The Virginia Capital Trail

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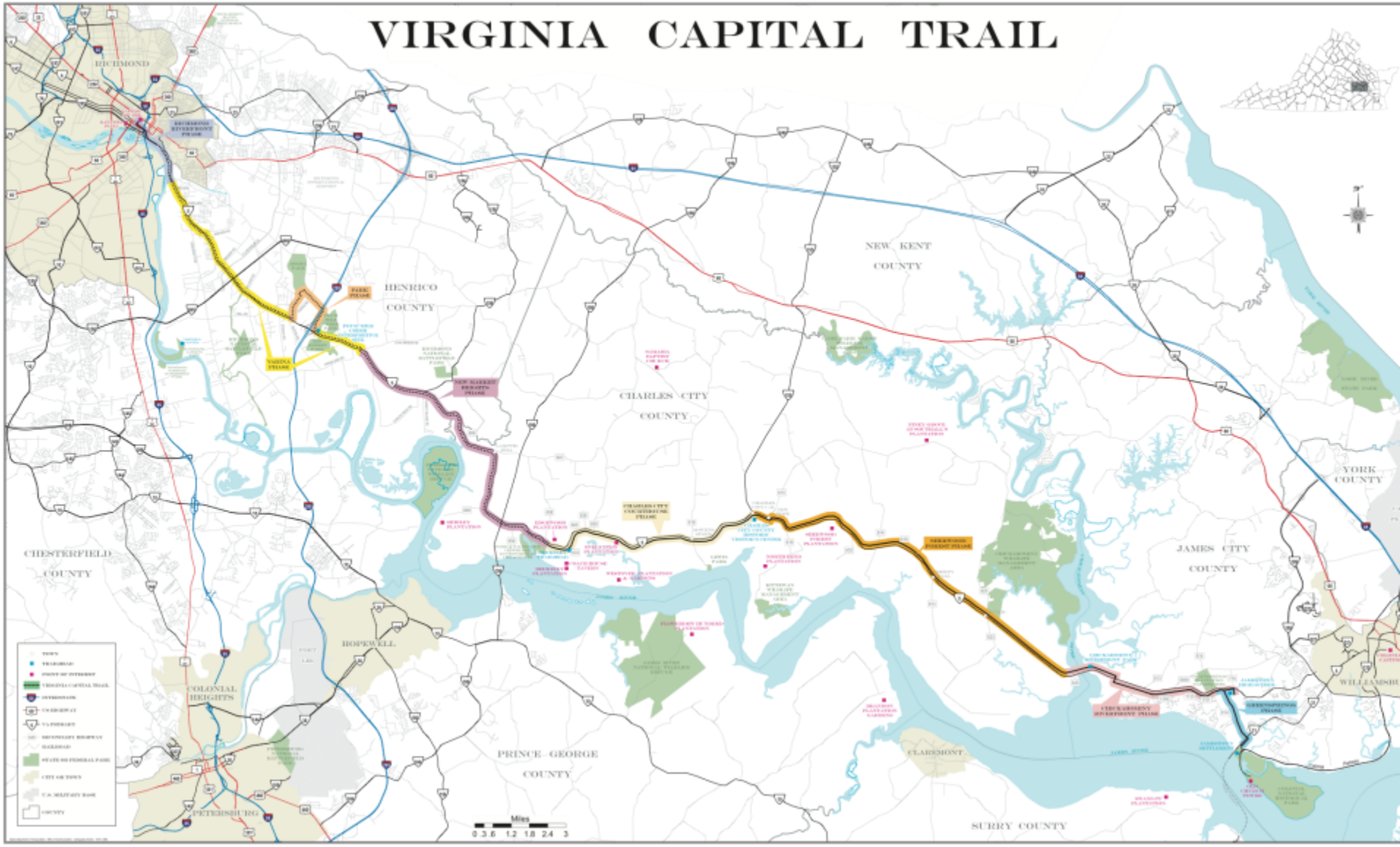

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Old Mission:

Oversee completion, promotion and enhancement of the Virginia Capital Trail.

New Mission:

Oversee promotion, enhancement, management and continued development of the Virginia Capital Trail

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Funded Jamestown Trailhead
$250,000

Dominion, MWV, DCR

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Funded Shiplock Park Trailhead
$550,000

MWV, Dominion, Jim Ukrop, Cabell Foundation
Mary Morton Parsons Foundation, Capital Trees
CSX Corporation, Luck Companies, Richmond Historic Riverfront Foundation

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What do you think?

- How can your locality elevate its assets to visitors to the Trail?
- How can the Trail, and its potential to draw users, serve you best? How can your community serve the Trail?
- How can the assets of other localities make yours even better? How can you tell people about them?
- How can we all work together to make this regional asset benefit all of us, IN A BIG WAY?

Outer Banks – North Carolina

✓$6.7 million bicycle infrastructure investment over 10 years

✓$60 million/year in economic activity … 9-1 return every year (2004)

W&OD Trail - Northern Virginia

✓1.7 million visitors

✓ locals spend an average of $10/day

✓ non-locals, $17/day. (2004)

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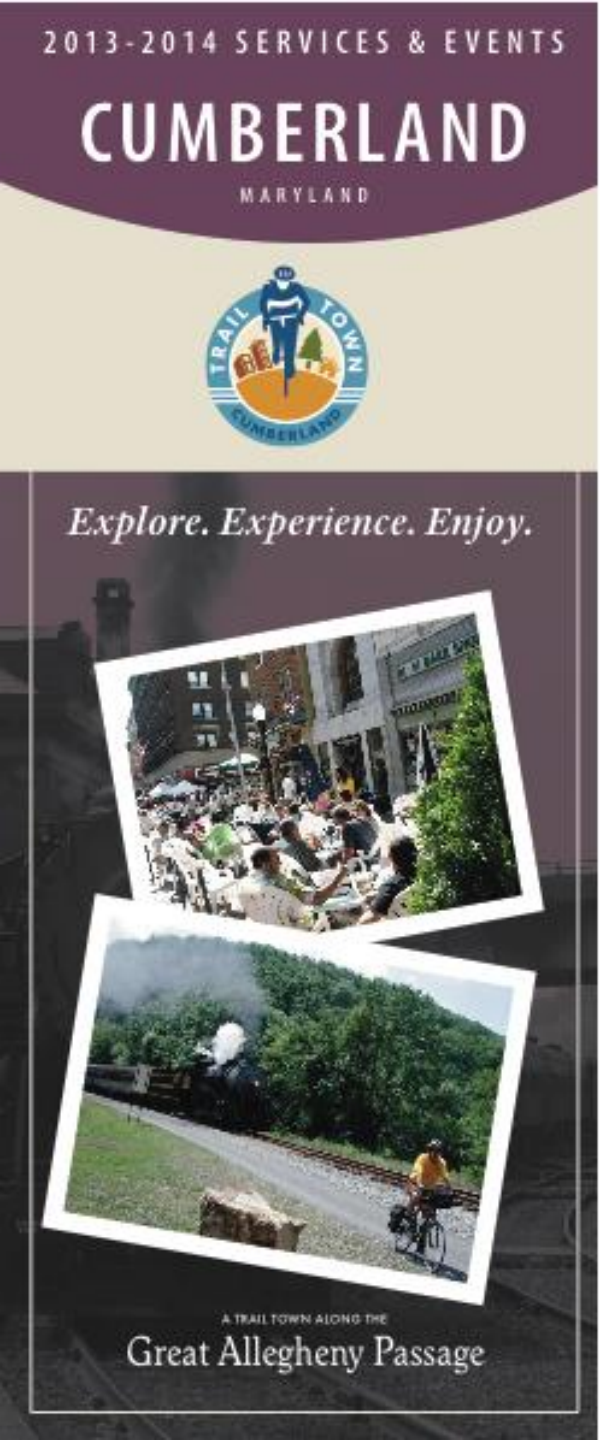
Silver Comet Trail, 61.5 miles
Atlanta, Georgia

- ✓1.9 million users per year (2013)
- ✓Total spending is estimated at nearly $120 million a year
- ✓The trail supports 1,300 jobs, creating $37 million in earnings
- ✓Bike Tourism is responsible for $20 million a year of revenue



Great Allegheny Passage (GAP) Trail

"The revival of the city is driven, in part, by the trail. No one thought people with bikes would spend money, but they were wrong. Business is spreading back from the trail."

Mayor, Lee Fiedler

Cumberland, Maryland, 2006

Virginia Creeper Trail

Creeper Trail
Whitetop, VA
Bike Rental & Shuttle

SunDog Outfitter

Blue Blaze

Adventure Damascus Bicycles

The Bike Station

JC's Outdoors
Bicycle Sales • Rental • Shuttle Service
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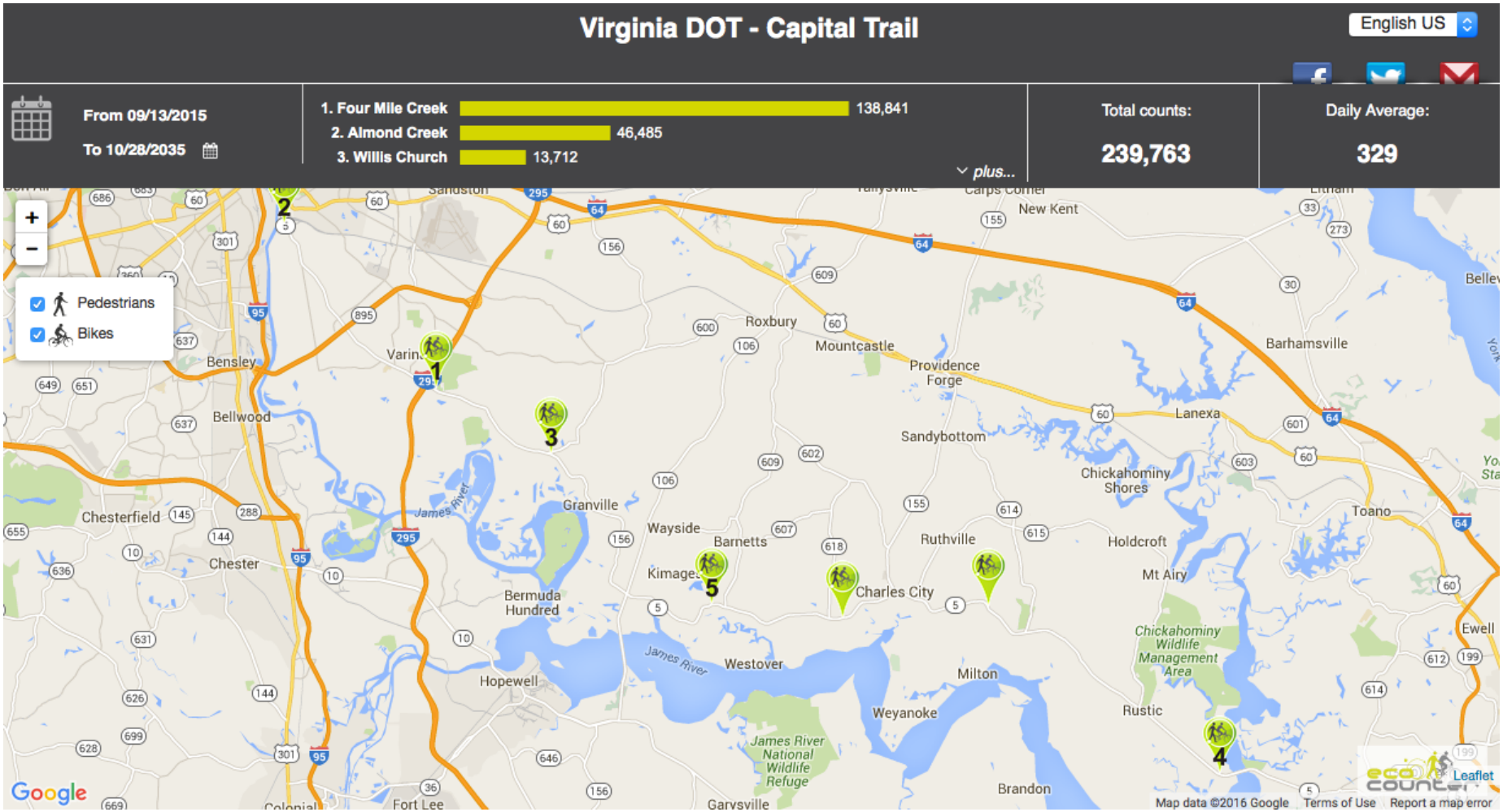

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English US

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Almond Creek

From September 17, 2015 to February 4, 2016

47,507 Counts

February 1, 2016

411 Counts

Period

Begin

09/17/2015

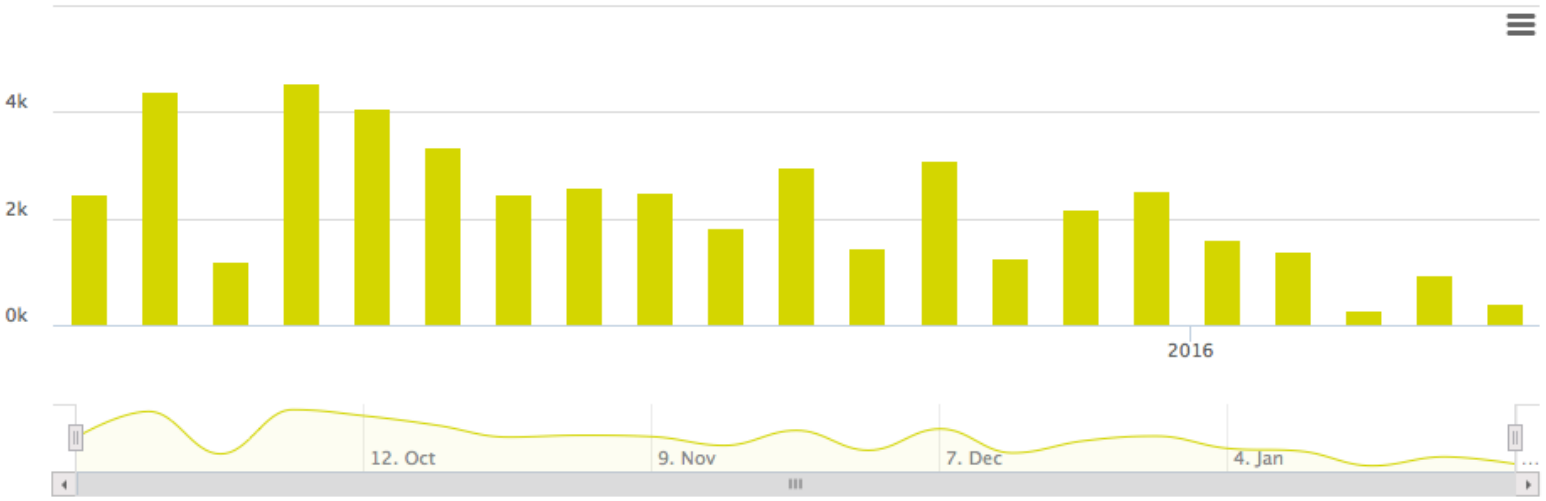
End

02/03/2016

- Day
- Week
- Month
- Key Numbers

Display

Total



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Started in Oregon. Ending in Yorktown. Hungry in Charles City.

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