

CITY BIKE PARK

Leicester City Council

This is located beneath the Town Hall and was developed as a three way partnership between the Council, Websters (a local bike shop) and Environ, an arms length environmental project supported by the Council. Opening in 1997, it received funding from Cycle Challenge and is charged a peppercorn rent by the Council. There are 140 bike parking spaces, showers, changing rooms and lockers, and it costs £1 to park for a day. Typically there are some 100 bikes parked there each day.

The Bike Park offers a focal point for cycling in the city centre, and is a big promoter of cycling in the city. It is at a strategic location, with the Town Hall above and the Tourist Information Centre opposite.



Peer assessment of this initiative (March 2005):

 Cycle Park

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