

## **Downtown Group Says Parking Ramp Fees Not a Bad Idea**

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Parking really isn't free in La Crosse. It just seems that way. Downtown business owners pay a tax so that there's no meters on the streets and no fees in the ramps. Something that could change. And Downtown Mainstreet boss, Tim Kabat's okay with the change. He says, sometime in the future, there will have to be an investment in parking in order to appropriately maintain the downtown parking ramps.

A recently formed parking board has talked about charging for parking in downtown ramps.