

## SAGUARO NATIONAL PARK - BIKE RANCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

We foresee the committee as a coordinating body between the Bike Ranch, Saguaro National Park, the surrounding neighborhoods, and Pima County with the primary objective of educating and promoting safe cycling practice, as well as advocating for a safer road network.

The Far Eastside has a distinct character and geography that can make it the best cycling in Tucson. It also has inherently unique qualities and features that demand specific cycling safety measures and courtesies. This includes riding in Saguaro National Park, and in a somewhat more rural community that also has horseback riders and trailers.

The Committee would inform, advise, and oversee:

- Development of the safety protocol for Bike Ranch trainers and guests.
- Providing safe cycling leadership for the greater eastside community.
- Coordination with Pima County to create safer bike linkages, including more direct access between The Loop and SNP.
- Coordination with Diamond Ventures and Pima County to create safe bike linkages to the Rocking K and Vail.
- Promote Saguaro National Park through co-sponsored, clean-use activities and events.
- Develop coordinated fund raising mechanisms to benefit Saguaro National Park.

Our initial thought is that the committee would be formed in coordination with SNP after CUP approval. Ultimately, we foresee the committee comprised of representatives from the SNP, the BR, Rocking K, Neighborhood Cycling Advocates, and an eastside member of the PC Bike Advisory Committee. The foregoing is offered as a basic starting point, and we invite and welcome any thoughts and ideas that SNP may have.