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New Mobility Hubs: Connecting the dots

The next generation of urban transportation is about connecting the dots, bringing diverse innovations together in ways that work better for users than the single occupancy vehicle alone.

- Sue Zielinski reports from Ann Arbor MI USA.

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The Two Per Cent Solution

The goal is to put World Streets on a solid financial footing, to ensure its continued high quality contribution through 2012. After five months of [highly acclaimed](#) daily publication, we are off to a strong start but are going to need outside support to continue. Fortunately, we have a plan:

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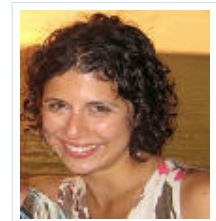


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How Soon Will Cutting Transportation Emissions Save Money?

From the rough and tumble world of US transportation politics, [Elana Schor](#) of [DC.STREETSBLOG.org](#) takes an independent look at the [Moving Cooler](#) report, and tries to help those of us who do not necessarily understand DC-speak what it means for the real world.

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"Solving humanity's most pressing problems". Comments?

The Buckminster Fuller Challenge

"Each year a distinguished jury awards a \$100,000 prize to support the development and implementation of a strategy that has significant potential to solve humanity's most pressing problems and the 2009 results are in!"

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Thinking out loud about the World Naked Bike Ride.

If you have narrow notions about how people should get about in cities, World Streets is probably not the place for you. We take a big house approach. It's the only way to go. Which means that every day brings its fair share of surprises, rattling in more often than not without advance notice from many different places, different kinds of people, with a huge span of ideas, values and concerns. Look what slipped through the door late last night. New Mobility without frills.



- Charles Montgomery reporting from Portland OR USA

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Report: Carsharing in the United States 2009

This just published four thousand dollar (EUR 2,995.00) report, in its own words: "Provides Insight into the External and Internal Factors Affecting Consumption and Trends". The table of contents and list of figures provide a checklist of what they consider worth looking into. Check them out here.



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Public Bikes – How big a system? And why?

One of the complaints currently being voiced in the UK press about the new public bike start-up in the city of Bristol is that it is too small, insufficiently visible and generally hard to get at – and that it thus fails to achieve the level of massive use that is necessary if what you want is a *city transformation* project. Is that what your public bicycle project is supposed to do? Transform your city?



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Walking to School - Italian style

"Piedibus" -- "Walking Bus" in Italian -- is the first article posted from our newly-born sister publication, *Nuova Mobilità*. And to open up our minds to the big and varied world out there, here it is in the original Italian -- with a convenient one click link to a workable if not perfect machine translation into English. If you want to know, you will know. Buon appetito.



- *Enrico Bonfatti reporting from Bergamo, Italy*

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Tools: Combined searching all World Streets key links

There are a number of powerful tools you can access here, mainly through the left toolbar. But since this site is still insufficiently indexed for clarity (stay tuned!) here is one you may have missed. A combined search engine that with a single click searches the contents of all 135 (at last count) **Key Links & Sources** identified as among the outstanding sources of information on matters of interest to our readers.



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