

# **About Us**



### Introductions



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# Office of Administration and Planning



### CITY SERVICES OF OHIO STATE

Transportation, construction, real estate, public safety, printing



### **OUR COMMUNICATION TEAM**

Five full-time staff dedicated to supporting the communication needs for the "City Services of Ohio State"



### **SERVICE OFFERINGS**

Strategic communications, crisis management, media relations, social media, email marketing, graphic design, videography and more









### OHIO STATE'S PARKING CONCESSION MANAGER

Parking operations, CapEx projects, event management, sustainability, sponsorships



### **OUR COMMUNICATION TEAM**

Three full-time staff dedicated to supporting the communication needs for Ohio State's parking system



### **SERVICE OFFERINGS**

Customer communications, crisis support, public relations management, social media, website content management, NIL coordination and sponsorship promotion





# How we Collaborate

With growth comes communication



### **BI-WEEKLY COMMUNICATION MEETINGS**

A re-occurring cadence assists with consistency



### MICROSOFT TEAMS

Communication members from across the university contribute



### CONSTRUCTION/EVENT IMPACTS

Coordinate to communicate parking and travel impacts





# Our Strategy



# "The role of transparent, frequent, and encouraging communication when navigating uncertainty shouldn't be underestimated."

- Corporate Communications Are Key to Success During a Pandemic, National Library of Medicine





### The 3 C's

- Collaboration
  - Identify issues and goals early
- Coordination
  - Determine resolution, roles and responsibilities
- Communication
  - Develop and implement plan
  - Maintain transparent, consistent messaging
- Parking and transportation impacts are not always "glamorous"
- Provide the gift of time





# **Target Audience**







**Staff** 



**Faculty** 



**Patients** 

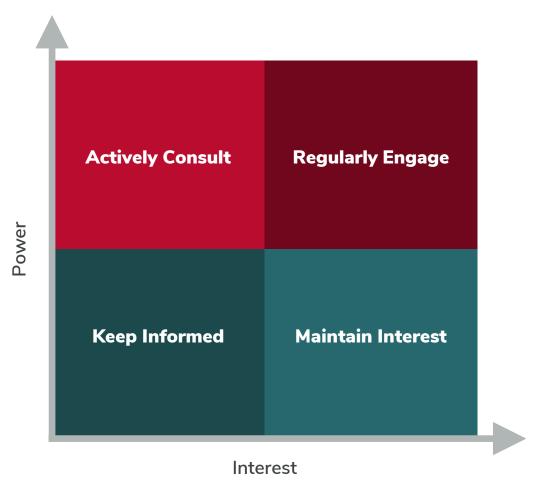


**Visitors** 



# Audience Engagement

- Identify stakeholders and potential gaps
- Develop tailored strategies
- Maximize resources

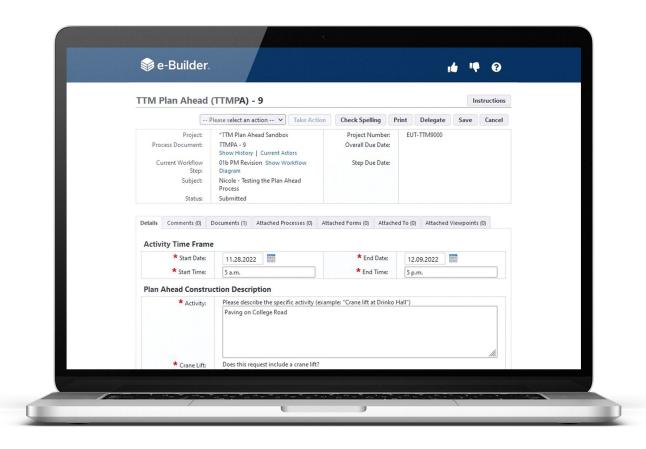






# **Global Logistics Coordination**

- Formal Impact Approval Process
- Microsoft Office Teams
  - Weekly Virtual Meetings, Recordings
  - Impact Notes
- Representatives
  - Transportation and Traffic
  - Parking
  - Public Safety
  - Construction
  - Athletics
  - Student Life
  - Medical Center
  - University Registrar
  - IT
- Travel Impact Map
- University Communication Channels







# Parking Advisory Committee (PAC)

- Microsoft Office Teams
  - Quarterly updates
- Representatives
  - Academic Departments
  - Student Government
  - University Staff Advisory Committee
  - Transportation and Traffic
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## **Channel Considerations**

1

**DIGITAL** 

Websites
University newsletters
Targeted customer emails
Ohio State App
Text Alert

2

**SIGNAGE** 

Parking lot signage
Solar signboards
Digital screens

3

**SOCIAL** 

Facebook Instagram Twitter Reddit





## **Social Trends**





### i hate campus parc

Rant

Everyone does, but they gave me an 83-dollar ticket and a 50-dollar ticket on the same day 📵 and I was only over the time limit by a few min. I tried to use an old ticket and keep it on my window so they would leave me alone, but that didn't work. And they kept giving me "no front plate" tickets all last year, so now I need to park head in...





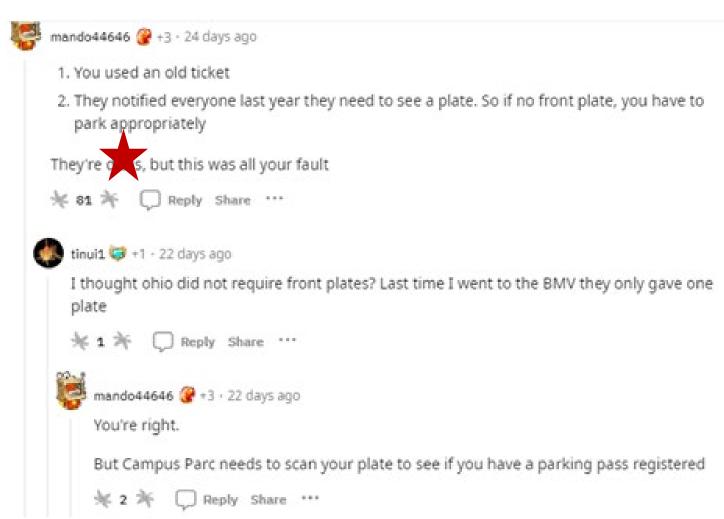








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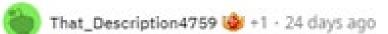


# **Social Trends**



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FlashyHippo @ +3 - 24 days ago
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It seems like everyone that hates campus parc can't follow rules.



Like the guy on here a couple weeks ago that was mad that they caught him parked in the handicap spot?

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¥ 50 ≯ □ Reply Share ···
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Ngl, these posters has improved my perception of Campus Parc





# **Highlights: Travel Impacts**

### Calendar

#### **MAY '23**

**Spring Commencement** 

Spring graduation at Ohio Stadium

#### **JULY '23**

Parking permits on sale

Faculty / staff permits available in July, student permits available in August

### **SEPTEMBER '23**

Football Season Kickoff

Eight home football games at Ohio Stadium

### APRIL '23

'23-'24 Bus Service Announced, Spring Game/4 Miler

Provide updates on bus service changes heading into fall semester

Football game at Ohio Stadium, race event restricting access to roadways and parking

### **JUNE '23**

**Summer Construction** 

Construction ramps up during summer semester

#### **AUGUST '23**

Ohio Stadium Concerts, Autumn Semester Begins

Stevie Nicks and Billy Joel Motley Crue, Def Leppard Morgan Wallen, 2-Days

#### **OCTOBER '23**

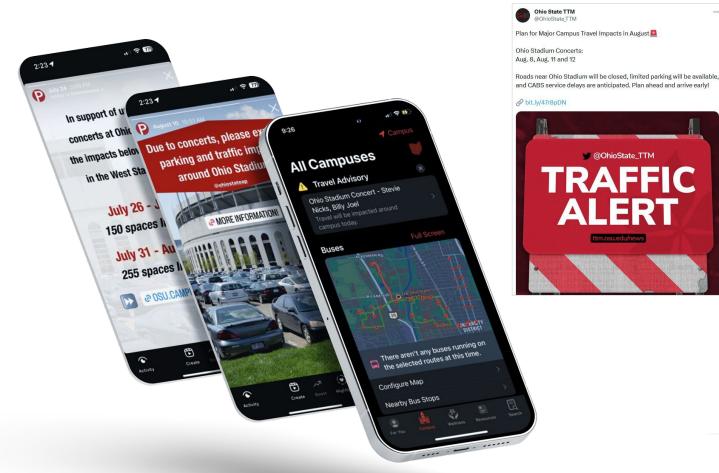
Major Roadway Impacts, Bus Route Changes, Events

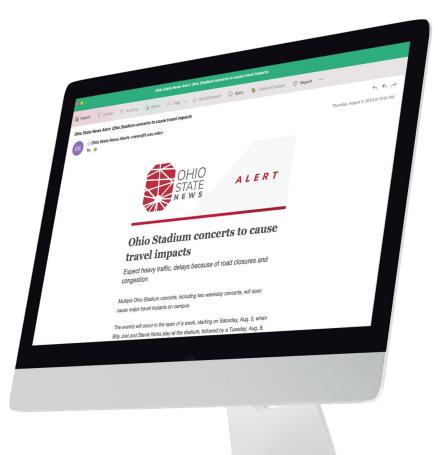
Major corridor closes, rerouting bus traffic, university plans for multiple, major events affecting traffic





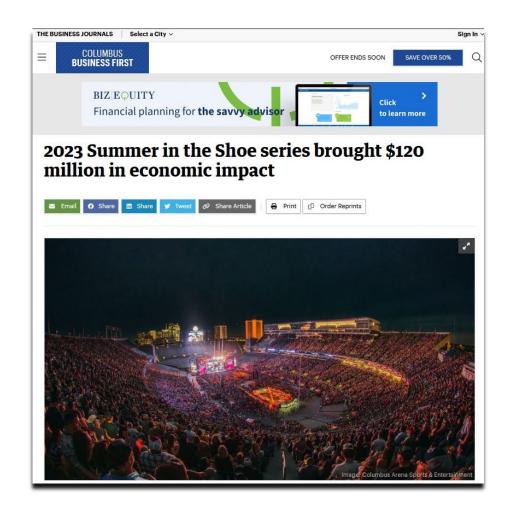
# Travel & Parking Impact Communications





# By the Numbers:

- Events:
  - Stevie Nicks and Billy Joel
  - Motley Crue, Def Leppard
  - Morgan Wallen, 2-Days
- Social: 200 engagements
- Website: 3,500
- App: 2,000
- University-wide Email:
  - Unique content: 18,759 opens (26% open rate) of 72,507
  - Other content: ~11-18% open rate, increases over time







# Highlights: Safety



# **Safety**



September 6, 2022

The following message is being shared with parking permit holders in collaboration with The Ohio State University Police Division.

Theft of Hyundai and Kia model vehicles has been on the rise in Columbus and nationally. Specifically, models that use an inserted key instead of push button ignition are being targeted by thieves as easier to steal.

One possible deterrent to auto theft is a physical anti-theft steering lock (like the Club) on the steering wheel of your vehicle. While Kia and Hyundai vehicles are being targeted, any vehicle can be stolen or targeted.

Additional steps to prevent theft include:

- Use an anti-theft steering wheel lock
- Lock doors and secure the vehicle
- · Park in well-lit areas
- Do not leave keys or other valuables inside your vehicle

If you see something suspicious, report it to the police. On campus, call University Police at 614-292-2121. Off-campus, report incidents to the Columbus Division of Police at 614-645-4545. Always dial 9-1-1 in emergencies.

### **Protect Against Auto Theft**

August 11, 2022



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#### Protect yourself.

- Park in well-lit, high-traffic areas.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- · Avoid distractions while walking.
- · Avoid walking alone, particularly at night.

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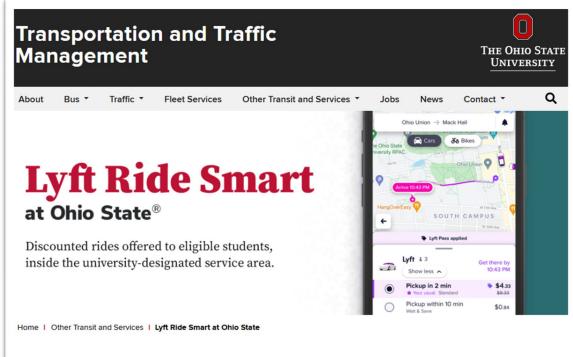
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A message from CampusParc and The Ohio State University Department of Public Safety

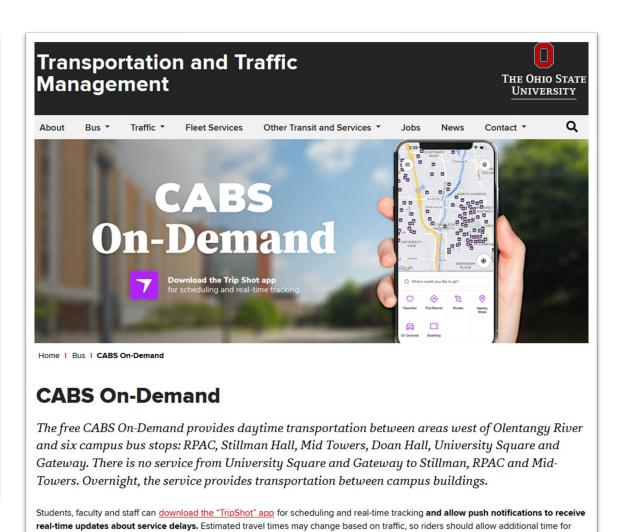
#StaySafeBuckeyes

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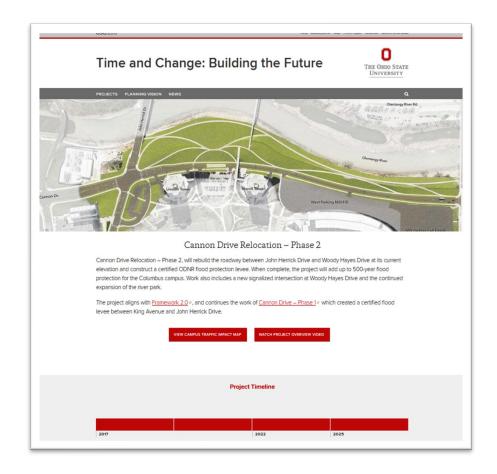


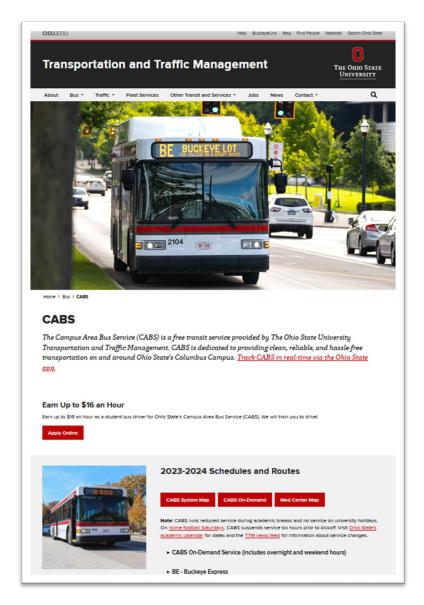
### Lyft Ride Smart at Ohio State

Lyft Ride Smart at Ohio State offers eligible students discounted rides, inside the university-designated <u>service area</u>, and has expanded service to the Short North area along High Street. Service runs from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. Prices may be impacted by distance, traffic, time of day, special events and prime time surcharges.



# Other Examples









# What's Next?



# The Future of Communications

What does the future of parking and traffic-related communications look like to you?





# Mentimeter



