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# DON'T GET OFF YOUR BIKE!

## Have your say about city plans

Just what is the power of the pedal in Adelaide? And where do all the bicycles go?

Planners are puzzling over this.

They want to make it safer and easier for bike riders in the city, but first they must find out which are the most pedalled routes and streets.

News today publishes a questionnaire, prepared for the Director-General of Transport and the Adelaide City Council.

It asks some basic questions of bike riders — their ages, how often they pedal into town, where they usually park their bike, and most importantly, their most popular routes.

Then bike riders are asked to carefully mark that route on the map of the city.

Hundreds of cyclists have already filled out the forms and marked the map.

Planners hope the map and questions will reach hundreds more responsible cyclists through their publication in The News.

They know, from detailed survey figures, that the number of bike riders entering the city before 9 a.m. weekdays and leaving it between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. has rocketed in recent years.

The State Government has already announced plans for two cycle tracks from the city outskirts — at Unley and St. Peters — to the terraces.

Now it must decide what provisions should be made for riders once they reach the terraces.

Completed questionnaires and maps should be cut out and forwarded to Urban Systems Corporation, Third Floor, Industry House, 12 Pirie street, Adelaide 5000.

Results of the survey will be published in The News.



Perhaps there are problems about parking bicycles in the city, but it's no problem in suburban schoolyards as this picture, taken at Forbes Primary School, shows

### FILL IN THIS COUPON

1. Name (optional) F.D. WARNE Phone 916

Address 6 LAMBETH WALK KINGS PARK Postcode 5034

2. Sex Male ☒ Female ☐

3. Age under 10 ☐ 11-20 ☐ 21-30 ☐ 31-40 ☐ Over 40 ☒

4. Why do you usually ride a bicycle in the City?  
Work ☒ University or school ☐ Shop or errands ☐  
Recreation ☐ any other reason ☐

5. Do you ride a bicycle in the City?  
On weekdays ☒ weekends ☐ both ☐

6. What time of day do you usually ride in the City?  
Morning—before 7 ☐ 7-8 ☐ 8-9 ☒ 9-10 ☐ 10-11 ☐  
11-12 ☐  
Afternoon—12-1 ☐ 1-2 ☐ 2-3 ☐ 3-4 ☐ 4-5 ☐  
5-6 ☒ after six ☐

7. Where do you usually park your bicycle in the City?  
In a bicycle rack? Yes ☐ No ☐  
In a building? Yes ☒ No ☐  
Is this satisfactory? Yes ☐ No ☐

If not why? .....

8. On the map please DRAW the most usual ROUTE or ROUTES you mostly use when cycling in South Adelaide. Please also mark your usual destination with a capital "D".

9. Also on the map please mark with an "X" where you would like bicycle parking facilities.

10. Please write below the reasons why you use the bicycle route marked in preference to other ways of cycling to your City destination. It is the most direct route and the safest route

11. What general or particular facilities would you like to see provided in the City for cyclists? Ban all car driving from here

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