



Bespoke Website



Cycle Parking Infrastructure Guidance

The provision of good quality cycle parking is important in developing a cycle friendly environment. Where provided it encourages cycling and is good for nearby businesses. However often there is nowhere secure to park or else what is provided is inadequate. For public spaces this ideally is at the front of buildings or where theft is least likely. Listed below are some of the cycle stands that are available, with comments as to when they might be used.



It is strongly recommended that cycle stands provide the user with multiple locking points to secure their bike. One of the most widely used solution is the Sheffield. As shown here they cost around £60 and perhaps £50 to install. Further options include covered spaces or locked areas



More expensive solution such as the “Grippa” require maintenance . They are especially ill-suited to seaside locations as the moving parts often rust and then break.



Solutions such as “Butterfly” stands, shown left, and wheel slots in the pavement, when located in public areas are simply inadequate . They provide very limited security

Anyone interested in providing cycle parking can find consistent advice from various organisations, such as Cycling England, County Councils and Police forces. Further guidance and information can be found on the Bespoke website [QR code above], where there is also an online form to add locations where infrastructure is needed or is currently inadequate.