

## Lead North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit

### Partners

- City of North Bay
- North Bay Police Service
- Near North DSB
- Nipissing Parry Sound DCSB
- Conseil scolaire Catholique Franco-Nord
- Nipissing Parry Sound STS
- Canadian Cancer Society
- Discovery Routes Trail Organization
- Nipissing University



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**Budget** \$240,000 (\$100,000 OAST Fund + \$140,000 matching local support)

### Overview

Building on a previous pilot, the project introduced School Travel Planning to select schools across North Bay in alignment with the city's new Active Transportation Master Plan.

### Project highlights

- » School-level surveys identified priorities including new bike racks, improved sidewalk maintenance and introduction of communal bus stops.
- » New engagement strategies strengthened parent involvement in promotional events.
- » Developed a new student-led model for delivering cycling safety training that connected youth from secondary and elementary schools.

### What they're saying

*"We believe that School Travel Planning in North Bay will benefit the community by moving towards a cultural shift to address the decline in active school travel."*

- Chuck Seguin, Executive Director, Nipissing-Parry Sound Student Transportation Services