



## **Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee Annual Work Plan Topic Request Form**

Requestor Name:

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Date:

7/26/24

Proposed Topic Title:

Perennial: bicycle parking and security

Background and Discussion: Please provide justification regarding how this topic pertains to the Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee's roles and responsibilities:

We've had this topic in previous years, but I think it's important to keep talking about it until it improves. In the City of Santa Clara, around 250 bikes per year are reported stolen, probably with many more never reported.

This topic should include:

- The standards for bicycle parking in new construction in the city.
- Opportunities to add more secure bicycle parking options such as electronic lockers.
- Best practices for theft prevention.
- Any public information campaigns. (We have had a lot of warnings about locking cars and not leaving valuables.)