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Honorable Mayor Semeta and Council Members,

Please support Council Member Brenden's proposal to direct the City Manager to prepare the regulations necessary to enact a prohibition on the repair and sale of bicycles / bicycles parts on public property in Huntington Beach. This would be another tool for HBPD to curb the rampant bicycle thefts and dismantling on public property in our city. As you are aware, often vagrants utilize our parks and other public areas to disassemble stolen bicycles. The bicycle parts are sold and used primarily to support their illicit drug use and other illegal activity. This ordinance should reduce the bicycle thefts by the vagrant/homeless population, diminish their access to cash, and make it uncomfortable for this type of commerce to take place.

The City of Long Beach enacted this ordinance in 2018 ([ORD-18-0027](#) § 1, 2018).

Respectfully,

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