

20.90.050 Definitions

- I. “Short-term bicycle parking facilities” mean bicycle facilities accessible and usable by visitors, guests or business patrons and may include:
 1. Permanently anchored bicycle racks;
 2. Covered, lockable enclosures with permanently anchored racks for bicycles;
 3. Lockable bicycle rooms with permanently anchored racks; and
 4. Lockable, permanently anchored bicycle lockers.

Example of a poor bicycle rack that still meets the current draft requirements



A better rack (San Jose – by MLK library)



Bicycle Parking Facilities

from

“Guide for the development of bicycle facilities”

**American Association of State Highway and
Transportation Officials**

Bicycle racks should be designed so that they:

- Do not bend wheels or damage other bicycle parts
- Accommodate high security U-shaped bike locks
- Accommodate locks securing the frame and both wheels (preferably without removing the front wheel from the bicycle)
- Do not impede or interfere with pedestrian traffic
- Are easily accessed from the street and protected from motor vehicles
- Are visible to passers-by to promote usage and enhance security
- Are covered where users will leave their bikes for a long time

Suggested modification

1. Permanently anchored bicycle racks **that conform to the recommendations for bicycle parking facilities as stated by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials in their document “Guide for the development of bicycle facilities”.**