

## PRESS RELEASE

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### **City to Hold Bicycle/Pedestrian Master Plan Open House** *All are invited to attend this public meeting on Thursday, January 31*

The flyer has a green background with a large, faint silhouette of a person riding a bicycle. At the top, in a dark green box, it says "The City of Lockport is updating their Bicycle Master Plan. We want to hear from you!". Below this, the text "LOCKPORT Bike Master Plan Open House" is prominently displayed in red and blue. Further down, it says "Join us to share your thoughts and ideas for the new bike and trail connections. This is a family friendly event — Children are welcome!". The date and time are listed as "Thursday, January 31st 6:30 - 8:30 pm". The location is "City Hall, Third Floor Council Chambers 222 E. 9th Street". At the bottom right, there are logos for the City of Lockport and GreenbergFarrow.

Lockport, IL – The City of Lockport recently began to update its Bicycle/Pedestrian Master Plan to evaluate and implement additional opportunities for recreational amenities, alternative modes of transportation, and connecting our City to surrounding communities. The City’s current plan was published in 2003, and the new plan is expected to be available in late summer 2019.

On Thursday, January 31, residents are invited to share their thoughts and ideas for new bike and trail connections at the City’s Open House. The meeting will be held from 6:30-8:30 PM at City Hall in Council Chambers on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor.

Input gathered from residents at the meeting will be used to develop the draft plan. Residents will also have an opportunity to review exhibits describing existing conditions, and concepts and locations of new bicycle and trail connections, and ask questions of project consultants from GreenbergFarrow.

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