

E-Cargo Bike Volunteer Role Description



About the Role

The role of e-cargo bike volunteer is a new one which is part of a new project funded by [WRAP](#) (Waste and Resources Action Programme), with the aim of expanding our operation to reach smaller suppliers and projects using green transport.

As an e-cargo bike volunteer, you will be using our new EAVcab cargo bike to collect and deliver surplus food from new suppliers and projects in Brighton and Hove.

What will I be doing?

- You will be the vital link between us and the charities, getting the food to where it's needed
- You'll be the friendly face of FareShare interacting with the charities, making sure they get the food they need
- Liaising with the staff team at the beginning of your shift to plan deliveries for the day/shift.
- Performing a clean and inspection of the e-cargo bike before use to ensure safety of the vehicle and rider.
- Efficiently and accurately filling out paperwork for data collection for health & safety, food safety and bike efficiency.

Requirements:

- Ability and level of fitness to cycle a power assisted e-cargo bike confidently for up to four hours in traffic around the Brighton & Hove area.
- Weigh less than 100kg and be between 5ft 4" - 6ft 4" tall
- E-cargo bike experience is desirable but not essential.
- Good customer service, even when working to deadline with suppliers and projects.
- Confidence to volunteer alone whilst out on deliveries
- Ability to understand and accept people from different backgrounds and with additional needs.
- Ability to be adaptable - managing surplus can be unpredictable so day-to-day tasks can vary
- Willingness to do backup rider shifts in the warehouse
- Positive, friendly, and enthusiastic about tackling food waste and food poverty.
- Completion of relevant in house training - a cycle proficiency assessment, a Highway Code test and food safety training. Optional level 3 bikeability training and level 2 Food safety training.

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- Be available for at least one four hour shift per week for three months.
- Comfortable using technology for navigation

Benefits:

- Be part of a team of like-minded people
- Be at the forefront of stopping good food from going to waste.
- Reasonable travel expenses and a free lunch on site.
- Be involved in a new low-carbon food distribution project.
- Free training.
- New experience and skills to add to your CV.
- Active role, great exercise.
- Access to PPE if you don't have your own

How to apply:

If you think this could be the role for you, please email lara@faresharesussex.org.uk and fill out the application form for the Warehouse role by clicking the 'APPLY NOW' button [here](#).

Please note that due to high demand there may be a waiting list for a regular e-cargo bike volunteer shift.