



## RECOMMENDATION

### Bicycle Advisory Council

#### Recommendation Number 20180515-04A: Bike Parking

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Bicycle Advisory Council (BAC) is to advise the City of Austin, and other jurisdictions, on all matters relating to the use of the bicycle;

WHEREAS, missing or inadequate bicycle parking reduces the number of people riding bicycles;

WHEREAS, the Austin Transportation Department (ATD) offers compliance information documents to aid permit applicants, contractors, and engineers in complying with regulations, codes, and practices;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the BAC recommends that the following be implanted:

- Update the City of Austin Title 25 Land Development Code, Chapter 6 Transportation to include bicycle provisions that are commensurate with those for automobiles including but not limited to:
  - Specify a percentage calculation that directly correlates the number of bicycle parking spaces to the number of auto parking spaces; Adjust percentage ratio so that bicycle parking spaces do not decrease should auto parking requirements be lowered
    - Increase percentage distribution of bicycle parking availability at venues that serve alcohol
  - Include materials requirement specifications including use of non-hex bolts
  - Enforcement procedures same as for auto parking space regulations
- Update City of Austin website
  - Include form to apply for assistance in obtaining bicycle parking
  - Include best practice diagrams specifying use of non-hex bolts including cost, where to buy related materials, or local contractors
  - Make Bicycle Parking Fund balances, fees, and award of funding publicly available
- Publicize the Bicycle Parking Fund

Date of Approval:

Record of the vote:

Attest: