton area; Coachella Valley; Eastern Shore; Tuscany/Umbria; France; Monterey, VA; any Amish/Mennonite area

South Central PA around Gettysburg, W&OD rail trail in N VA, Western Maryland Rail Trail, Eastern Shore out of Cambridge

Sometimes I cross to Washington county. 67 has wide shoulder, but a lot of debris. I use local roads with less traffic (Frostburg, Michael, Monument, Mountain Church, Marker, Reno Monument). Love the hills. The biggest problem is connectivity and crossing major roads. Using public roads with traffic is very dangerous. Bike lanes are narrow and not enough to use for commuting or errands.

Some of the trails in MoCo, and Fairfax. Patapsco is great too. For road riding Arlington has done a great job of making roads feel safe for cyclists even though it's so close to the city.

Skyline Drive in Shenandoah National Park Anywhere in Europe - I NEVER worry about drivers and I've ridden thousands of miles in several countries in Europe.

Skyline Drive

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Shenandoah Valley, Virginia

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Seneca Creek SP

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Schaefers Farm in MoCo Black Hills Regional Park C&O Canal NCR Trail Sussex County Parks, DE

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San Diego County, CA

1

Road riding around Poolesville and near Sugarloaf Mountain, mountain biking around Montgomery County. But the Frederick Watershed is my favorite!

Road

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Rivers edge and windy ridge are the other places outside of the shed that I ride.

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Riding destinations such as Bellingham and Whistler out west. In fact, I have led groups from this area out there. Lots of \$\$ spent (whats up Tourism?!) Locally, I love to ride in Patapsco during the week and the George Washington National Forest when I can get out. I ride at Snowshoe (bike park and the backcountry pedal trails) when I have the opportunity. 1

Remote routes, valleys, hills. 1

Recently joined the Randonneuring group out of DC. Routes are created with safety and stops (food, water, restrooms) in mind. Discovered Howard County to have safer roads than expected. Biked through many states and most times realized how great cycling in Frederick is. I live in Urbana. Took me some time to get comfortable riding in this area, but got used to it. 1

Rails to trails and bike paths Western trail WO and D Kent Island Heritage trail 1

Rail Trails around the DMV area. So sad that Frederick County is so far behind the times. 1

Rail Trails across US 1

Rail trail through Hancock 1

Portland, OR and the surrounding areas. 1

Pittsburgh, Pa 1

Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Loudoun County, Va. 1

Pennsylvania, lots of quiet roads, easy routing away from busy roads 1

Pennsylvania (Adams County, etc) 1

Pennsylvania 1

Path/trails (C&O, W&OD, etc.) and cycling in Howard County or Montgomery County 1

Patapsco, Cacapon, Virginia, New Hampshire 1

Patapsco state park, Cacapon WV, Massanutten/Harrisburg VA 1

Patapsco State Park and the MoCo parks. Ride Beach Drive and BWI loop when trails are wet. 1

Patapsco State Park 1

Patapsco and Loudon County gravel 1

Patapsco 1

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| Parks all over Virginia | 1 |
| PA, Louden | 1 |
| PA trails, C&O trail | 1 |
| Pa has nice rail trails. | 1 |
| PA and parts of western MD | 1 |
| PA | 1 |
| Outdoors | 1 |
| Other parts of the C&O, the GAP Trail, The York Heritage Trail and many other bike trails in other states. | 1 |
| Other bicycle and multi use trails, Great Allegheny Passage | 1 |
| Oregon | 1 |
| Off road to avoid cars: gravel and/or designated paths | 1 |
| Northwestern MoCo is my next favorite spot. I love riding in Fredrick County, but I recently lost a cycling friend to a speeding driver as he was crossing US-15...The police got the report wrong, so nothing corrective will come of it. I am hoping my voice here can activate some changes...we need crossings for cyclists before we lose another friend. | 1 |
| Northern Virginia exurbs (City of Manassas, the Nokesville VA area, and Fauquier County). | 1 |
| Northern Virginia and northeastern NY/NJ | 1 |
| Northern Virginia (since it is where I live and most accessible), Western Virginia (George Washington National Forest, Jefferson National Forest) and West Virginia. | 1 |
| Northern VA, Montgomery county, MD | 1 |
| Northern VA | 1 |
| North Carolina | 1 |
| NICA approved race trails. | 1 |
| New London ct and ri, Tampa fl, Clearwater fl has a great cycling community | 1 |

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| Multi-day bike touring anywhere using Adventure Cycling Association maps and routes. | 1 |
| MTB trails in MoCo and other parts of MD, VA, VT, PA, WV. Gravel roads in VA, VT, NH | 1 |
| Mt.Airy Ocean city | 1 |
| Mt Vernon Trail (VA), MD state parks | 1 |
| Mountain biking trails in Montgomery County, MD and Fairfax County, VA. | 1 |
| Mostly Rural upper from area Walkersville to Gettysburg/ Taneytown area. We would like to install every park where cycle such as Utica Park, Roddy Bridge LLoyd Bridge etc that have a Bike Repair Station with an Air Pump https://outdoorworkoutsupply.com/products/bike-repair-station?variant=41456254714065&currency=USD&utm_medium=product_sync&utm_source=google&utm_content=sag_organic&utm_campaign=sag_organic&gad_source=1&gclid=Cj0KCQjw-uK0BhC0ARIsANQtgGNeUu1NECRFZNtGctBOvCsJkwXLJeN6jZCudUqK4pEsvZUcmq241vEaApzFEALw_wcB | 1 |
| Mostly ride western Howard county, Carroll County and Frederick. Like low traffic roads. | 1 |
| Mostly cycle on rural roads, headed north of Frederick. Biggest challenge going south is bridge crossing monocacy going south on rt. 26, and crossing route 15. I'd rather cross 15 than that bridge though! | 1 |
| Most of my riding is in Southern Maryland and on the trails in Alexandria and Arlington VA. | 1 |
| Most of my rides are on Tandem my wife is 75 and stopped riding 130 miles 12 hour Rando rides when she turn 70 but I persist am not dead yet continue on single bike yes I ride year round and at night in winter because less daylight also ride at night in summer to avoid excessive heat I begin my Randonneur Lifestyle 1985 have been riding Unicycle since 1967 and have owned at least one Tandem since 1977 | 1 |
| Most of my cycling is in Frederick county, but also sometimes in Montgomery or Washington counties | 1 |
| Montgomery, Washington, and Loudon Counties mostly. | 1 |
| Montgomery county. I live in Clarksburg and work in Frederick. If 355 is more cycling friendly I will be commuting on bike everyday. | 1 |
| Montgomery County, Loudoun County | 1 |
| Montgomery County, Loudon County Virginia and surrounding counties for gravel roads | 1 |
| Montgomery County trails | 1 |
| Montgomery County single track MTB trails and the back roads of the Ag Reserve. | 1 |

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| Montgomery county Poolesville area. Motorists are very friendly to cyclists because of volume. | 1 |
| Montgomery County Parks trails, Windy Ridge trails in Mount Airy | 1 |
| Montgomery County Parks for mountain biking. | 1 |
| Montgomery county parks and trails. | 1 |
| Montgomery county mountain biking, c&o canal, Bryce resort bike park, beach drive when closed through DC | 1 |
| Montgomery county mountain bike trails. Northern Virginia mountain bike trails. Rivers Edge trails in Brunswick MD. Bryce bike park in Basye VA. | 1 |
| Montgomery County MD. South Germantown bike park. Little Bennett. | 1 |
| montgomery county MD, Patapsco state park | 1 |
| Montgomery county MD trails, London County VA gravel roads | 1 |
| Montgomery county Maryland has amazing bike trails that connect well. | 1 |
| Montgomery County as they have more bike lanes, or Rock Creek Park, which has large car free sections. | 1 |
| Montgomery County as some wonderful roads west of Rt270, and LOTS of great dirt trails. I've ventured north in PA for the trails and gravel roads in Michaux State Forest. Virginia has some wonderful roads and trails around and west of Rt81. The bigger issue is the relationship between bikers and vehicle owners. Most are courteous and give plenty of room. There are the select few that take their bad days out on everyone around them, and the biker that slowed them down for 10 seconds certainly gets their attention. I live in a population dense area where 13 pedestrians and 1 biker have been killed by drivers in 2023, which is higher than the previous five year average. I don't mind driving to and spending money in locations with a much lower density, and Frederick affords me that ability. | 1 |
| Montgomery county and Loudoun county VA | 1 |
| Montgomery county and London county. | 1 |
| Montgomery County Agricultural Reserve, Loudoun County, Ann Arundel County, Oxon Hill | 1 |
| Montgomery County Ag Reserve | 1 |
| Montgomery County (MTB trail system) and Loudoun county gravel roads | 1 |
| Montgomery County - Laytonsville | 1 |

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| Montgomery and Northern Virginia | 1 |
| Montgomery and Howard counties. Bike paths are nice but generally too crowded with walkers and runners. | 1 |
| Montgomery Ag Reserve, Schaffer Farm, Ten Mile Creek, VA gravel roads | 1 |
| MoCo, Garret County, Washington County, Seattle WA (great bike city infrastructure) | 1 |
| MoCo & Asheville | 1 |
| Missoula, MT. | 1 |
| Michaux,PA and Canaan Valley, WV | 1 |
| Michaux, Loudon county | 1 |
| Michaux, Green ridge and state forests/BLM in any state. | 1 |
| Michaux, Cacapon, Gettysburg area | 1 |
| Michaux State Park, Rockburn Skills Park, South Germantown Bike Park, Rivers Edge Trails, Windy Ridge Trails. | 1 |
| Michaux State Forrest, PA | 1 |
| Michaux State Forest, Pennsylvania | 1 |
| Michaux State Forest in PA - singletrack and gravel roads | 1 |
| Michaux Forest, Green Ridge State Forest, and Loudoun County gravel roads | 1 |
| Michaux Forest | 1 |
| Michaux | 1 |
| Love the watershed, jt you would to see improvements to the gravel within the water shed as well as more access points to those roads. | 1 |
| Loudoun Gravel, Southern MD | 1 |
| Loudoun Gravel Roads | 1 |
| Loudoun County. Most Frederick County riding for me involves crossing over at point of rocks or Brunswick. | 1 |

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| Loudoun County, VA; Michaux State Forest, PA; Patapsco State Park, MD | 1 |
| Loudoun County, my own neighborhood in College Park, agriculture farms, trails | 1 |
| Loudoun County VA | 1 |
| Loudoun County gravel, Lost River, WVA grave | 1 |
| Loudoun County gravel roads | 1 |
| Loudoun county and Patapsco State Park | 1 |
| Loudoun County (Va), Washington County (MD), Adams County (PA) | 1 |
| Loudoun Co, VA and Lewisburg/Susquehanna River Valley area in PA | 1 |
| Loudoun and Washington Counties. Also Pennsylvania | 1 |
| Loudon County, VA, Gettysburg, PA, Michaux State Park, Pa, Gap trail out of Cumberland, MD | 1 |
| Loudon County, VA gravel and Michaux State Forest, PA gravel | 1 |
| Loudon county, VA | 1 |
| Loudon county, Arlington bike paths | 1 |
| Loudon county Virginia | 1 |
| Loudon County VA | 1 |
| Loudon county gravel roads, and Montgomery County mountain bike trails. | 1 |
| Loudon County Gravel | 1 |
| Loudon and West Virginia | 1 |
| Long bike paths that connect communities and regions | 1 |
| London county, micheaux | 1 |
| Little Bennett, Schaeffer Farm, Patapsco, Cacapon, Michaux Trail systems | 1 |
| Little Bennett, Mt Alto, Michaux, | 1 |
| Little Bennett, Loudoun gravel roads, Schaefer farms, | 1 |

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| Little Bennett, Cacapon State Park | 1 |
| Little Bennett Regional Park Michaux State Park | 1 |
| Lewes DE. They have a beautiful 20 miles route as well as a bike trail from lewes to Georgetown where you can avoid aggressive drivers. | 1 |
| Leesburg gravel roads; W&OD trail. | 1 |
| Leesburg | 1 |
| Laytonsville Gaithersburg Salisbury Howard | 1 |
| Lancaster county, PA., Greenville, SC. Northwest Kingdom, VT. | 1 |
| Lancaster County, PA Dorchester County, MD | 1 |
| Lake Fairfax, fountain head, rivers edge, Washington and old Dominion trail | 1 |
| Lake Fairfax mountain bike trails | 1 |
| Kanagawa Prefecture, Japan | 1 |
| Just about anywhere. | 1 |
| Just about any rail-trail. I've spent a great deal of time this summer in Pennsylvania because they do rail and river trails exceedingly well. | 1 |
| In my college town, Madison Wisconsin. | 1 |
| I went to Asheville and loved it there. | 1 |
| I ride with the Frederick Peddlers bicycle club. In the vicinity of Utica park also in the vicinity of Monocacy Middle school. I live near the border of Frederick and Montgomery county. | 1 |
| I really only bicycle to get around Frederick city and county. | 1 |
| I only ride on the roads in Frederick County. | 1 |
| I only ride around Frederick county. I'll bring my bicycle on vacation but I primarily ride in the county. | 1 |
| I love to come up to Frederick on various weekend days to ride. | 1 |

I lived in Frederick for 10 years, I still primarily do my mountain biking in Frederick. I live in Carroll now, I actually find the drivers LESS aggressive here and in Howard county than I do in Frederick. It's the lack of bike lanes, shoulders and by far the worst issue, aggressive drivers which has me avoiding Frederick County these days. I typically cycle between 3000-6000 miles per year.

I like to ride in Rock Creek Park in DC. They have blocked off the roads there, so it is a beautiful space for riding and running all the time. Safe from drivers...dogs on long leashes or not at all are the only real worry there. I ride in Frederick 3-6 times a month. Spend most of it in the Shed or along Gambril heading up to Catoctin Mtn. There are two things that would make Frederick County amazing for riding. 1) a bridge or tunnel to cross 15 at a point north near Thurmont/Cat. Hollow Road (too bad we cannot use the hiking bridge; there are more cyclists than hikers) and a little further south near Utica Park or Devil Bliss Bridge Rd. And 2) an ongoing program to strictly enforce speed limits and foster safe driving where cyclists frequent. Excessive speed recently killed a person on their bike on 15, were there is no alternative to cross except where drivers cross, and the drivers go 70 mph where it is posted as 55 mph. Thanks for making this survey available as a sounding board!

I don't leave the county for cycling.

I am new to cycling and love the country roads. Getting out of Frederick is challenging.

Howard County, Montgomery County, Carroll County

Howard county, C&O, PA

Howard county,

Howard and Carroll Counties

Harrisonburg

Greenways and rural roads in NC.

Greenbriar and Little Bennett

Greenbelt agricultural farms

Greater DC trail systems

Gravel roads of Loudon County Virginia. Little Bennett Park in Montgomery County.

gravel roads in Virginia

Gravel roads in Michaux Forest in PA; gravel roads in Fauquier and Loudoun Counties; paved roads in Rock Creek Park in DC and MD; Little Bennett MTB trails in Clarksburg, MD

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| Gravel roads in Loudon County, VA | 1 |
| Gravel in Loudon County VA | 1 |
| Good Dirt Jumping spots | 1 |
| Gettysburg Battlefield Rail Trail in PA | 1 |
| George Washington National Forest Loudon County, VA | 1 |
| George Washington national forest | 1 |
| Gaithersburg, Poolesville, Clarlsburg | 1 |
| Frederick Watershed is a world class location for cycling. Better than many trails out west. | 1 |
| Frederick is the best | 1 |
| Franklin County FCC group on Tuesdays | 1 |
| France, not kidding but not what you're looking for with this question. I ride Howard County roads out of necessity (proximity), especially around River Road and Patapsco Park. | 1 |
| France | 1 |
| Fountainhead Trail system in Lorton VA | 1 |
| For transportation and commuting, I most enjoy any path, trail, or bike lane that is fully separated from motor vehicle traffic. For example, the Capital Crescent Trail (Montgomery County) and Anacostia River Trail network (Prince George's County) are wonderful. For longer recreational trips, my favorite are as are Western Maryland and West Virginia, primarily because there is much less motor vehicle traffic. Some of the routes I ride are available on https://canalbyways.com/ One additional note: I ranked "lower posted speeds" fairly low on my list because my observation is that posting a lower speed limit without any other changes doesn't always have a significant effect. If "design roads to reduce speed" or similar had been an option, I would have rated that very highly. (The point being that road design often influences driver speeding more than the posted speed limit.) | 1 |
| Fauquier & Culpeper counties in Virginia. | 1 |
| Fairfax, DC, Loudon, Faquier, Shenandoah | 1 |
| Fairfax County, VA; Bentonville, AR; Harrisonburg, VA; Boulder County, CO | 1 |
| Fairfax county | 1 |

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| Fair Hill Natural Resources Management Area Virginia Maine | 1 |
| Europe and Asia. Europe is super bike friendly, lots of trails specifically for bikes/hikers. | 1 |
| Europe | 1 |
| Eastern Shore/Beach, South Dakota, Carolinas, C&O towpath, we haul bikes often and anywhere we might ride | 1 |
| Eastern shore of Maryland, Bowie MD. | 1 |
| Eastern Shore Maryland | 1 |
| Eastern shore and southern Anne Arundel county | 1 |
| Eastern Maryland, e.g. Cambridge area | 1 |
| Delaware | 1 |
| Deep creek lake area, massunutten western slope | 1 |
| Dc area. Mount Vernon trail, c and o canal, wod trail etc. | 1 |
| DC and Virginia | 1 |
| DC and Alexandria on the bicycle trails and parks | 1 |
| Cypress Creek Park bus mountain bike trails with plenty of signage. | 1 |
| County roads, WMRT, Route 9 Bike Trail Berkeley County WV | 1 |
| County roads north and east of Rt15 and roads in the Catoctins. | 1 |
| Chattahoochee National Forest, Georgia White Clay Creek, Delaware Raystown Lake, PA area | 1 |
| Charles County, Montgomery County, Prince George's County, Fauquier County, Loudoun County, Howard County, Anne Arundel County, Calvert County, | 1 |
| Carroll, Washington, and Loudoun County | 1 |
| Carroll County, MD | 1 |
| Carroll County, Gettysburg, southern York & Adams Counties | 1 |
| Carroll County! | 1 |

Carroll County and up into Gettysburg area. The biggest problem by far is driver education/hatred of cyclists/impatience. Some actively try to cut us off or force us nearly off the road. It's so dangerous. It's not most people but it only takes one bad moment to kill me or my friends. 1

Carroll County 1

Carroll City, Howard City, and southern Pa. Anne Arundel and Calvert counties offer decent roads, just not as convenient. 1

Carroll and Howard counties. 1

Carrol County, Washington County, Western Howard County, Bowie to North Beach, into PA from High Rock/PenMar to McSherrystown, Montgomery County. 1

Capitol Crescent trail 1

Capital Trail in Virginia Dismal Swamp Trail Chesapeake VA 1

Cacapon resort state park - WV Patapsco state park - MD Michaud state forest - PA Seneca Creek state park - MD 1

C/O Canal 1

C&O Canal, Rail Trail, WO&D 1

C&O Canal towpath Gettysburg NBP Western Maryland Rail Trail Central Maryland Rail Trail/ Gunpowder State Park 1

C&O canal outside the county, w&od trail, western md rail trail, cool spring in bluemont, va. 1

C&O Canal in Montgomery and Washington counties 1

C&O canal and NCR trail 1

C&O canal Anacostia river trail in DC Mount Vernon Trail in DC/VA 1

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C&O 1

C and O Canal path 1

Bike trails all over the East Coast. Loudon County gravel road. Anywhere I can find quiet road s with no lines painted on them!!! 1

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| Bike parks like Snowshoe & Bryce | 1 |
| Berkeley county, George Washington national forest | 1 |
| Belgium (home country), or any place with a decent amount of completely grade separated infrastructure and lower traffic volume/ less car dependence. | 1 |
| Beautiful scenery | 1 |
| Beach, Harford County, Virginia Rail and Trails, PA - Gettysburg, others, | 1 |
| Baltimore Co. / Eastern Shore of MD / Southern WI | 1 |
| B&A trail. BWI loop, eastern shore | 1 |
| As a road biker we desperately need shoulders on ALL roads that bikers can ride on. So many roads have zero shoulders and it's dangerous. | 1 |
| Arlington VA due to their robust trail system. | 1 |
| Anywhere, lol. | 1 |
| Anywhere without vehicles | 1 |
| Anywhere safe where there are fewer cars. The cars are very aggressive. It is really getting worse and Frederick. | 1 |
| Anywhere north or west of Frederick County. Never go south into Montgomery County too dangerous. Sometimes go east into Mt Airy and Taneytown areas. Lots of southern PA and West Virginia. | 1 |
| Anywhere motor vehicles don't go. I choose not dying by dodge ram and there's nothing painted lines can do about that. | 1 |
| Anywhere in Europe. Road design, public transit and planning are critical in creating a vibrant cycling and pedestrian community, as is evident in much of Europe. No city better understands this than Amsterdam. With a population of over 1 million, and a desire to favor cycling and walking over vehicle travel, they have created a beautiful, quiet, city that is simply a joy to experience. Their traffic fatalities are a fraction of ours, their population is healthier and happier, and the cost to maintain the pedestrian/cycling infrastructure is much less than what our auto-centric planning creates everyday. | 1 |
| Anywhere I get to put my wheels, but Crescent Meadows and the Morrison Slide trails in Colorado hold a special place in my heart. | 1 |
| Any single-track trail in the area | 1 |

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| Anne Arundel County near Chesapeake Beach. Montgomery County near Poolesville. | 1 |
| Anne Arundel County is doing things right. I'm afraid to ride in Frederick County, especially Frederick City. Drivers are aggressive and hate cyclists | 1 |
| Anacostia Trail, Western Maryland Trail, Hilton Head SC | 1 |
| Anacostia River Trail, Maryland trail network between Bladensburg and Wheaton, e.g., Rachel Carson Trail and Sligo Creek Trail and NW & NE Branches of ART. | 1 |
| Amsterdam | 1 |
| All mountain bike trails around DC. DC to Pittsburg. | 1 |
| Adams County, Pa | 1 |
| Adams county | 1 |
| (FYI the ranking question does not work) | 1 |
| MoCo Ag reserve | 1 |

Answered: 343 Skipped: 107