

**BIKE TOUR of Shockoe Bottom and the Cannon Creek Greenway Greenway  
with Jakob Helmboldt, Richmond's pedestrian, bicycle and trails coordinator**

*Meet at 1 p.m. on April 8 at the main entrance to the downtown Hilton*

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MAXIMUM 12 participants: Each participant will need to be able -

- to provide their own bike and helmet in good condition
- to ride with traffic on City streets and obey all traffic laws
- to stand for brief safety instructions, and get on and off a bicycle without assistance
- be able to ride at least 8 miles per hour for up to 15 miles without assistance (5-6 breaks planned)
- to ride for several hours under these conditions

Things to Know and Bring -

- Electric bikes can be rented on your own from KulWheels on Grace Street
- Check to make sure your bicycle is in a good state of repair and is sized for you (seat should be at hip level).
- Dress for the weather, we will go no matter what, unless there are thunderstorms, intense rain, ice or snow
- Wear closed-toed shoes
- Bring: sunscreen if needed and a water bottle
- The route is hilly; distance probably 12-15 miles. All riding surfaces are paved.

Specific meeting point: Downtown Hilton

After a brief safety instruction, Jakob will lead you on the tour of the Greenway.



The tour will last about 2-3 hours depending on many factors. The ride will introduce you to an urban greenway, the Shockoe Valley Streets Improvement Project, several urban agriculture ventures, and other revitalization efforts that have been undertaken in the City of Richmond. Tour leaders will describe how projects were accomplished along the route.

**Field trip sponsored by the City of Richmond and BikeWalk RVA**