

Update on Cycle Racks (29 April 2020)

Cllr Pat Taylor originally raised this issue December 2019 in relation to the possibility of increasing the number of cycle racks for the market. After contacting Calderdale, we were advised that they could supply and fit several cycle racks in the market area. There was then the suggestion by Cllr Pat Taylor in March 2020 that Todmorden would benefit from having more cycle rack generally as the Tour de Yorkshire bike race was imminent.

Upon enquiring about the number of cycle racks that could be supplied on 5 March 2020 this was referred for a visit is to be undertaken to identify the best location, type of stand and the number that could be supplied. No response has been received since although it could be that this is of lower priority during the Covid-19 lockdown.

The issue of cycle racks was also discussed by the Climate Emergency Committee in January 2020 where It was noted that more cycle racks are needed but that the issues of where they should be sited and who should pay for them needs to be considered. It was noted that the following cycle storage points were available in Todmorden:

- Todmorden Leisure Centre – 5 stands
- Todmorden Community College – 5 stands and a shelter
- Bridge Street (near market near Boots) – 2 stands
- Todmorden Health Centre – 6 stands
- Todmorden Railway Station – 5 stands
- Morrisons – 4 stands
- Aldi -?
- Walsden railway Station – 5 stands and a shelter