

# Route Marshal Position Description

## **Role Overview**

Role title	Route Marshal Volunteer
Event date	Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> October, 2023
Reports to	Route Marshal Team Leader
Shift time	Refer to volunteer portal for shift times.
Shift location	Refer to volunteer portal for shift locations.

# **The Event**

<u>United Energy Around the Bay</u> is Australia's biggest bike ride, where more than 10,000 riders come together in celebration of our city, our people and the simple joy of riding bikes. With 7 ride options to choose from, the event inspires riders of all abilities to take on the challenge, from the 20km family-friendly ride to the 300km challenge ride around Port Phillip Bay. By volunteering on United Energy Around the Bay you will not only be helping others to achieve their personal goals but supporting Bicycle Network and our charity partner, Maddie Riewoldt's Vision. It's a great day to be a part of!

## The Role

As part of the Route Marshal team, you will play a key role in ensuring riders are safe, informed and supported when out on the road. Assigned to a specific marshal point, you will be ensuring riders follow the route, avoid any hazards and safely navigate tricky intersections and turns. You will be supported by a team leader on the day, who will make sure you know what to do, where to stand and ensure you have water, lunch and a break.

Your role will include:

- Providing directions to riders as needed at your specific marshal point.
- Ensuring riders are heading in the right direction and alerting them to any potential hazards on the route.
- Providing encouragement to riders.
- Communicating with your team leader and other members of the event team.
- Escalating any incidents to Event Assistance.
- Answering questions from event participants, spectators, and the public.



# Is it right for you?

- Do you have excellent communication skills?
- Are you comfortable being on your feet for long periods of time?
- Are you able to follow your team leader's directions?
- Do you have a valid Working with Children Check (WWCC)?

## Why volunteer?

- Support the bike riding community and help more than 10,000 riders enjoy an iconic event.
- Support our charity partner, Maddie's Riewoldt's Vision
- Boost your resume by gaining valuable work experience.
- Meet new people and make connections with like-minded people.
- Be a part of an exciting, fun-filled event.
- Receive a volunteer hat and water bottle.

#### **To Register**

- First-time volunteering with Bicycle Network? Please follow this link to create a volunteer profile and sign up: <u>https://bn.rosterfy.co/register</u>
- Volunteered with Bicycle Network before? Please follow this link to login to your existing profile and sign up: <u>https://bn.rosterfy.co/login</u>

# Without our amazing volunteers, this event wouldn't be possible – thanks for your interest in becoming a part of the team!