

Porsche Taylor's scarf fits under her helmet and hides her natural hair, dyed pink for the ride. Black shades adorn her face and a Black Girls Ride T-shirt peeks out from under her leather jacket. She removes gloves from her hands to take a sip of water before updating the masses. After an intro, she tells the audience that she is in Arizona where "it's hot... it's disrespectful, disrespectful." Taylor would later tell me that the temperature was 108 degrees during that ride. The founder and editor in chief of Black Girls Ride, the first and only magazine run by Black women motorcyclists, then describes the brutal heat.

