Bicycle Friendly Community program

- Award program by the national League of American Bicyclists
- Strongly correlated to “good” lists

- **Bronze**: Batavia, Champaign, Elmhurst, Glenview, Naperville, Normal, Oak Park, Schaumburg, Warrenville. **Silver**: Chicago, Evanston. **Gold**: Urbana

BFC Success – Based on “5 E’s”

BFC Designation – It’s a Process

- Quick “BFC Community Assessment” to start
- Application itself is a learning tool
- Most towns do not win the first time
- Customized feedback, assistance from LAB

BFC Designation – It’s a Team Effort

- It’s not just the town’s responsibility!
- Local cyclists often help complete application
- Can help strengthen 5 E’s, especially Education, Encouragement

BFC help available: Ride Illinois

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