

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES

Brenden Paradies

Planner, City of Aurora

Brenden Paradies is a planner with the City of Aurora whose primary role has been the implementation and regulation of bike-sharing programs. He created rules and regulations for the implementation of the city's bike-sharing permit program and manages the city's operations, logistics and communication strategies with bike-sharing companies.

Prior to working in Aurora, Brenden worked with the Chicago Park District. He has a Master of Urban Planning and Policy from the University of Illinois at Chicago.

Cindy Patton

Acting Manager of Parking and Mobility Services, Denver Department of Public Works

Cindy Patton is the acting manager of parking and mobility services at the City and County of Denver's Department of Public Works, where, since 2008, she has held various roles from associate city planner to parking and planning manager. Cindy oversees a team managing the city's on- and off-street parking assets and an array of mobility service programs including car- and bike-sharing, valet, bike parking, parking permit programs, shared mobility, on-street electric vehicle charging stations and transportation demand management.

Austin Good

Management Analyst, City of Lone Tree

Austin Good is a management analyst for the City of Lone Tree. Austin works in a cross-departmental role as a project manager for the city, where he focuses on innovation initiatives including dockless bike sharing and Link on Demand, a microtransit pilot project with Uber.

Prior to his work in Lone Tree, Austin worked with the League of Kansas Municipalities in Topeka, and as a sustainable building associate with the Institute for the Built Environment at Colorado State University. He has a Master of Public Administration from the University of Kansas.

Hans Reichgelt

Trails Specialist, City of Westminster

Hans Reichgelt is the trails specialist for the City of Westminster, where he creates and manages outdoor recreation opportunities including archery, paddleboarding and hiking. He helped launch Westminster's first bike-sharing program and has worked with Zagster and local partners to expand the program beyond Westminster.

Previously, Hans worked with Denver Public Schools, Rocky Mountain Pathways and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. He holds a Bachelor of Science in recreation, tourism and therapeutic recreation from Winona State University in Minnesota.