MISSION
Bike Works promotes the bicycle as a vehicle for change to empower youth and build resilient communities.

VISION
Mobilized people. Thriving communities. Healthy planet.

A YEAR IN NUMBERS - 2020

- 100+ COMMUNITY PARTNERS
- 1,046 YOUTH PARTICIPANTS
- 832 BIKES GIVEN AWAY TO LOW INCOME YOUTH AND ADULTS
- 100% OF SCHOLARSHIP NEEDS MET
- 226K+ POUNDS OF MATERIAL DIVERTED FROM THE LANDFILL
- 8,286 BIKE SHOP TRANSACTIONS
- 1,074 ADULT PARTICIPANTS
- 7,547 BIKES DONATED TO BIKE WORKS

ESSENTIAL SERVICES
As the only bike shop in Southeast Seattle, we have worked hard to find new ways to sell and repair bikes safely throughout the pandemic. From launching a web store in the spring of 2020, to reopening our doors to the public in the summer of 2021, we have adapted our shop operations in order to continue providing essential transportation and recreation services to the community.

$10 OFF
YOUR TOTAL PURCHASE OVER $50!
REDEEM IN WEBSTORE WITH CODE \F21 OR BRING THIS COUPON TO THE BIKE SHOP!

VISIT
SHOP.BIKWORKS.ORG
Expires 10/31/2022

INCREASING ACCESS
Increasing access to free bikes and bike repair in communities without bike shops has been central to our work since 1996. In 2020, we gave away over 800 bikes to youth, adults, and families from low-income households. We partner with organizations like Byrd Barr Place and the Marvin Thomas Memorial Fund (pictured) in order to connect with community members who face barriers to bicycle ownership or reliable transportation.

APPLY FOR A FREE BIKE THROUGH BIKES-FOR-ALL! BIKWORKS.ORG/BIKES-FOR-ALL
**The BikeMobile**

The BikeMobile is our mobile bike shop, serving “bikex desert” neighborhoods in South King County with free and sliding-scale bike repair. In 2020, the BikeMobile served 1,233 youth & adults at parks, community centers, and partner sites. We responded to the increased demand for these services by adding new BikeMobile locations to the calendar, such as Delridge’s High Point Community.

Alex, age 12, is a student at Mercer Middle School in Beacon Hill. He found out about the BikeMobile during a Bike Works bike giveaway event at school. He now brings his Novara Ariba LT to the BikeMobile every week at John C Little Park to make sure it is in tip-top shape. “Jim [Bike Works Adult Program Specialist] taught me how to do all kinds of stuff to my bike,” Alex says. “When I’m on my bike, I feel grounded. I feel free.”

**25 Years of Building Community**

2021 marks 25 years of providing educational, recreational, environmental, and transportation services to the community. We are implementing our next five-year Strategic Plan, which centers racial equity, focuses on youth leadership, and deeply engages community. Part of our community-building work over the last year included our 25th Anniversary Celebration, Bikeclement!, with a group ride led by Executive Director Ed Ewing.

We also hosted a free community ride and picnic on car-free Lake Washington Boulevard in August 2021. Shout-out to all of the community members and local businesses who supported Bike Works events in 2020 – 2021.

**Keep Up with Our Web Calendar for Upcoming Events! BikeWorks.org/Calendar**

**Take Action!**

Donate your bike or organize a bike drive [bikeworks.org/donate-a-bike](http://bikeworks.org/donate-a-bike)

Make a single or recurring gift to Bike Works: [bikeworks.org/donate](http://bikeworks.org/donate)

Sign up for the Bike Works e-newsletter: [bikeworks.org/about](http://bikeworks.org/about)

Attend or sponsor a Bike Works event: [bikeworks.org/calendar](http://bikeworks.org/calendar)

Check out our youth and adult programs: [bikeworks.org/programs](http://bikeworks.org/programs)

Fill out our survey to help us better understand our community: [bit.ly/bikeworkssurvey](http://bit.ly/bikeworkssurvey)

Questions? Call 206.695.2607 or email info@bikeworks.org

**Education and Leadership**

After more than a year of connecting with youth online or from a distance, it was so special to welcome youth back into our space for in-person programs in 2021. In addition to our signature mechanics class, Earn-a-Bike, and our weekend and summer riding clubs and camps, current leadership opportunities include participation in our BIPOC Cohort. In this program, young people who identify as Black, Indigenous, and People of Color with an interest in social justice hone their facilitation and mentorship skills through bike riding and repair. We also hire youth program alumni as Young Adult Mentors to drive our bike education curriculum and lead drop-in volunteer bike repair sessions.

We have educational opportunities for adults as well. Our classes for adults create opportunities to learn basic and advanced bike repair, and even wheel building.
Thank you! Individual Supporters

Thanks to each and every one of you, and to the staff, volunteers, and in-kind donors who make Bike Works possible.