

## LS-R3: Transit Supportive Practices & Connectivity

Intent

To improve health, enhance mobility and encourage pedestrian movement and bicycle use.

Credit Requirements

## **GENERAL**

Demonstrate that the public realm design connects to existing and planned public transit, pedestrian and bicycle networks, and key destinations and amenities through the following:

- Provide pedestrian walkways and entrance points which connect the site and its key amenities to:
  - o Public transit stops located on and adjacent to the site;
  - o Public transit stations located within a 350m catchment area; and
  - o Key amenities and facilities located within a 350m catchment area.
- Provide safe crossing points where pedestrian walkways cross streetscapes within the site boundary.

## **Bicycle Parking**

Demonstrate that accessible bicycle parking facilities in accordance with Table LS-R3a are provided within 30m walking distance of primary entrance points and key amenities on site. All bicycle parking spaces must comply with the following:

- The stands must be solid (and securely fixed to the ground) and allow both the wheel and the frame of the bicycle to be locked safely to the structure (ideally ushaped structure type 'Sheffield' stands or similar);
- Each bicycle space must have a minimum width of 0.75m, length of 1.8m and vertical clearance of 2m;
- Have an aisle at least 1.5m wide behind all required bicycle parking to allow room for bicycle manoeuvring (where the parking is adjacent to a sidewalk, the manoeuvring area may extend into a right of way);
- Where bicycle parking is not visible from primary entrance points, clear directional signage must be provided; and
- The minimum cycle requirements should be shared appropriately between all primary entry points and key amenities, according to anticipated demand.

Table LS-R3a: Minimum Bicycle Parking Requirements

Public Open Space Hierarchy	Minimum Bicycle Parking Spaces
Local	6 spaces (3 racks) expansion space required for additional 6 spaces
Neighbourhood	10 spaces (5 racks) expansion space required for additional 10 spaces
District	20 spaces (10 racks) expansion space required for additional 20 spaces
Municipality	Based upon a Pedestrian and Cyclist Movement Analysis*
Emirate	Based upon a Pedestrian and Cyclist Movement Analysis*
Network of Streetscapes	Based upon a Pedestrian and Cyclist Movement Analysis*

<sup>\*</sup>The Pedestrian and Cyclist Movement Analysis must be provided by an appropriate project team member such as a Transport Consultant or Urban Planner.

Where requested by the UPC, projects must provide a letter of commitment to participate in public bicycle sharing schemes to be implemented in the future.

