
BIKE BOX

COMPETITION

Presented by Charter One Foundation, Bike Cleveland, and LAND studio

What is a Bike Box?

The Bike Box encourages recreational and commuter cycling by providing safe, sheltered bike parking. Placed in strategically visible locations to support existing and future bike parking needs, these repurposed shipping containers communicate a commitment to increase healthy transportation alternatives in and around Cleveland.

The first Bike Box was installed along a busy retail corridor in the Ohio City neighborhood. Others can now be found in other areas in the near west and east sides. Charter One Foundation has provided funding for Bike Boxes in Ohio City, Tremont, Detroit-Shoreway, St. Clair-Superior, but one more Bike Box needs to find a home.

Contest Details

One neighborhood/city or organization will be chosen, based on the merits of their application, to receive a fully constructed Bike Box at the specified location. Once chosen, the winning applicant will work with LAND studio to develop the design details so that the Bike Box's design fits in with personality and character of the area. Applicant may propose to provide additional resources to include additional design and/or functional elements in the Bike Box.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Nonprofit Organization, CDC, Municipality/Unit of Govt (city, park district, school district), Colleges & Universities
- Support of local elected official (council person, mayor, city manager – depending on geography)
- Proposed locations are limited to private property only
- Previous Bike Box neighborhoods cannot apply
- Commitment to maintain the Bike Box
- Geography: Open to Cuyahoga County

NAME OF ADOPTING ORGANIZATION: _____

PROPOSED LOCATION: _____

Please describe the agreement between the Adopting Organization and the private land owner/business owner who owns the parcel where the proposed Bike Box would be located.

Please include a description of location, emphasis on potential use as well as visibility of location.

Please specify whether your application is for a full Bike Box (20' x 8') or a half Bike Box (10' x 8").

Why does a Bike Box make sense here?

How does it support/advance stated community or organizational priorities?

Please provide any additional applicant resources (financial, in-kind, promotional) that make this application noteworthy.

(Not required: Please explain any preliminary design concepts if it would help to explain how the Bike Box would support community initiatives or fit into the physical context of the immediate neighborhood.)

Please also provide:

- Photo(s) of the proposed location
- Basic site plan to demonstrate how the Bike Box would be placed on site and how people would access it
- If proposed location is not in the City of Cleveland, please provide information regarding any necessary permits that would be needed
- Letter of Support from Councilperson or other appropriate local government official

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY AUGUST 30th

Delivery of Bike Box: Early Fall

SUBMISSIONS can be made via email to jlanzilotta@LAND-studio.org with subject line: Bike Box Competition or mailed to 1939 W. 25th Street, Suite 200, Cleveland, OH 44113. For questions, please contact Joel Wimbiscus at LAND studio: jwimbiscus@LAND-studio.org



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