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Alert: North American Bikeshare Association Comments on Removal of White House Capital Bikeshare Station

[North American Bikeshare Association](#) (NABSA) Executive Director Samantha Herr released this statement today in response to the removal of Capital Bikeshare within the White House grounds:

"Last week, President Trump removed the Capital Bikeshare station that was located inside the White House. The nine-bike station, which the Obama administration had installed in 2010, was a way for White House employees to move about the grounds outside of a car.

This comes after the administration's proposed budget called for the defunding of several bicycling programs, including the TIGER program, which would develop and improve access to a variety of transportation options – most notably for bike commuting.

The North American Bikeshare Association joins *People for Bikes* in expressing our frustration in the lack of consideration for alternative transportation options throughout the U.S. We know that investing in projects that encourage the use of bikes for all people is imperative to the advancement of healthy cities and our nation, and it will remain the focus of the North American Bikeshare Association even if it isn't the focus of our administration."

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