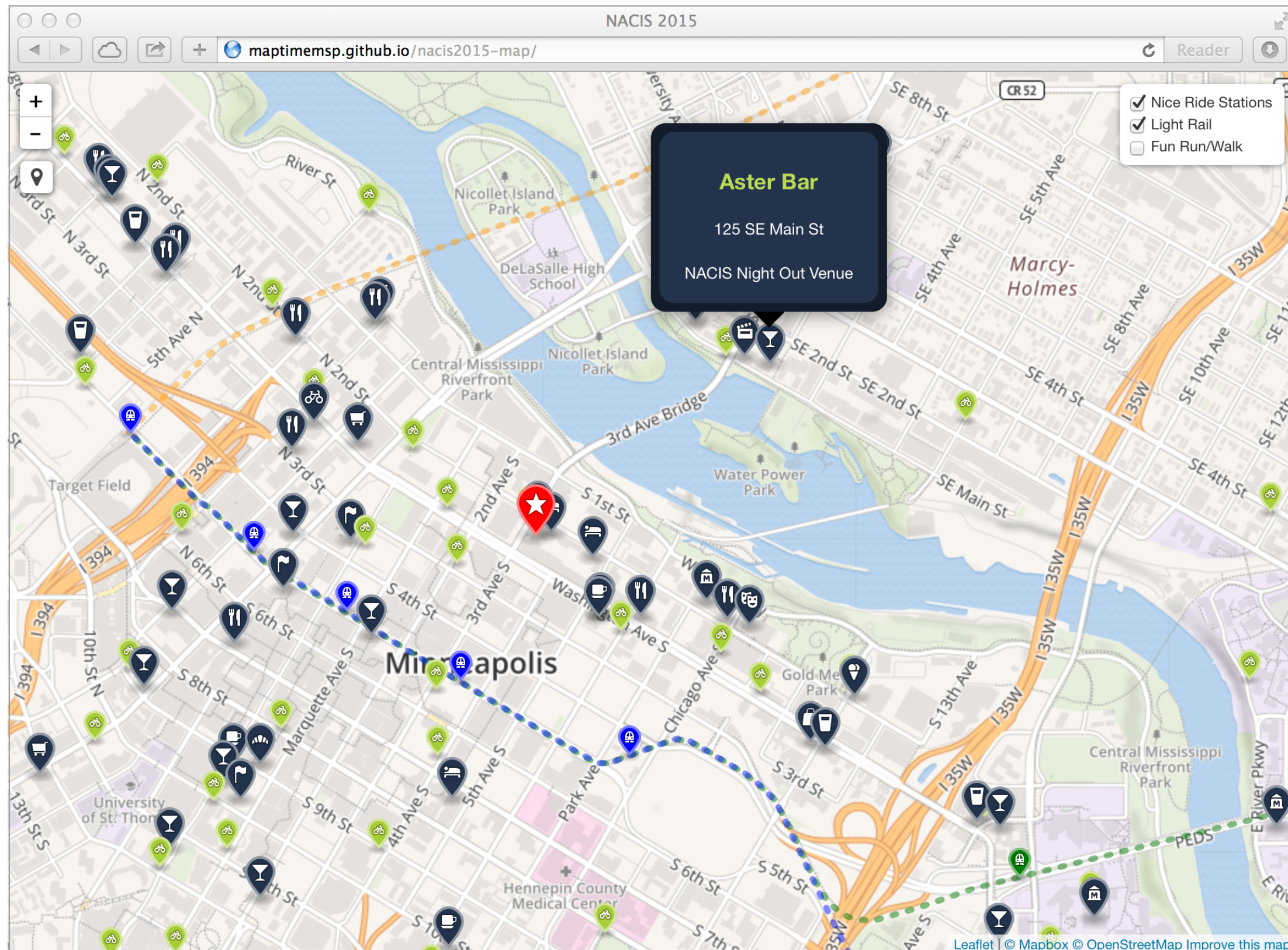


# Maptime MSP Welcomes You To NACIS 2015



Welcome to Minneapolis! Maptime MSP created this map as a group project to share some of our favorite local spots with you, and to learn some new things along the way.

The primary project objective was to learn about version control with Git, and help members make their first commits to a project. There were also opportunities to learn basic Web mapping and javascript.

The code and data for the project are in a GitHub repository. In adding new locations to the map, people learned a basic Git workflow. We have found that it can be less intimidating for a new person to submit a pull request for data rather than code.

This was a true group project, with all aspects of the development open to anyone who wanted to contribute. Code, style, markers, even custom tiles if someone wanted to create them...

Another important goal was to involve as many people as possible. After introducing the project at our July meeting, we held group working sessions at subsequent meetings to help and encourage people to contribute at least one data point. So far, we have 209 commits to the project by 17 different people!

Have a great time at NACIS 2015, and if you find a cool place that we don't have on the map, send us a pull request!

Repo: <https://github.com/maptimemsp/nacis2015-map/wiki>

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