Bicycle Locker/Cage Agreement

Name		ID	
Bldg		Rm	
Cell Ph Number			
Locker Location		Locker Number	
Date Issued			
Bicycle Brand		Color	Serial #
Bicycle Type	🗖 Road Bike 🗖 Mountair	n Bike 🛛 Cruiser	🖬 вмх

The use of the bicycle locker is approved for: (circle <u>one</u>)

Academic year

Fall Term

Spring Term

(year)

Summer Term

The bicycle must be removed from the bike locker, cage and/or bike rack by checkout day/time of your room. After a holding period of 45-60 days, unclaimed bicycles may be disposed by Gonzaga University. Further, Gonzaga University will not reimburse you for damage due to relocating the bicycle (including cut locks) or replacement of bicycles that were disposed. Key (if applicable) must be returned directly to the Housing Office (not the building staff).

We offer this equipment and/or storage area free of charge as part of what we try to provide our residents. However, lost keys will cost \$35, billable to student account.

You are responsible for securing your bicycle and bicycle locker. Gonzaga University assumes no liability for stolen bikes. We acknowledge, up front, that bikes are indeed stolen sometimes from our lockers. **Students with very expensive bikes should consider storage in their living quarters.** You are encouraged to have personal property insurance to cover any loss. Such insurance can be explored from our institutional website and purchased on-line directly with providers, at: <u>http://www.gonzaga.edu/Student-Life/Residence-Life-and-Dining-Services/On-Campus-Living/Protect-Your-Valuables.asp.</u>

Signature:_____

Date: _____

Both pages of this document serve as an 'official notice' under the terms and conditions of a student's Rental Agreement.

About Bicycles and Residence Halls

Bicycles are the single most often stolen item on campus. Two to five bikes a week are successfully stolen during the academic year. More than 90% of the successful thefts of locked bicycles come from cable or light chain style locks. The U shaped lock is seldom successfully cut or defeated, yet sometimes bike parts are stolen from bikes locked with a U lock.

The Dept. of Housing and Residence Life manages all residence hall associated bicycle storage equipment and facilities inside and surrounding residential buildings. This is a large investment. For instance, a single bike locker holding two bikes usually costs close to \$4,200.

We have two styles of bike parking/storage. <u>Both are "free" to residents</u>. One is "unrestricted." The other needs in person request in the housing office and registration of bike style so we can communicate with you if you accidentally leave it behind before we dispose of it. In <u>both</u> these categories, bicycles are to be removed prior to student checking out of their residence hall at year's end. Bikes left behind when a building closes for the year will be disposed of by Gonzaga University.

A) Use Freely as you wish:

Some of our buildings have indoor bicycle storage rooms for residents of the building. Examples are Dooley, Madonna, Marian, Cushing, Crimont. Other buildings have very "modest" number of bike rack positions indoors in a basement lounge. Examples are DeSmet, Alliance. Yet others have outdoor bicycle parking areas only residents can reach. Examples are Crimont and Catherine Monica Hall courtyards. In many locations, we have bike racks along walkways associated with the residence hall, such as Madonna front porch. These sorts of areas are free for residents to use and we do encourage U shaped locks be used also as an extra security measure.

B) Special areas to use with request in the Housing Office

Some of our facilities have bicycle rooms accessed from the outside shell of the residential building. Examples are Dillon Hall, Welch Hall and Corkery Apts. Currently, these are keypad accessed. Codes are available from the housing office. Residents in buildings near those can also use those, buildings such as Chardin, Alliance, Lincoln, Goller. Another emerging style of storage we are testing is the "parking cage" in residence facilities with protected parking such as Kennedy and Coughlin. These specific protected yet external parking areas will be accessible via either code obtained from housing office (Kennedy), or using your ID card (Coughlin).

Some of our facilities have external bicycle "lockers." These facilities require a "hard key" to be checked out to resident and can be attained at the housing office, free!