Other ways to protect your bicycle:

- Get a good lock. Experts
  recommend a U-type lock to
  help convince a thief that taking
  your bicycle requires too much
  effort.
- Choose a lock that leaves as little space as possible between the lock and the bicycle.
   Remember that the lock is only as secure as the object it is attached to.
- Lock your bicycle in a visible area.
- Take a digital picture of your bicycle to provide an exact description if it is stolen.

The Truckee Police Department does not guarantee that if your bicycle is stolen or lost it will be recovered by filling out and submitting this form. No program guarantees a 100% recovery rate. This is just one tool used to assist owners in recovering their property. It is beneficial for owners to keep a copy of this information for their own records.





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# Bicycle Registration Program

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#### **Bicycle Registration**

#### How it works:

The information from this form will be put into our records management system and will be stored for reference. If a bicycle is recovered, we can use this information to match it to owner information and return it.

We provide a decal to place on your equipment for people to be aware that the equipment is registered with the department. It is optional to place this decal on your equipment. You may request the decal at the office or have it mailed.

#### Why register?

Bicycle theft is an ongoing reality and many owners don't record the serial number, which makes identification and recovery more difficult. The Truckee Police Bicycle Registration Program is one step you can take to improve the chances of getting your sporting equipment back if it is stolen and recovered.

The purpose of this program is to reduce the number of bicycles stolen and assist the police in the recovery of these stolen items.

#### Registering is free and easy!

Fill out this form and mail /drop off along with a color photo of the bicycle. Or scan / email to <a href="mailto:policedepartment@townoftruckee.com">policedepartment@townoftruckee.com</a>

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#### **Bicycle Registration**

<u>Name:</u>
Date of Birth:
Address:
Email Address:
Phone Number:
Serial Number:
Brand:
Model:
Color:
Length/Height:
Other Characteristics: