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SEARCH AND STATE JACKET » \$245

Looking good is important, but when it comes to a weatherproof shell, function outweighs fashion. The Search and State S-J is both waterproof and windproof and will remain so after many washes, thanks to a durable membrane. Its all-black design is subtle, so it pairs nicely with flashy shoes and sunglasses. At less than \$250, the S-J is a must for anyone needing a technical shell that can be stuffed into a jersey pocket and taken on any ride. Plus, you're wearing a piece made in the heart of Manhattan's garment district. Maybe fashion does outweigh function.

PANACHE MOVE BUTTON-UP SHIRT » \$115

Panache's first foray into off-the-bike gear features a tailored, athletic fit paired with fabrics that actually breathe — meaning the occasional yellow-light sprint or mid-commute Alpe d'Overpass won't leave you sopping wet upon arrival.

KNOG BLINDER ROAD TWIN PACK LIGHTS » \$140

The light market is really split between those lights that help you to be seen by cars, which are affordable and fashionable, and the behemoth lights that light up the path like a car's headlights. These Knog Blinders fit nicely in the middle. They illuminate the path, and help you to be seen by cars with the rear light's 70 lumens and 180 degrees of visibility. The front light is slim, even with the battery housed in the unit, and gives off up to 200 lumens of light. Both the front and rear are charged using a USB plug.

OSPREY PIXEL PORT PACK » \$120

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