

# North Little Rock Fit 2 Live Bicycle Rack Requests



Bicycle racks are available to be installed at no cost throughout the city of North Little Rock. If you know of a city building or park that needs bicycle parking, please contact Bernadette Rhodes, Fit 2 Live Coordinator, at [brhodes@northlittlerock.ar.gov](mailto:brhodes@northlittlerock.ar.gov). If you are a business owner in North Little Rock interested in having a bike rack installed at no cost, then please fill out the following application to be considered.

### The Value of Bicycle Racks

Providing high-quality, secure bicycle parking at your location provides a number of benefits:



- Bicycle parking efficiently and inexpensively increases the overall parking capacity of a building. Liability is the same as auto parking.
- Locations with good bicycle parking have a competitive advantage for bicyclists' business.
- Bike racks send a message that your business supports a "green" transportation option.
- Well-designed and located bicycle parking creates more attractive building grounds. Without quality parking bicycles are often secured to benches, trees or signposts and may interfere with pedestrian safety.

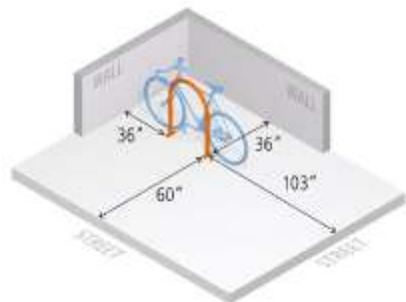
#### • **Wall Setbacks**

- Set parallel to a wall: Minimum: 24"  
Recommended: 36"
- Set perpendicular to a wall: With walkway between wall and rack: 54"  
No walkway: 36"
- Distance between racks: Minimum: 24"  
Recommended: 36"

#### • **Street Setbacks**

- Set parallel to street: Recommended: 60"
- Set perpendicular to street: Recommended: 103"

#### Where to install Bicycle Racks



# North Little Rock Fit 2 Live Application for a Bicycle Rack



**Requested by:**

Name/Business Owner	
Business Name	
Business Address	
Phone	
e-mail	
Number of racks requested (1 or 2)	
Nearest Major Intersection	

**PLEASE INCLUDE A PHOTO OF THE REQUESTED LOCATION, PREFERABLY WITH "X's" WHERE YOU WOULD LIKE THE BICYCLE RACK'S FEET TO BE PLACED.**

Installation Guidelines:

- *Bike racks must be installed in locations that:*
  - *Are continuously accessible to the public (24 hrs a day and all year – including winter) and in a visible location. For instance, installation cannot be at a back entrance utilized only by employees or only available for designated times of day.*
  - *Do not block fire escapes, fire lanes, or other such emergency access.*
  - *Do not impede pedestrian flow or accessibility for people with disabling conditions.*
  - *Allow the bike rack to be used to its capacity, which at minimum is 2 bicycles.*
- *Participants must maintain and indemnify received bike racks in a suitable location as described above for a minimum of five years after installation, and respond to survey questions on the current status and usage of the bike racks. Removal of any bike rack prior to 5 years will require the participant to reimburse the program for the proportionate share of the rack.*
- *Participants in the program will be requested to participate in promotional activities for the program, including the use of photos of the finished sites, and to include credit to the Fit 2 Live program and the City of North Little Rock in any materials that they produce promoting use of the racks.*

**Bicycle Rack Owner Information & Statement**

By signing this application I agree to assume certain maintenance functions including:

1. Removing any abandoned bicycles, bicycle locks or chains on a regular basis, and keeping said area in a neat and clean condition.
2. Performing routine inspection of bicycle rack(s) and keeping them in good visual condition. Typically this will consist of removing graffiti such as stickers and applying touch-up paint as necessary.
3. Informing the Fit 2 Live Office (975-8777) if any structural damage occurs to the rack(s).

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_