

Best Practice: Bicycle Transportation for Security Personnel



Category:	Guards and Police
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Description: Bicycle transportation for security personnel.

Discussion: Bicycles used by security personnel provide a low cost, efficient means of patrolling and monitoring the port facility. Bicycles are low cost, don't require fuel, and are easily maintained.

Potential Down-side: A potential downside is the possibility of crashes and injuries.

Conclusion: Bicycle transportation can be a relatively inexpensive and easy solution for small to medium size port facilities that would like to decrease response times and more effectively patrol and monitor their port facility grounds.

Cost: The initial cost of purchasing the bicycles and providing minimal required maintenance is very low.