

Neponset River Greenway Council Meeting

Wednesday, August 3, 2016, 7:00 – 9:00 pm Foley Senior Residences, 249 River St., Mattapan, MA

AGENDA

1. Welcome, Introductions, and Guests

2. Along the Greenway with Stella Lensing, DCR Project Manager, and Marti Rudi, DCR District Manager

Mattapan:

- Segment 2 Mattapan Square to Central Ave: *Pavement started. Is construction on track? Date for trail open to public? Opening ceremony date?*
- Segment 6 Crossing Blue Hill Ave.: Is there progress on a crosswalk south of River St.?
- Apartments on Mattapan Station parking lot: Who should we get to ask developers to do something for the Neponset Greenway?

Milton:

- Segment 2 Central Ave to Mattapan Square: Date for Milton-side completion? Is construction on track?
- Segment 6 Crossing Blue Hill Ave. All-Milton construction progress?

Hyde Park:

- River Cleanup September 24 What is needed? Is contamination affecting what can be done?
- Truman Parkway from Neponset Valley Parkway to Brush Hill Road is recommended for resurfacing It's marked for discussion; is it likely to happen this year?
- Segment 5 Neponset Valley Parkway to Paul's Bridge [reminder that planning is needed]
- Segment 7 Fairmount to Dana Ave. What are next steps toward something along Truman Parkway?
- Fairmount Greenway Doyle (DCR) and West St. Urban Wild (City) sections along the Neponset

Dorchester:

- Port Norfolk Park Is there an opening ceremony date?
- Some trail pavement trail just west of Granite Ave is starting to be undermined. Can it be fixed this year?
- Segment 3 Victory Rd to Morrissey Blvd Funding?
- Segment 4 Tenean Beach to Victory Rd. Has DCR heard from MassDOT?
- Segment 8 Drawbridge to Umass: Is there a date for the next public meeting?

3. Events

- Saturday, August 6: Tenean Beach Day 10:00 am − 3:00 pm
- Saturday, August 6: Slow Roll to Tenean Beach, 11:00 am Mattapan, Noon: Codman Square
- Tuesdays, August 9,16,23,30: Free Movies at the Martini Shell in Hyde Park
- Thursdays, August 4, 11, 18, 25: Free movies at Pope John Paul II Park in Dorchester
- Saturday, August 13: Dorchester Beach Festival, Noon-4:00 pm, Malibu Beach, Dorchester
- Sunday, August 21: Slow Roll to Carson Beach, 2:00 pm, Bowdoin Bike School, Codman Square
- Sunday, August 28: Slow Roll to Castle Island, 2:00 pm, Bowdoin Bike School, Codman Square
- September 24: Hyde Park Neponset River cleanup
- October Pumpkin Float: Date, volunteers, and advance work needed

Upcoming Meetings – Meetings held first Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm

Sept. 7, 2016 Milton Yacht Club, Milton Oct. 5, 2016 Hyde Park Police Station, Hyde Park Nov. 2, 2016 Port Norfolk Yacht Club, Dorchester Dec. 7, 2016 Foley Senior Residences, Mattapan

Issues on the trail? (non-emergency)

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