



## **Funds Available to Promote and Support "Bicycling For Everyone"** 2011 - 2012

The Ann Arbor Bicycle Touring Society invites proposals to fund projects that support "Bicycling for Everyone." The Club will use funds from the Lucian W. Chaney Bicycling Fund together with its own funds to support projects that attract youth and non-traditional riders to bicycle touring. If you have an idea about how to interest more children and youth, women, and residents of areas where bicycle touring is underdeveloped let us know.

Examples of projects the Chaney Fund, together with the Club, could support are:

- Youth and school programs (safe streets)
- Neighborhood and co-op housing bike programs (bike rodeos and bike tune-ups )
- Bicycle repair and rebuilding with youth earning "sweat equity" credits.
- Women and bicycling initiatives
- Bicycles as transportation promotions
- Other projects that will help make bicycling accessible to everyone

Funds can be used to pay for items such as postage, printing, tools, bicycle parts, helmets, refreshments, prizes, supplies, etc. Funds cannot be used to pay for the labor of individuals working on the project.

The Club anticipates that funding will be available to support several projects ranging from \$100 to \$1500.

Want to get started? Send us an informal letter describing what you have in mind and what it would cost. If you would like to discuss your idea with a member of the Board before writing a letter, contact Tom Powell, [tpowell@umich.edu](mailto:tpowell@umich.edu), 734-994-6340.