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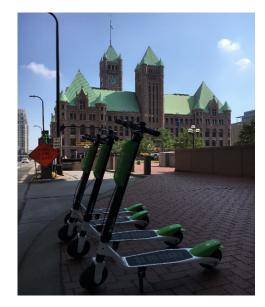
## 2019 Motorized Foot Scooter Pilot



## 2018 Scooter Pilot – Recap

- Pilot began Aug 6<sup>th</sup>, 200 scooters total
  - Bird and Lime started at 100 scooters each
- U of MN began its own pilot in Sept, 100 scooters total
  - Bird and Lime started at 50 scooters each
  - Increased to 200 scooters total in October
- At peak of both pilots, up to 600 scooters in Minneapolis
- Minneapolis and U of MN pilots both ended on Nov 30<sup>th</sup>
- 225,543 total rides, 1,566 rides per day
- 74,877 unique users
- 92.7% of city streets and off-street trails were ridden on





## 2018 Scooter Pilot - Survey Data

#### **Behavior**

- 62% responded as using scooters multiple times per month, of those 19% responded as using multiple times per week
- 69% responded that scooter availability (lack of) prevented them from riding more often
- 35% responded as non-users of bicycles, likely indicating lack of familiarity or comfort with bikeway network
- 42% of responses stated decrease in use of personal vehicles, TNCs, or taxis with access to scooters
- In describing their most recent trip, 95% selected a real destination (home, work, etc..) rather than riding for fun
- 80% responded that they were either satisfied or very satisfied with scooter companies overall

#### **Demographics**

- 61% of respondents live in a Minneapolis zip code
- 25% of respondents live in a greater Twin Cities zip code
- 68% of respondents identified gender as male
- 88% of respondents identified race as white
- Average age of respondents was 30
- 70% of respondents reported household income of \$50,000 or greater
- 19% of respondents reported household income of \$25,000 or less
- 11% of respondents own zero cars, 34% one car, and 55% two or more

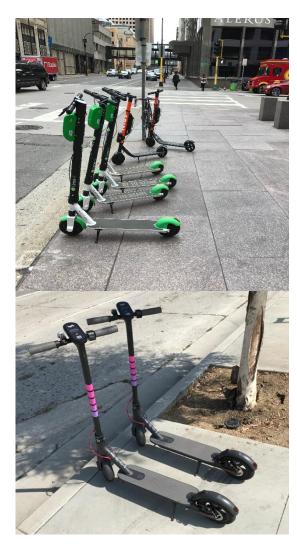
### 2018 Scooter Pilot - Conclusions

In evaluating the 2018 pilot, Public Works developed the following conclusions:

- Climate Scooters contributed to reduction in Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Vehicle Miles Travelled
- Safety Safety and accessibility for all who interact with scooters was a primary concern
- Equity Equitable access was lacking, both in geographic distribution of scooters and awareness of low income pricing and alternative access options
- Prosperity Scooters provided an additional transportation option to access education and jobs
- Mobility Scooters were a meaningful mobility choice throughout the pilot
- Active Partnerships Close collaboration with numerous internal and external stakeholders, partner agencies, peer cities, and transportation organizations contributed to the success of the pilot

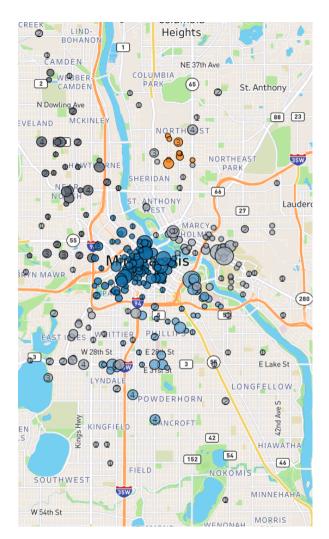
## 2019 Scooter Pilot – Policy Update

- Renewed and extended initial pilot for 1 year term through March of 2020
- 7 interested vendors participated in RFQ, including plans for:
  - Safe Riding and Parking Compliance
  - Local Education and Outreach
  - Low Income Pricing and Alternative Access
  - Scooter Availability and Distribution
- JUMP, Lime, Lyft, and Spin selected (JUMP chose not to participate)

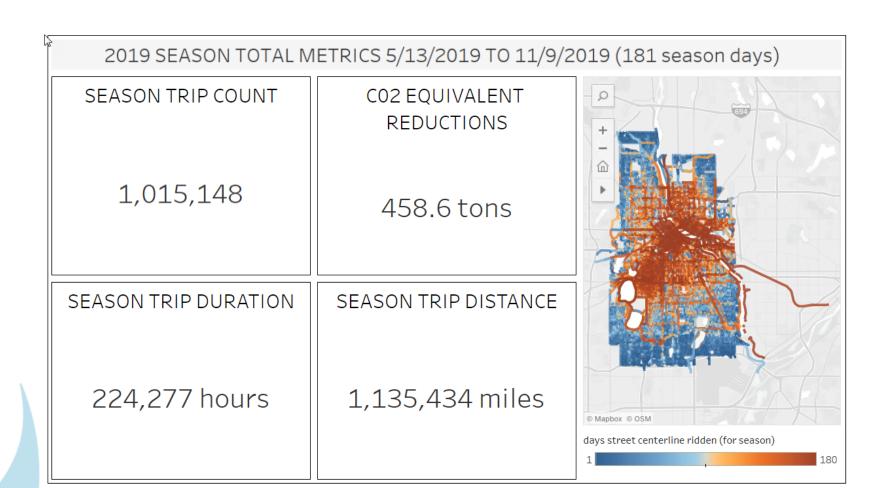


## 2019 Scooter Pilot – Policy Update

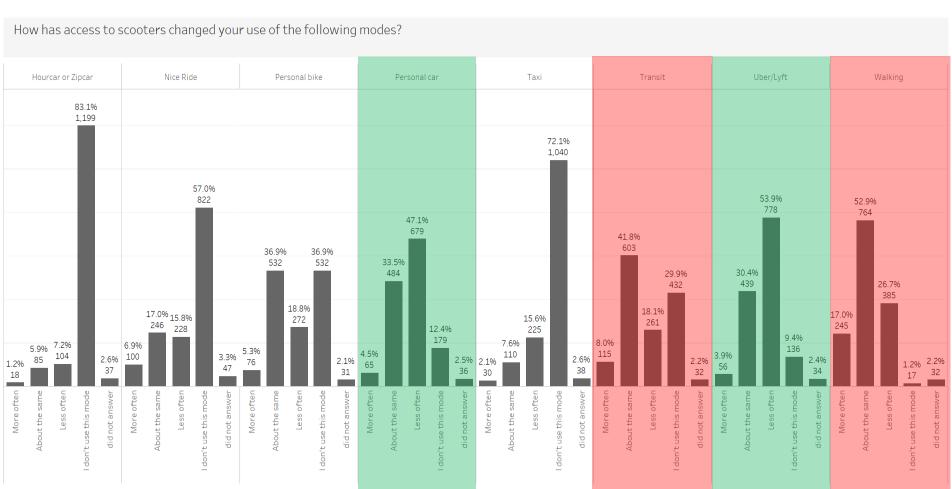
- Minimum and maximum distribution requirements
  - At least 30% in Areas of Concentrated Poverty (min 600)
  - Not more than 40% in Downtown and surrounding neighborhoods (max 800)
- Initial maximum of 2,000 scooters with two possible performance based increases
- Public Works may increase or decrease the maximum number of scooters based on performance targets and compliance
- Required fee of \$100 per scooter
  - Support oversight and regulation
    Support infrastructure improvements



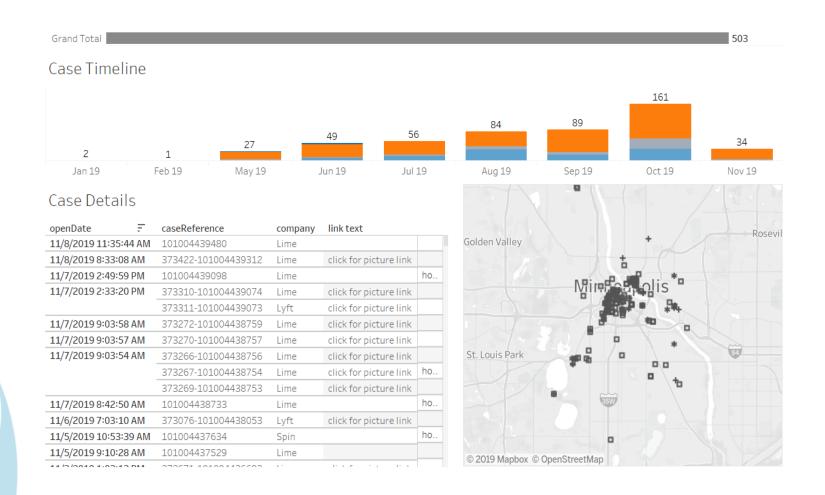
### 2019 Scooter Pilot – Metrics



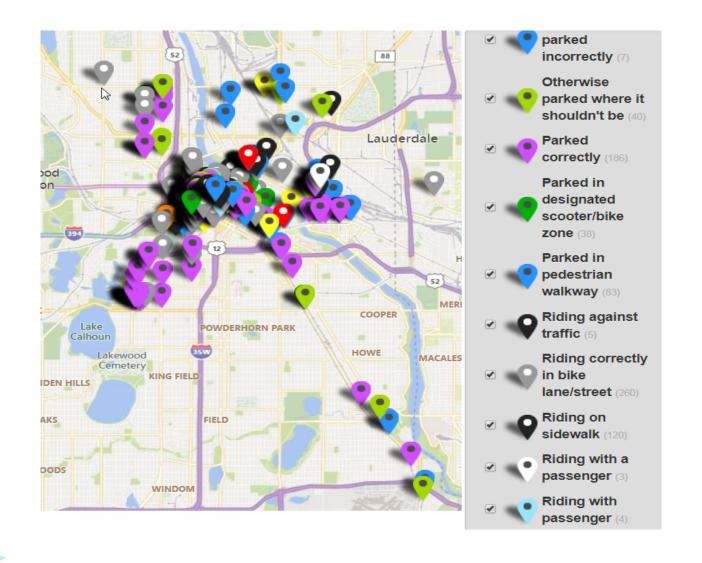
# 2019 Scooter Pilot – Survey Data



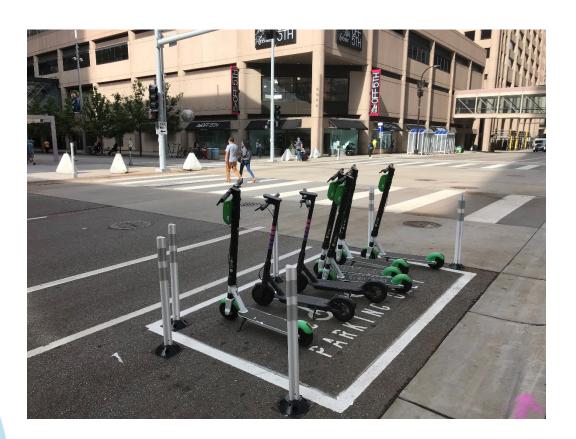
# 2019 Scooter Pilot - Complaints



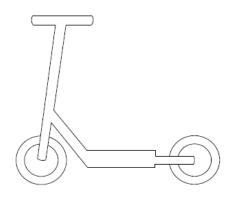
#### 2019 Scooter Pilot – Observations



### 2019 Scooter Pilot – Infrastructure







#### 2019 Scooter Pilot - Evaluation

Following the 2019 pilot, Public Works intends to evaluate the following:

- Climate Impact on Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Vehicle Miles Travelled, including fleet operations
- Safety Safety and accessibility for all who interact with scooters
- Equity Scooters as a viable transportation option for all in Minneapolis
- Prosperity Scooters as a contributor to economic growth
- Mobility How scooters are used to connect with transit and other modes
- Active Partnerships What types of collaboration are key to long term success

## Questions

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