

SIBLEY HOSPITAL TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT PLAN

Initiatives already in place:

- Sibley employees' work schedules are on three shifts starting at 7:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. This means that the hospital traffic peaks occur outside of the commuter peak hours that occur starting at 7:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Most Sibley commuters do not add to peak period congestion, and because they encounter only moderate congestion, they have no reason to cut through neighborhood streets, but rather remain on arterial streets.
- Sibley employees are provided with free parking, and parking on campus is abundant. This ensures that employees always find parking on campus most convenient and they have no reason to park on neighborhood streets. The Hospital asks that employees not park on neighborhood streets as part of a good neighbor policy, and that policy is enforced by the Hospital.
- Sibley administration has initiated a SmartBenefits/Metrochek transit benefits program and deducts pre-tax dollars for transit fare for all employees who register for this program.

Initiatives to be activated:

- Carpooling by employees will be encouraged by providing carpool spaces for registered rideshare groups. These parking spaces will be assigned and conveniently located as an incentive to form carpools.
- Sibley will provide ridesharing information to employees by creating a database and matching service to link existing carpools that wish to add riders and individuals who wish to join a carpool or form a carpool.
- Sibley will encourage employees to use public transportation by operating a shuttle bus service to the Friendship Heights Metrorail Station free to employees and to patients visiting the Medical Office Building (MOB). The shuttle will operate from 6:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday as shown on the attached route map. The information will be presented to employees at the employee meetings.
- Sibley will implement a new traffic routing plan for employees and visitors who drive. The purpose of this plan is to route traffic to Little Falls Road to access parking with the objective of reducing hospital traffic use of Loughboro Road.

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- Sibley has agreed to contribute to the new bike route along Dalecarlia Parkway as part of the DC Bicycle Master Plan to encourage more employees to bike to work.

Traffic safety improvements:

- As part of its application for the MOB, Sibley has proposed modifications to intersections in the vicinity of the Hospital that are intended to improve conditions that are presently unsafe due to poor design. Sibley will work with the community and District DOT to design and implement these improvements.



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-----> Indicates Proposed Shuttle Service Route

