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MEDIA ALERT:

Omnitrans to Open "Bike Hubitat" at San Bernardino Transit Center Low-Cost Workshop Benefits Customers, Community Members

WHO: Omnitrans, the public transit agency serving the San Bernardino Valley.

Inland Empire Biking Alliance, a non-profit organization whose goal is to make biking and walking safer and accessible in the Inland Empire.

San Bernardino Generation Now, a non-profit organization which strives to empower and unite communities through education, economic development, and civic participation.

WHAT: Omnitrans and its partners are introducing the "Bike Hubitat," a low-cost, do-it-yourself workshop where community members can learn to maintain and repair their own bicycles under the guidance of IEBA staff, utilizing the group's donated tools. The Hubitat mirrors the Successful IEBA Redlands Bike BBQ project, and cost varies by repair.

WHEN: Grand Opening – Monday, May 9 from 12:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Ongoing Hubitats – Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.

WHERE: San Bernardino Transit Center

599 West Rialto Ave., San Bernardino

GRAND OPENING VISUAL/INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITIES:

- o David Sylvester, "Hugs & High Fives" tours: www.davidhalesylvester.com
- Mobile bike workshop
- o Giveaways and prizes

More information on the Bike Hubitat: Bike Hubitat blog piece

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