

# BIKE RACK LOADING INSTRUCTIONS

## IT'S EASY:



### 1. LOWER THE RACK

If another bike is in position, the rack will already be lowered. If the bike rack is full, please wait for the next bus.



### 2. PLACE BIKE IN RACK'S WHEEL WELL

If yours is the only bike being loaded, place in the position nearest the bus.



### 3. SWING THE BIKE SUPPORT ARM UP

after you place your bike in the rack. The support arm faces down when not in use.



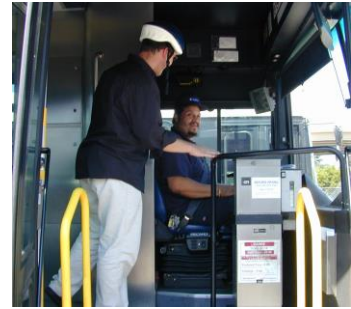
### 4. A SPRING WILL PULL SUPPORT ARM BACK

and hold your bike securely



### 5. YOU'RE READY TO RIDE!

Board the bus & pay your fare. Your bike rides **FREE!**



### 6. EXITING THE BUS

When you come to your stop, exit by the front door, and tell the driver that you'll be taking your bike off.

## RULES:

- You are responsible for loading, securing & unloading your bike from the rack.
- Never step into traffic while loading or unloading your bike.
- Never cross the street in front of the bus; passing traffic can't see you around the bus.
- If an object rolls under the bus, NEVER try to get it. Tell the driver and wait for the bus to pull away, and then retrieve it.
- Make your bike "rack ready" by removing water bottles, pumps, or any loose items that might fall off.
- Tandem bikes, bikes with gas or electric motors, solid wheels, large racks, child seats, or other attachments are not allowed.
- Children under the age of 15 traveling with a bike must be accompanied by an adult, since they must be able to lift and load the bike themselves.
- Bikes left on the bus may be claimed by contacting Customers Relations at 800-355-8080. Please allow 2 days for the bike to be delivered. Bikes will be held for 30 days. Unclaimed bikes will be given to local charities.

***DART First State assumes no responsibility for damaged or lost bikes as a result of using the racks. Use of bike racks is at your own risk.***