

## Bike Repair Stations installed on the Greater Cheyenne Greenway are the latest victims of rampant vandalism.

In 2018 -2019 the Cheyenne Greenway Foundation funded the purchase and installation of four bike repair stations from Saris, Inc. of Wisconsin. They were installed along the Greater Cheyenne Greenway at Laramie County Community College, North Cheyenne Community Park, on the Sun Valley segment at 14<sup>th</sup> and Diamond, and Lions Park. These are **free** to use for cyclists in Cheyenne. The stations have a rack to place the bike on for easier repair access; a pump with two nozzles for both types of tubes; and an assortment of tools to do minor repairs and adjustments. **Each station costs approximately \$1600** not including the labor for installation. some locations have solar lights installed to illuminate the repair station area during low light times.

Vandalism on the Sun Valley station in 2020 required purchasing new tools and hoses. A 2023 assessment revealed that now **all** the stations need repair.

The Foundation is launching a New Campaign to find businesses, organizations, and individuals to sponsor the stations AND to fix the existing stations and keep them in good repair in the future.

All sponsors, whether funding repair and maintenance or new station installations will be acknowledged on the station and on our website. Costs will vary from \$100 dollars to \$1600.

If you are interested in learning more about the Cheyenne Greenway Foundation, check out <u>www.cheyennegreenwayfoundation.org</u>, find us on **Facebook**, or contact **Nancy Olson** at <u>cheyennegreenwayfoundation@gmail.com</u>