Good Morning/Afternoon my name is _____ of Marshall Macklin Monaghan. We are conducting a survey of trail users on behalf of the Regional Municipality of Niagara. We would like to ask you a few questions on the amount of cycling that you do. **[DO NOT READ POTENTIAL ANSWERS TO INTERVIEWEE]**

1. Have you cycled at least once in the past year? Yes ( ) No ( ) *If No, skip to Qu. 6.*

2. Are you a resident of the Region of Niagara? Yes ( ) No ( ) *If No, skip to Qu. 10.*

Questions for residents of Regional Municipality of Niagara only

3. Including today, how have you used your bicycle in the past year: *Answer as many as apply*

To get to school	( )
To get to work	( )
To run an errand	( )
For recreation/fitness	( )
While on vacation away from home	( )

4. Including today how many times have you used your bicycle in the past year to ride to school/work/to run an errand/for recreation/while on vacation? *Answer only one*

Every day (i.e. 365 days)	( )
Every day during good weather	( )
Six days a week during good weather	( )
Five days a week during good weather	( )
Four days a week during good weather	( )
Three days a week during good weather	( )
Two days a week during good weather	( )
Once a week during good weather	( )
Seven days a month during good weather	( )
Six days a month during good weather	( )
Five days a month during good weather	( )
Four days a month during good weather	( )
Three days a month during good weather	( )
Two days a month during good weather	( )
Once a month during good weather	( )
Six days a year during good weather	( )
Five days a year during good weather	( )
Four days a year during good weather	( )
Three days a year during good weather	( )
Two days a year during good weather	( )
Once a year during good weather	( )

5. What are your most frequent or popular cycling destinations within Niagara Region? *List top three*

   1. _____

   2. _____

   3. _____

6. What would encourage you to ride your bicycle more to school/work/to run an errand/for recreation/while on vacation? *Answer all that apply*

More off-road routes/trails	( )
More interesting routes/trails	( )
Bike lanes/paved shoulders on local streets	( )
Bike lanes/paved shoulders on major roads	( )
Safer routes/trails	( )
More bicycle parking along route or at destination	( )
More secure bike parking (e.g. bike lockers) along route or at destination	( )
Information on the available bicycle routes/trails	( )
More or better signage	( )

7. If these improvements were made, how much more would you ride your bicycle to school/work/to run an errand/for recreation/while on vacation?

   Check their answers in Qu.4 above and use corresponding category.

More times a week during good weather	( )
More times a month during good weather	( )
More times a year during good weather	( )

8. What destinations within the Niagara Region would you bike to more if you had a better route? *List your top three choices*

   1. _____

   2. _____

   3. _____

9. How many other people are you cycling with today?

Just yourself	( )
One other person	( )
Two other persons	( )
Three other persons	( )
Four or more other persons	( )

If four or more Are you part of an organized cycling tour?
Yes ( ) No ( )

9a. If cycling with family – how many adults _____

– how many children _____

Skip to Qu. 17.

Questions for those living outside Region of Niagara Only

10. Where is your current place of residence? *(City, Province/State, Country)*

_____
City Province/State Country

11. Including today, how many times in the past year have you used a bicycle in Niagara Region? *Answer only one*

Today only	( )	Today and six other days	( )
Today and one other day	( )	Today and seven other days	( )
Today and two other days	( )	Today and eight other days	( )
Today and three other days	( )	Today and nine other days	( )
Today and four other days	( )	Today plus ten days or more	( )
Today and five other days	( )		

12. What have been your most frequent or popular cycling destinations within Niagara Region? *List top three*

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

13. What would encourage you to do more cycling on this or a future trip to Ontario's Niagara Region? *Answer as many as apply*

Information on the available bicycle routes/trails	( )
Having my bicycle with me	( )
Being able to rent a bicycle close to where I am staying	( )
More off-road routes/trails	( )
More interesting routes/trails	( )
Bike lanes/paved shoulders on local streets	( )
Bike lanes/paved shoulders on major roads	( )
Safer routes/trails	( )
More bicycle parking along route or at destination	( )
More secure bike parking (e.g. bike lockers) along route or at destination	( )
More or better signage	( )

14. When would you anticipate returning to the Region of Niagara to do some cycling? *Answer only one*

Don't know	( )	
Never	( )	*If Never, Skip to Qu. 17.*
Later this year	( )	
Sometime next year	( )	
Sometime in the next three years	( )	
Sometime in the next five years	( )	

15. On your next trip to the Region of Niagara, how much cycling will you likely do?

One day	( )	Six days	( )
Two days	( )	Seven days	( )
Three days	( )	Eight days	( )
Four days	( )	Nine days	( )
Five days	( )	Ten or more days	( )

16. How many other people are you cycling with today?

Just yourself	( )
One other person	( )
Two other persons	( )
Three other persons	( )
Four more other persons	( ) *If four or more* Are you part of an organized cycling tour? Yes ( ) No ( )

16a. If cycling with family – how many adults _____

– how many children _____

Questions for all survey participants

17. In what age group are you? 15-19 ( ) 20-24 ( ) 25-34 ( ) 35-44 ( ) 45-64 ( ) 65+ ( )

18. Are you: Male ( ) Female ( )

19. What, if anything, do you think should be done to improve cycling conditions in Niagara Region? *List top three*

    1. _____

    2. _____

    3. _____

20. Are there any comments you would like to make on your cycling experiences in Ontario's Region of Niagara?

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    _____
    _____
    _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTCIPATION IN THIS SURVEY!

Location _____

Time/Date _____