

## CR HELEN ABRAHAMS CHAIR OF ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## Bike Rack increase for CBD users

79 bike parks are now available on Reddacliff Place for cyclists travelling to Brisbane's CBD, Environment and Sustainability Chair Helen Abrahams said.

"We have installed an additional 31 spaces in the last week of July as a direct result of demand from cyclists," Cr Abrahams said.

"The aim is to provide ample bike parking facilities so there is no need for cyclists to chain their bikes to the trees on the square.

"The placement of bicycle parking for cyclists, we have learnt, is very important – it needs to be highly visible and close to entrances to deliver the best service.

"The original 36 parks on Reddacliff Place were placed out of sight along North Quay, and have not been as well utilised.

"In contrast – the new bike parking near the busway entrance has had almost full use from day one," she said.

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Photo of new facility attached