



## Welcome to We-Haul!

We are excited to have you as part of our sharing community. The We-Haul program is open to all MPCA members, regardless of whether you live in Mount Pleasant.

The program is all about getting more done with the bike you already have (or walking—the trailer works as a hand cart!). Get groceries, go for a picnic, carry your instrument to a jam session...you can get a lot done, save on gas, and have fun!

You may let others use the trailer during your reservation, but if your name is on the reservation, you are responsible to make sure it's used and returned properly.

Things happen. Email [wehaulmpca@gmail.com](mailto:wehaulmpca@gmail.com) with maintenance requests, or to report missing or damaged equipment, as soon as possible. We want to keep the program running well!

## Access Basics

- The We-Haul bike trailer and accessories are in a locked storage box at the **Mount Pleasant Outdoor Pool (2310 6 St NW)**. You'll get a code for the padlocks by email when you book. Open the lid all the way. Make sure the side hinges are fully extended.
  - [Detailed instructions for unlocking the box](#)
- Remove and unfold the trailer. You can tow it with a bike, or use it as a hand cart. If using a bike, get the hitch from the bin marked "Trailer Hitch" and attach it to your bike seatpost. There are also bungee cords and tie-down straps in a smaller toolbox.

- Be sure to bring backpacks, boxes, baskets, etc. to carry your items. We hope to introduce shared cargo-hauling accessories soon!
- Once you have everything you need, close and lock the storage box.
- Enjoy the ride! Place everything back in the box and lock it when you are finished.

*Instructions with diagrams for trailer unfolding, attachment, and locking the box are available on-site.*

### **More Resources**

- Here are some [We-Haul instructional videos on YouTube](#).
  - General Overview
  - Unlocking and Locking the Storage Box
- What's the Burley Travoy trailer? Here's a [one-minute teaser on YouTube](#).
- Will it work with my bike? Here's more detail on [hitching and compatibility](#).
  - Note: right now, we only have the Quick Hitch for a seat post, not the rack mount adapter. If your bike has a rear rack, the extendable tow arm on the trailer may give you enough clearance.
- Not sure where to go with We-Haul? We've made a [custom Google map](#) with cycling routes, destinations, and tips in and around Mount Pleasant.