



## news release

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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### **Breakfast at the Bridges Kickoff Event-Amazon Path June 19th**

The City of Eugene will be hosting its Breakfast at the Bridges starting this month on Friday, June 19th from 7:00 am to 9:30 am at the Amazon bike path at Amazon and 24th. The event will include free breakfast, bike safety and other information from both the City of Eugene and GEARS, free bike bells installed on bikes, and bike safety checks and tune ups provided by Collin's Cycle Shop. This is the first Breakfast at the Bridges for the summer. The event will continue through the summer on the third Friday of every month.

Breakfast at the Bridges is designed for bike path users and commuters to stop by on their way to work, grab a quick bite to eat and a cup of coffee, meet City Staff, learn more about biking in Eugene, and get a quick safety check all at the same time. On June 19th, City of Eugene Staff will also be providing information on the upcoming Amazon Path Rehabilitation project that will be occurring on the Amazon path this summer, beginning in July. Construction will rehabilitate Amazon Path from 19th to 31st avenues, which has numerous cracks due to unstable, expansive-clay subsurface that was built in the 1970s. Information on the path project and alternate routes during construction will be provided during this event.

Thanks to all who have donated for this event: Collin's Cycle Shop, Wandering Goat Coffee Company, Bagel Sphere, Springfield Creamery, and GEARS.

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