Cloud Plus Plus Services

Tutorial to build a serverless web application

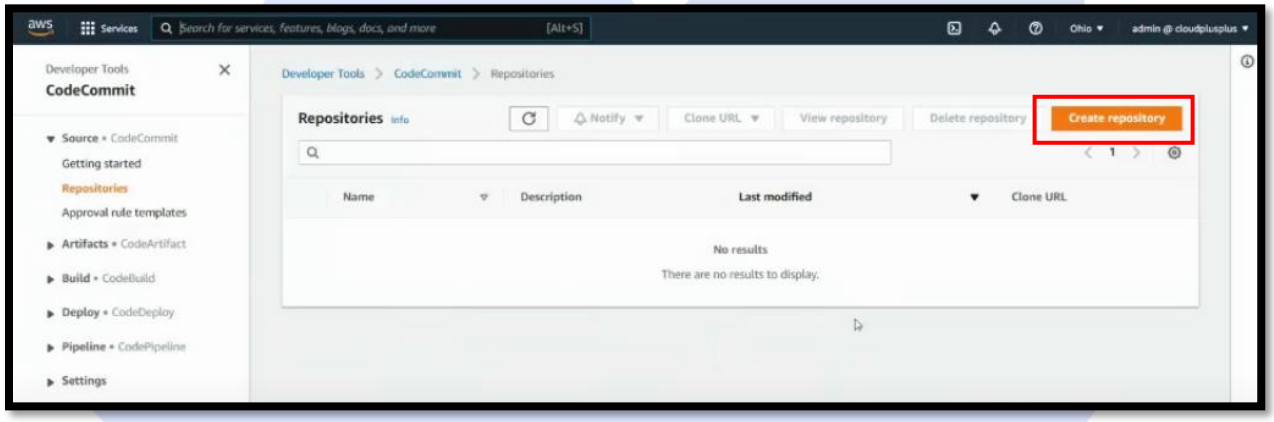
Tutorial Objectives:

1. Learn to build a serverless web application using Lambda, API Gateway, DynamoDB, Cognito and Amplify.

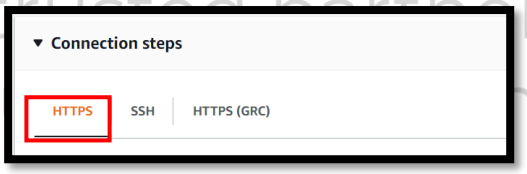
Step 1: Host a Static Website

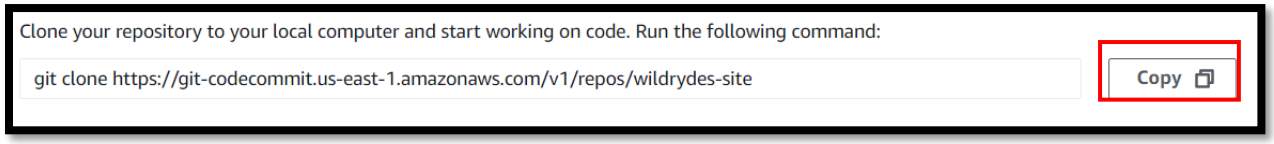
1. Log on to your AWS Management Console and Select a Region: **N. Virginia**.

- Search for AWS CodeCommit and open the console
- Click on Create Repository



- Repository Name: **wildrydes-site** and create Repository and copy the URL.

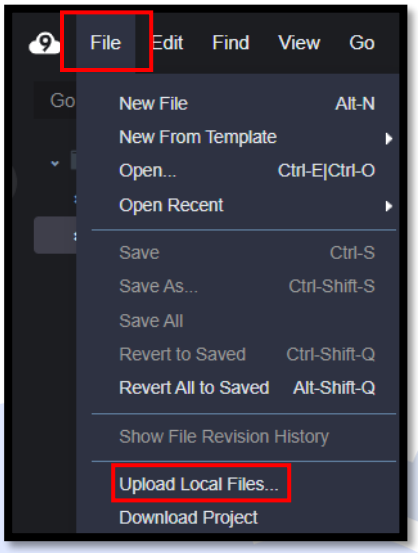




2. Open your AWS management console in another new tab and navigate to Cloud9.Create environment

- Name: **MyCloud9env**, click on Next Step->Next Step->Create environment.
- Download **wildrydes-site.zip** from **here** into your local machine.

- Once the environment is up and running, Click on the File->Upload local files…



And select downloaded wildrydes-site.zip folder and click upload.

- Now run the previously copied git clone command in the cloud9 terminal.

```
admin:~/environment $ git clone https://git-codecommit.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/v1/repos/wildrydes-site
Cloning into 'wildrydes-site'...
warning: You appear to have cloned an empty repository.
```

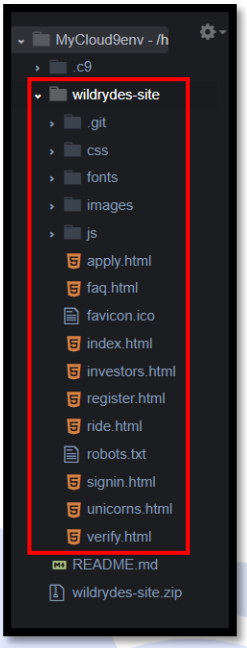
- Run the following command to unzip the wildrydes-site.zip file.

unzip wildrydes-site.zip -d wildrydes-site

- When prompted enter **A** and click enter

```
admin:~/environment $ unzip wildrydes-site.zip -d wildrydes-site
Archive:  wildrydes-site.zip
 extracting: wildrydes-site/.git/COMMIT_EDITMSG
replace wildrydes-site/.git/config? [y]es, [n]o, [A]ll, [N]one, [r]ename: A
```

- Once the process finished, click on the wildrydes-site folder and check the folder.



Now, Run the following command

cd wildrydes-site/

git add .

git commit -m "initial commit"

git push

```
admin:~/environment $ cd wildrydes-site/
admin:~/environment/wildrydes-site (master) $ git add .
admin:~/environment/wildrydes-site (master) $ git commit -m "initial commit"
On branch master
Your branch is up to date with 'origin/master'.

nothing to commit, working tree clean
admin:~/environment/wildrydes-site (master) $ git push
Enumerating objects: 95, done.
Counting objects: 100% (95/95), done.
Compressing objects: 100% (94/94), done.
Writing objects: 100% (95/95), 9.44 MiB | 14.73 MiB/s, done.
Total 95 (delta 2), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 0
To https://git-codecommit.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/v1/repos/wildrydes-site
 * [new branch]      master -> master
admin:~/environment/wildrydes-site (master) $
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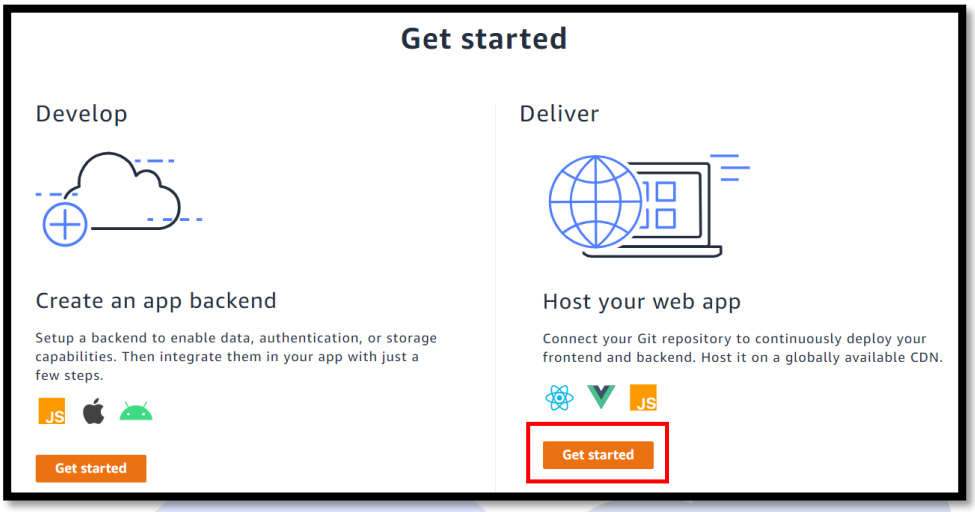
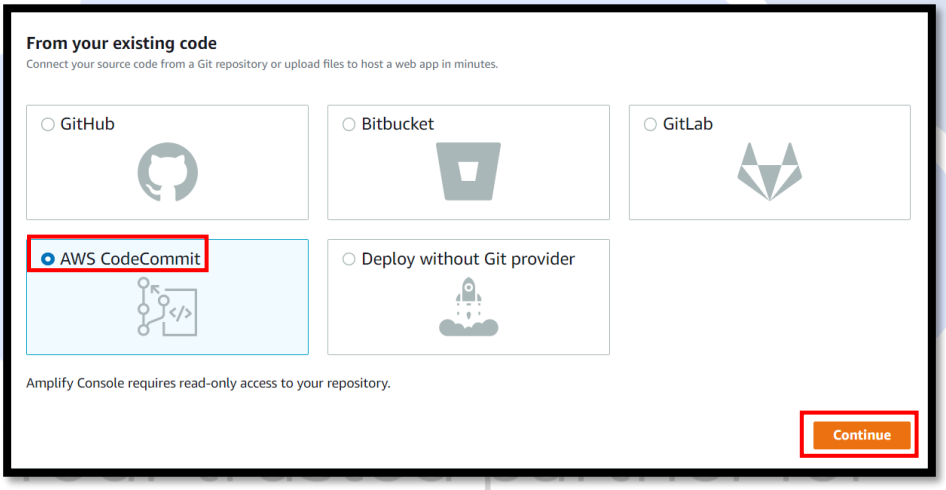
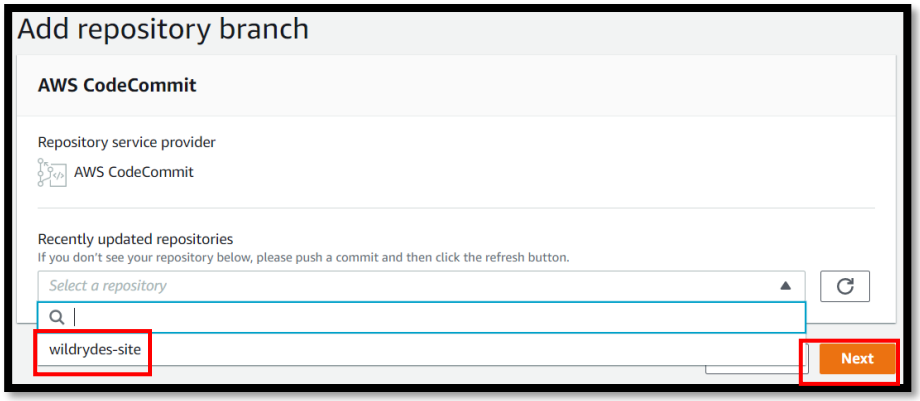
3. In the new tab open AWS Amplify console, under **Deliver** click on **Get Started.**



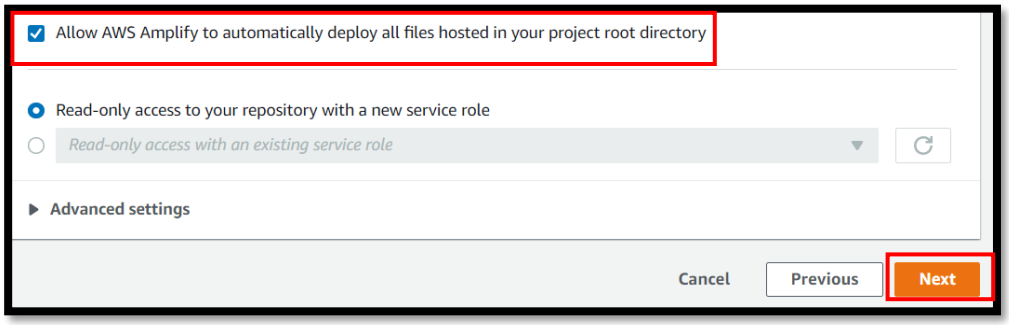
- Select **AWS CodeCommit** and click Continue.



- Select repo from the dropdown and click **Next**. Keep branch as **master** and **Next**.

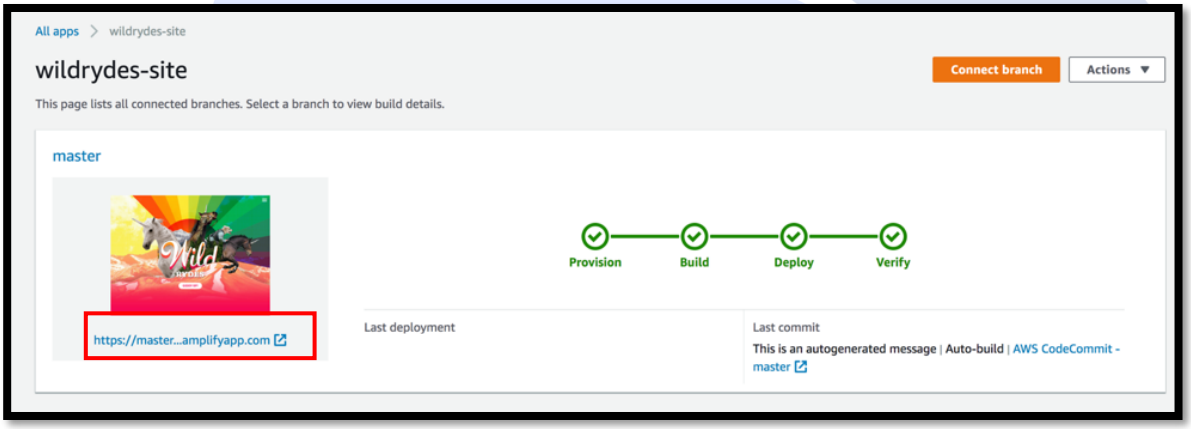


- Enable **Allow AWS Amplify to automatically deploy all files hosted in your project root directory** and Next->Save and Deploy.



It will take a couple of minutes for Amplify Console to create the necessary resources and to deploy your code.

- Once completed, click on the site image to launch your Wild Rydes site.



Step 2: Create an Amazon Cognito User Pool

1. In the new tab, Open **Amazon Cognito** console

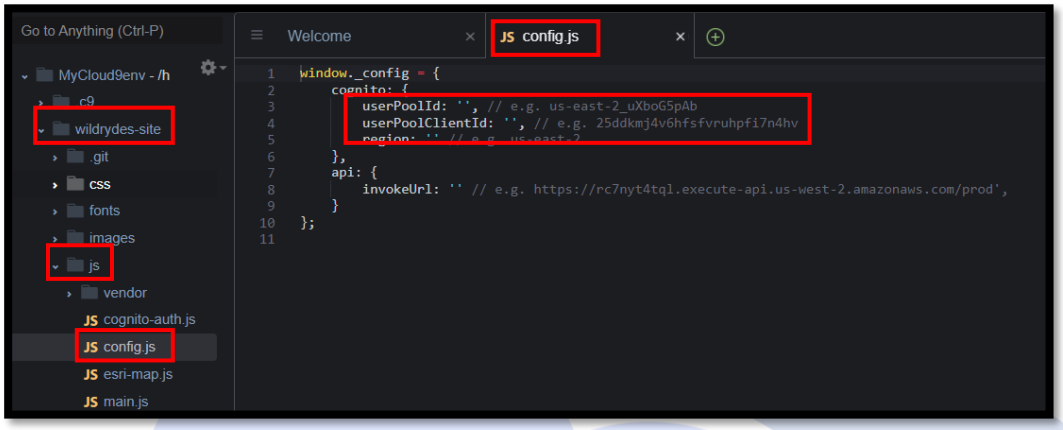
- Choose **Manage your User Pools**
- Choose **Create a User Pool**
- User pool name: **WildRydes**, then select **Review Defaults**
- On the review page, click **Create pool**
- Note the **Pool Id**.

2. To Add an App to user pool

- Select **App clients** from the left General Settings section in the navigation bar.
- Choose **Add an app client**.
- App client name: **WildRydesWebApp**.

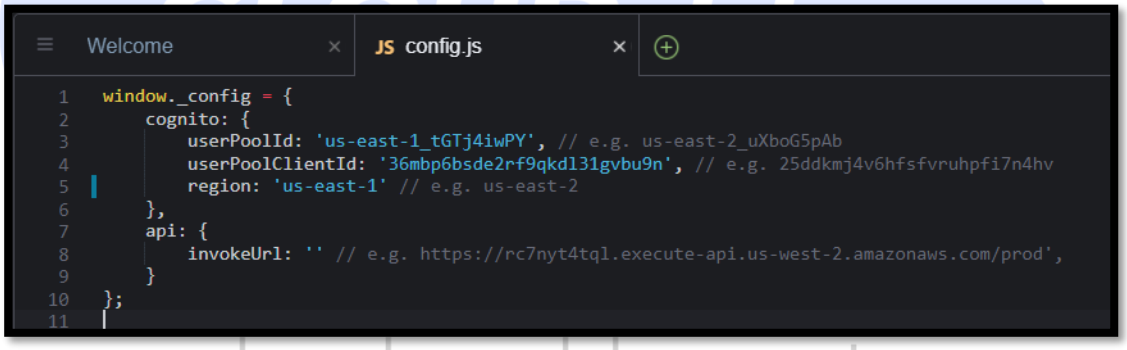
- Uncheck the Generate client secret option.
- Choose **Create app client**.
- Note the **App client id**.

In the Cloud9 console, open the open '**wild-ryde-site/js/config.js'**



- Update the cognito section with the correct values for the region, user pool id, userpoolClientId, you just created and click control+s.

Updated config.js file should look like this:



- Save the modified file and push it to repository to have it automatically deploy to Amplify Console

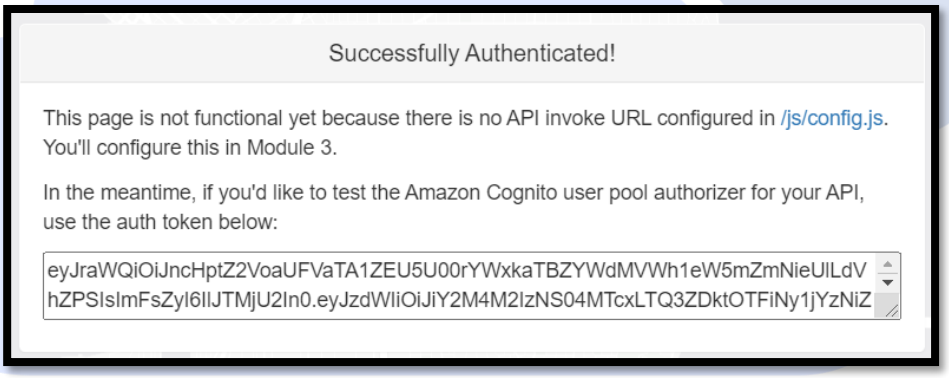
git add .

git commit -m "Updated config.js"

git push

Visit **/register.html** under your website domain, or choose the **Giddy Up!** button on the homepage of your site.

- Complete the registration form by entering Email, Password and confirm the password and click to **Lets RYde!**
- Verify email by entering code.
- After successful verification Sign in using email and password you entered.
- If successful you should be redirected to /ride.html. You should see a notification that the API is not configured.



Step 3: Serverless Service Backend

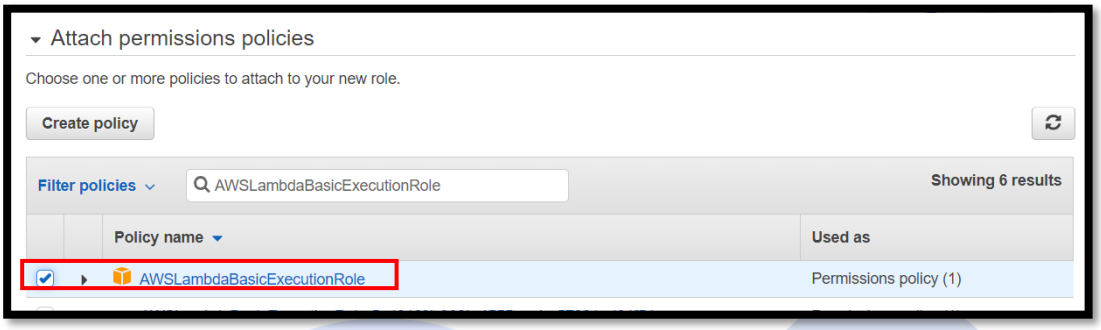
1. Create Amazon DynamoDB Table

- Open **Amazon DynamoDB** Service in new tab
- Choose **Create table**
- Table Name: **Rides**
- Enter **RideId** for the Partition key and select String for the key type.
- Check the Use default settings box and choose Create.
- Scroll to the bottom of the Overview section of new table and **note the ARN**. We will use this in the next section.

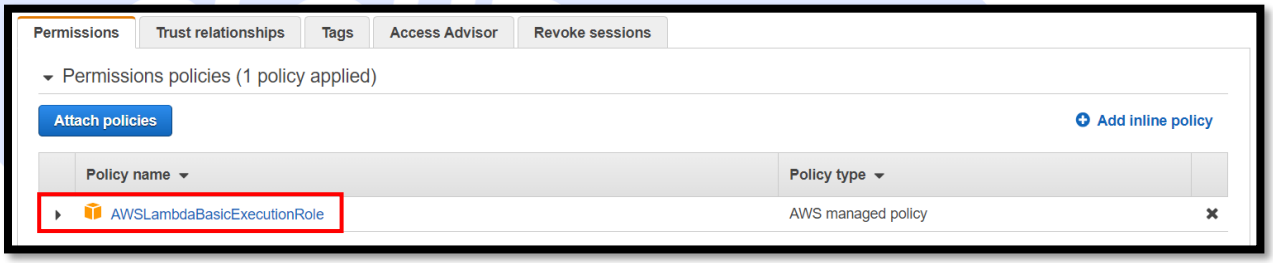
2. Create an IAM Role for Lambda function

- Open Amazon **IAM** Service in new tab
- Select **Roles** and create new role

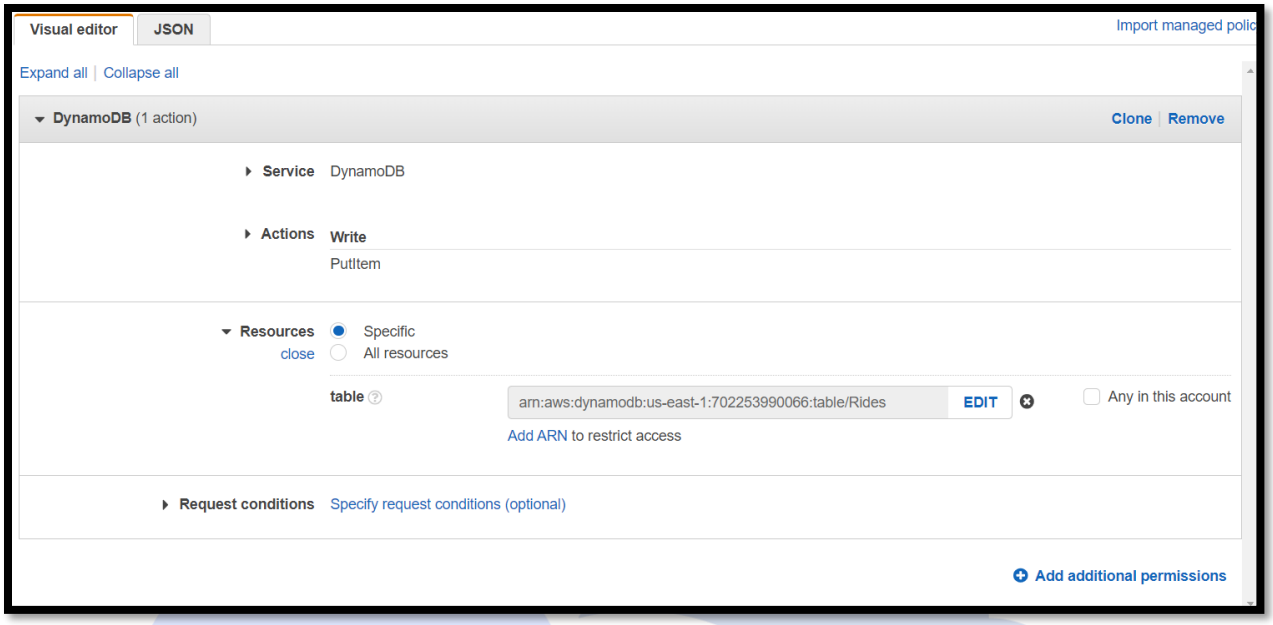
- Select **Lambda** for the role type from the AWS service group, then click Next: Permissions.
- In the attach permission policy, search for **AWSLambdaBasicExecutionRole** and click the check box.



- Choose Next Step.
- Role Name: **WildRydesLambda**
- Choose Create Role.
- Type **WildRydesLambda** into the filter box on the Roles page and choose the role.
- On the Permissions tab, choose the Add inline policy link to create a new inline policy.

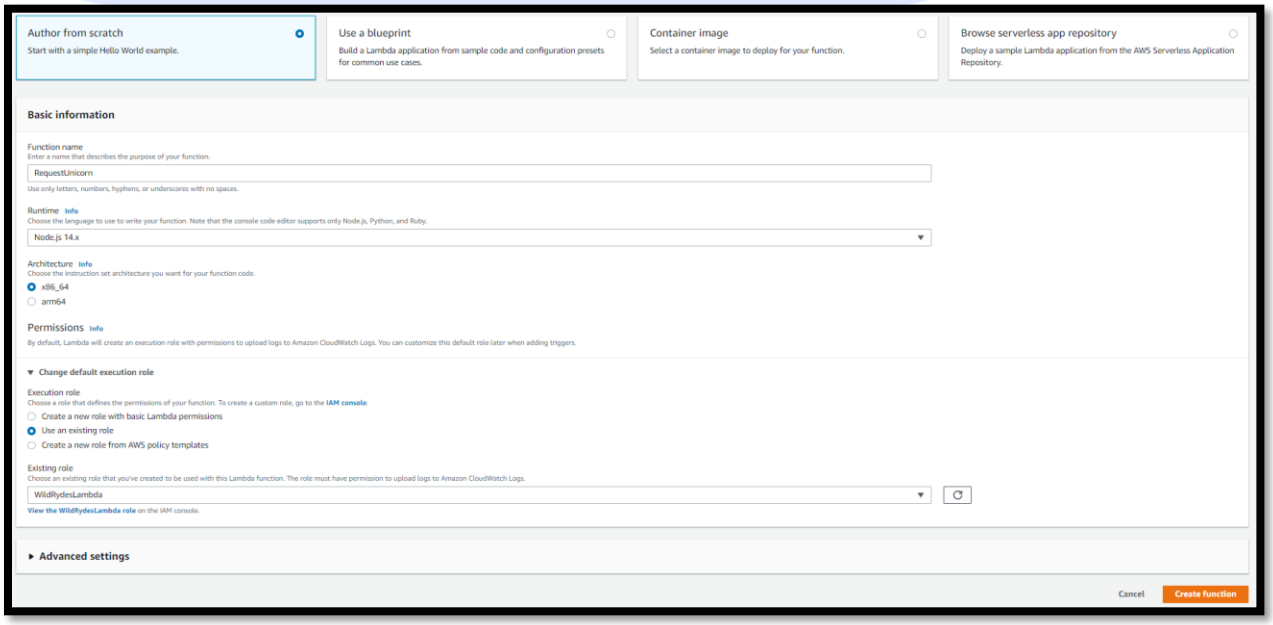


- Select **Choose a service**.
- Type DynamoDB into the search box labeled Find a service and select **DynamoDB**.
- Choose **Select actions**.
- Type **PutItem** into the search box labeled Filter actions and check the box next to **PutItem** when it appears.
- Select the Resources section.
- With the Specific option selected, choose the **Add ARN link** in the table section.
- Paste the ARN of the table you created in the previous section in the Specify ARN for table field, and choose **Add**.
- Choose Review Policy.
- Enter **Policy name: DynamoDBWriteAccess** and choose **Create policy**.



3. Create a Lambda Function for Handling Requests

- Open **AWS Lambda** service in new tab
- Choose **Create Function**
- Keep the **default Author from scratch** card selected.
- Enter **RequestUnicorn** in the Name field.
- Select **Node.js 14.x** for the Runtime.
- Choose **use an existing role** from the Role dropdown.
- Select **WildRydesLambda** from the Existing Role dropdown.
- Click on Create function.



- Scroll down to the Function code section and replace the existing code in the index.js code editor with the code in the requestUnicorn.txt. Download **requestUnicorn.txt** file from **here**
- Click "**Save**" in the upper right corner of the page.
- Click to **test**, choose **new event**
- Named it as **TestRequestEvent**
- Copy and paste the following test event into the editor:

```
{
  "path": "/ride",
  "httpMethod": "POST",
  "headers": {
    "Accept": "*/*",
    "Authorization": "eyJraWQiOiJLTzRVMWZs",
    "content-type": "application/json; charset=UTF-8"
  },
  "queryStringParameters": null,
  "pathParameters": null,
  "requestContext": {
    "authorizer": {
      "claims": {
        "cognito:username": "the_username"
      }
    }
  },
  "body": "{\"PickupLocation\":{\"Latitude\":47.6174755835663,\"Longitude\":-122.28837066650185}}"
}
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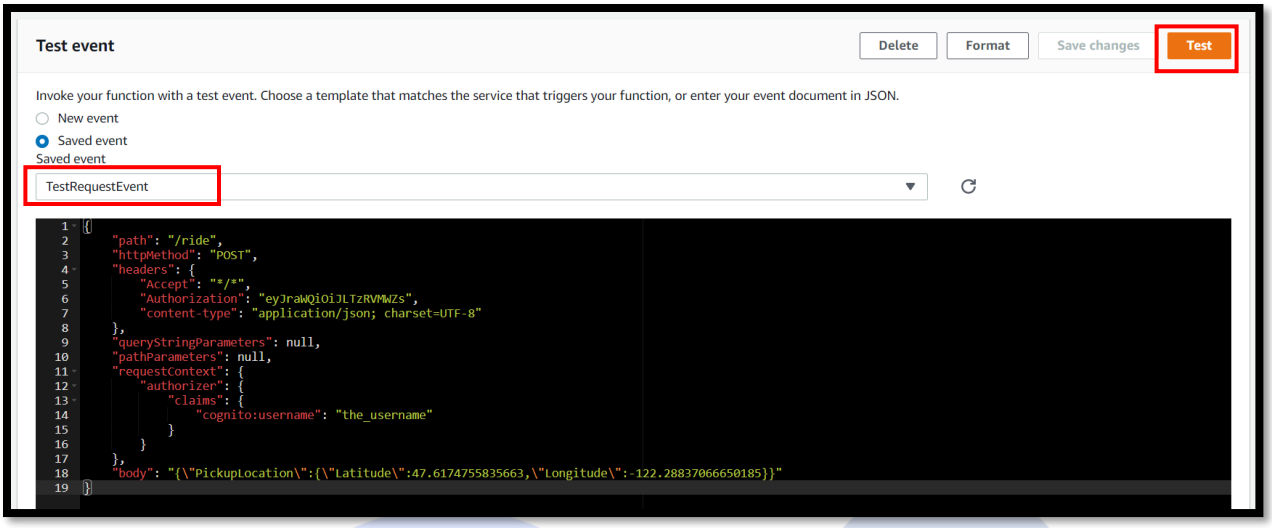
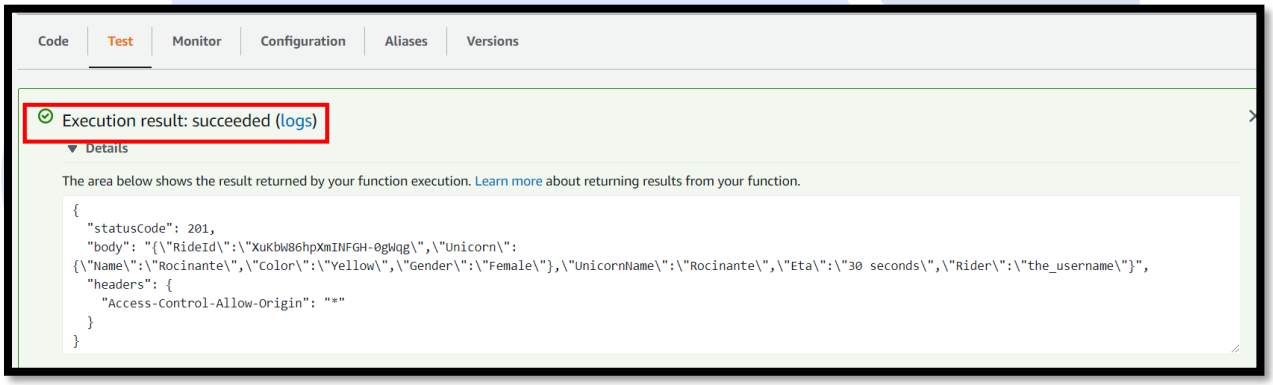


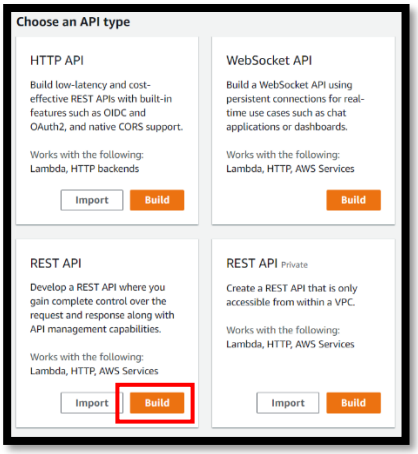
- Save the changes and **Test**
- You will get the Execution result as succeeded as below.
- Deploy the code.



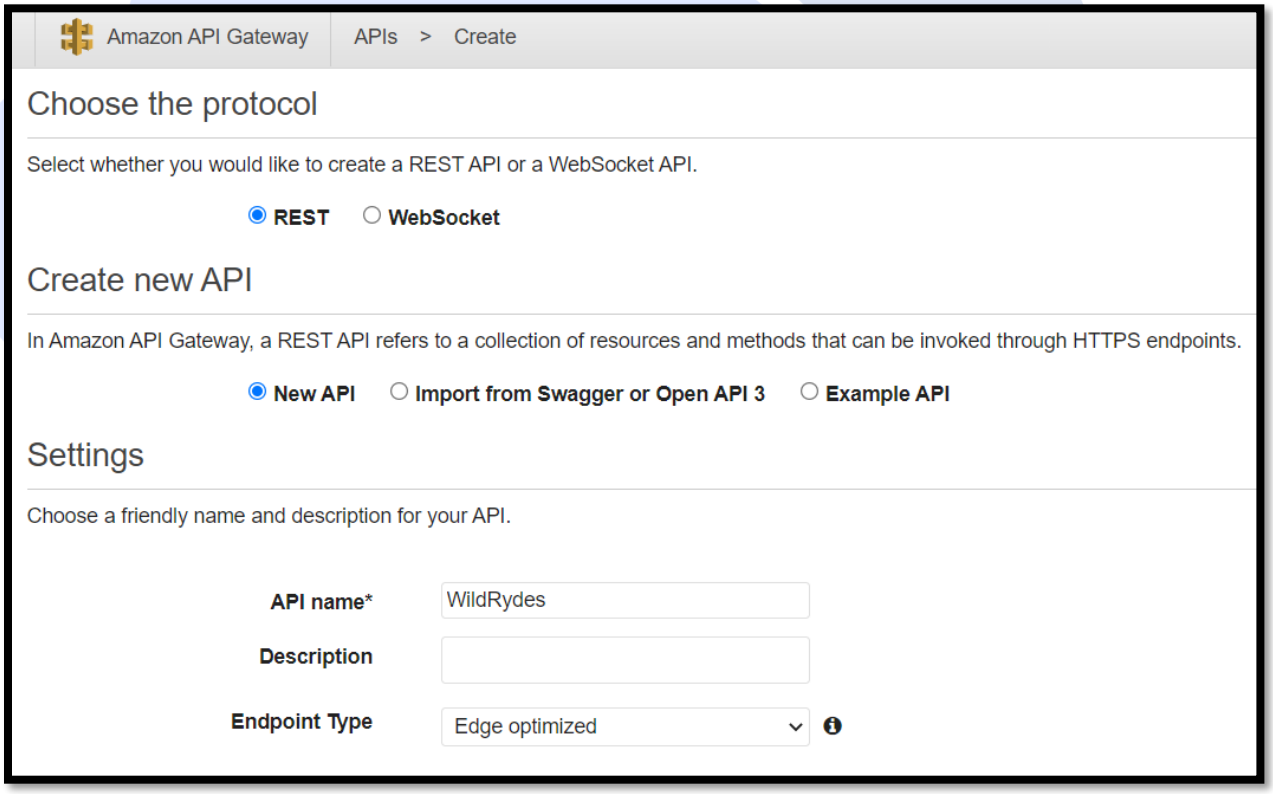
Step 4: Deploy a RESTful API

1. Create a new REST API

- In the AWS Management Console, click Services then select **API Gateway** under Application Services.
- Choose an API type as **REST API** Click on **Build**



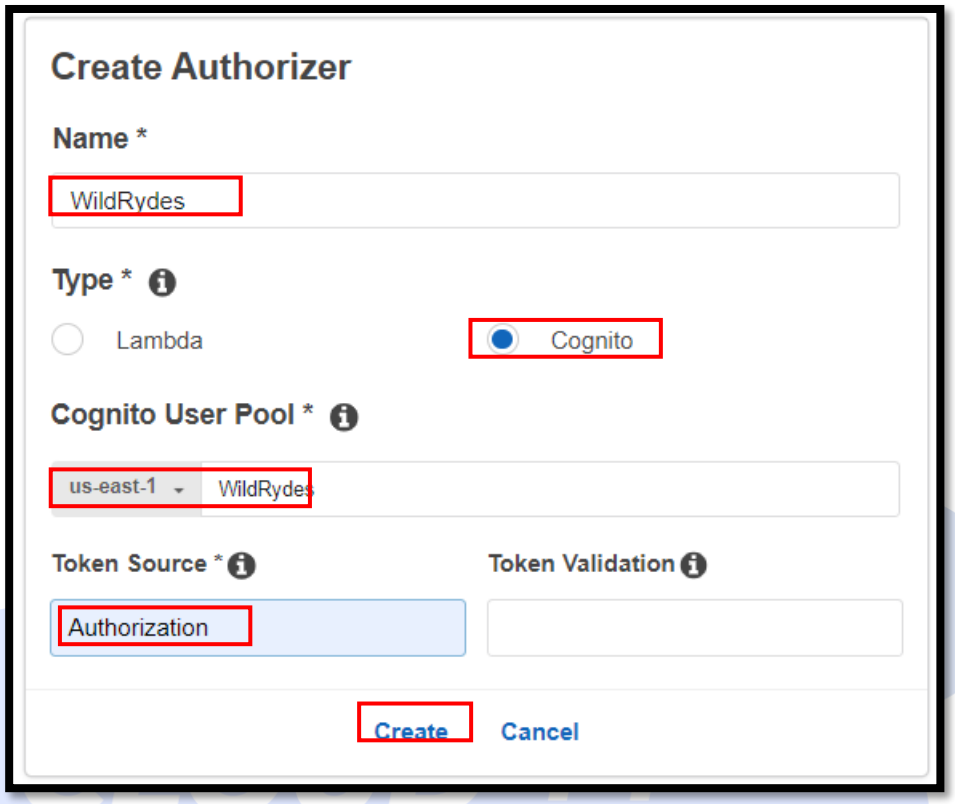
- Choose the **Protocol: REST**
- Create **New API: New API**
- **API Name: WildRydes**
- **Endpoint Type: Edge optimized**
- Click **Create API**



2. Create a Cognito User Pools Authorizer

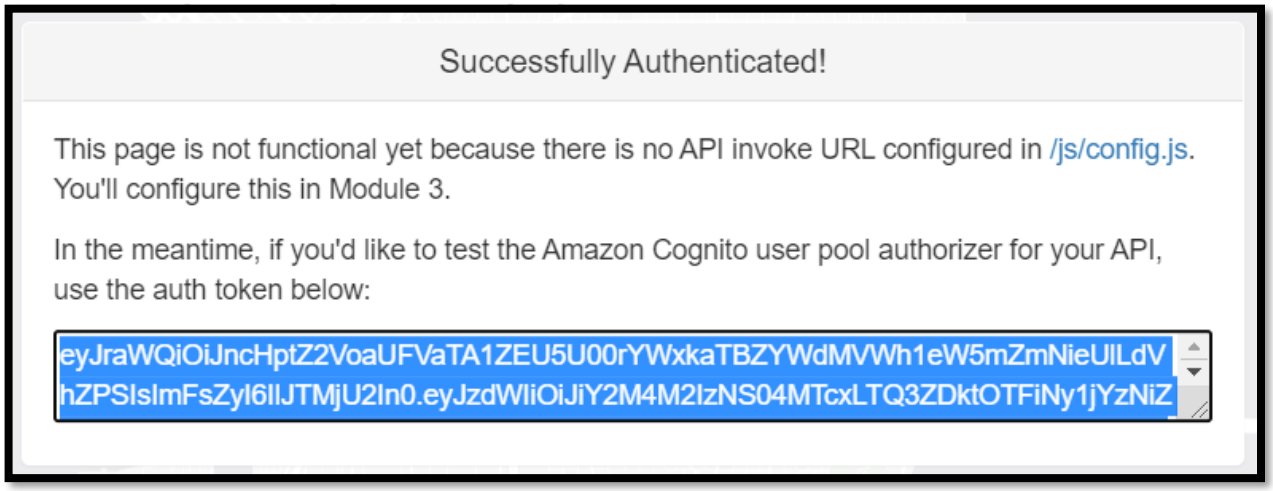
- Under your newly created API, choose **Authorizers**.
- Choose Create New Authorizer
- **Authorizer name: WildRydes**
- **Type: Cognito**

- **Region: us-east-1**
- Enter **WildRydes** in the Cognito User Pool input.
- **Token Source: Authorization** and click on **create**.



To Verify Authorizer configuration

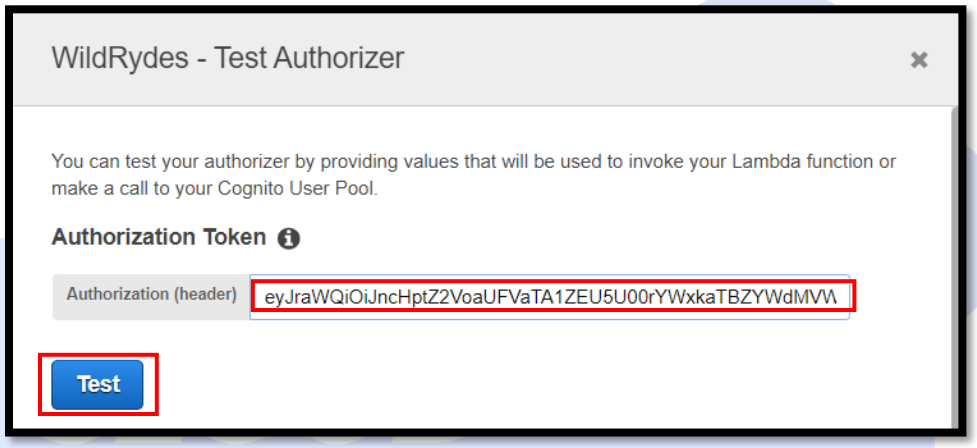
- Open a new browser tab and visit **/ride.html**
- If you are redirected to the sign-in page, sign in with the user you created in the last module. You will be redirected back to /ride.html.
- Copy the **auth token** from the notification on the /ride.html



- Go back to API Gateway tab

- Click **Test** at the bottom of the card for the authorizer.

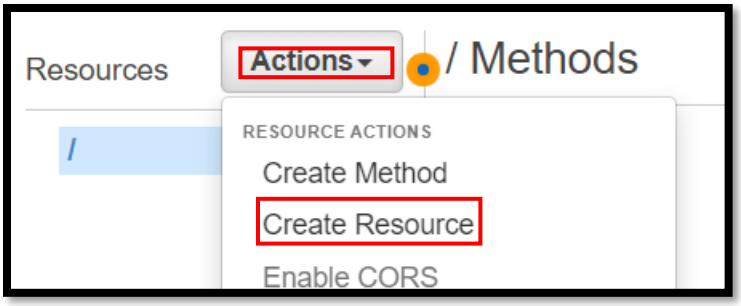
- Paste the auth token into the Authorization Token field in the popup dialog.



- Click **Test** button and verify that the response code is 200.

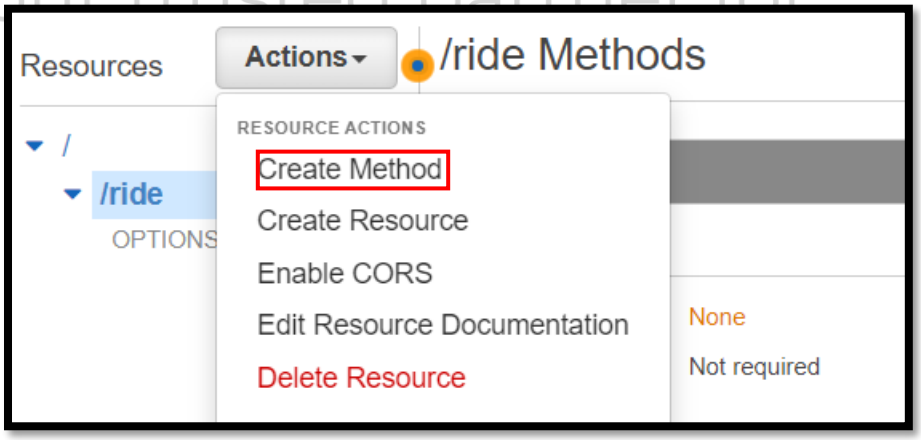
3. Create a new resource and method

- click on **Resources** under your WildRydes API.
- From the Actions dropdown select **Create Resource**.



- **Resource Name: ride**
- Ensure the Resource Path is set to ride.
- Select **Enable API Gateway CORS** for the resource.
- Click Create Resource.

- With the newly created /ride resource selected, from the Action dropdown select **Create Method**.



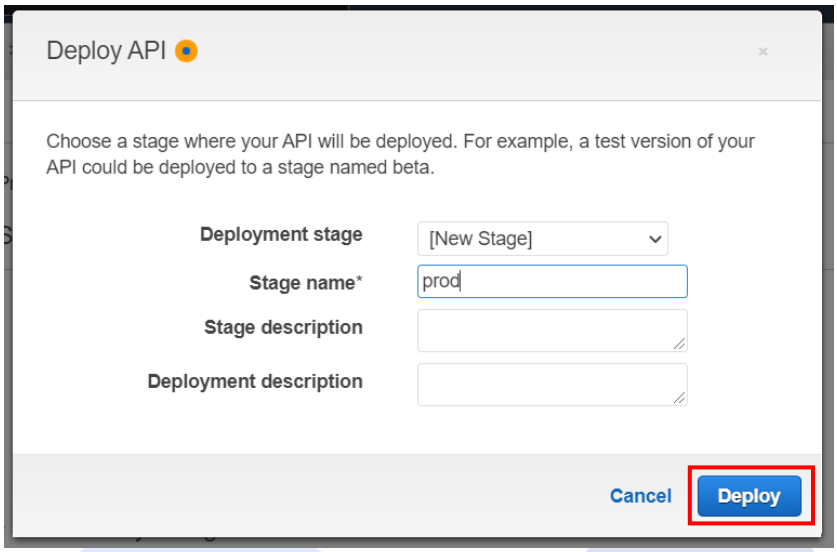
- Select **POST** from the new dropdown, then click the **checkmark**.

- **Integration type: Lambda Function**
- Check the box for Use Lambda Proxy integration
- **Lambda Region: us-east-1**
- **Lambda Function: RequestUnicorn**
- Click Save.

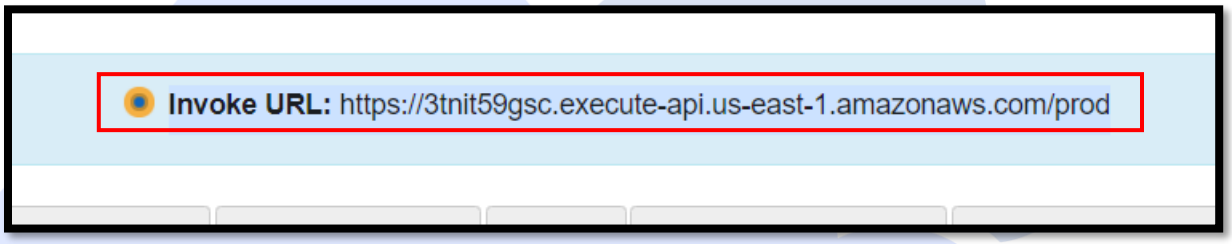
- When prompted to give Amazon API Gateway permission to invoke your function, choose **OK**.
- Choose on the **Method Request card**.
- Choose the pencil icon next to Authorization.
- Select the **WildRydes** Cognito user pool authorizer from the drop-down list, and click the checkmark icon.

4. Deploy API

- In the Actions drop-down list select **Deploy API**.
- Select [New Stage] in the Deployment stage drop-down list.
- Enter **Stage Name: prod**
- Choose Deploy.



- Note the **Invoke URL**. You will use it in the next section.



5. Update the website config

- Open the **config.js** file in a cloud9 editor.
- Update the **invokeUrl** setting under the api key in the config.js file.

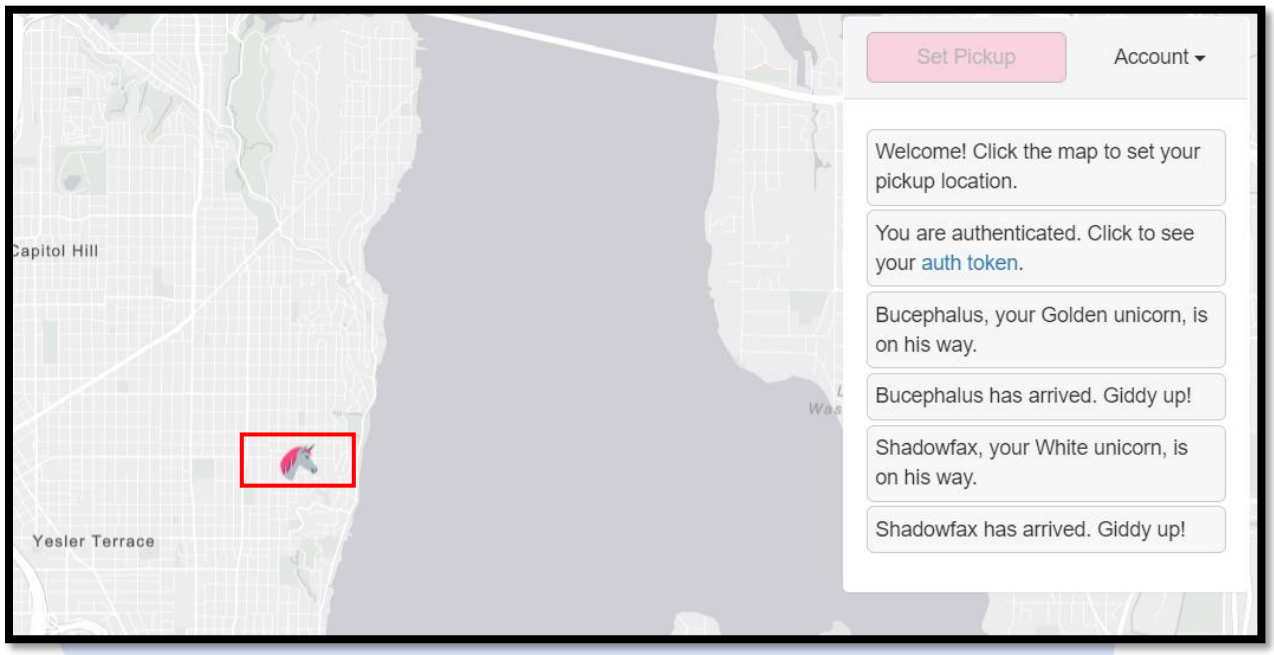
- Save the changes by **ctrl+s** and run the following command

git add .

git commit -m "Updated config.js"

git push

- Now Visit **/ride.html** under your website domain.
- If you are redirected to the sign in page, sign in with the user you created in the previous module.
- After the map has loaded, click **anywhere** on the map to set a pickup location.
- Choose **Request Unicorn**. You should see a notification in the right sidebar that a unicorn is on its way and then see a unicorn icon.



Note: If you no longer need the resources, delete DynamoDB Table, API, Lambda Function, Role, User Pool, Repository, Cloud9 environment and wildrydes-site app (Amazon Amplify).

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