Neponset River Greenway Council Meeting  
Wednesday, February 1, 2017, 7:00 – 9:00 pm  
District E-18 Police Station, Hyde Park Ave., Hyde Park, MA

AGENDA

1. Welcome, Introductions, and Guests

2. Along the Greenway with Stella Lensing, DCR Project Manager

Hyde Park:
- Segment 5 – Neponset Valley Parkway to Paul's Bridge *Update on possibilities*
- Segment 7 – Fairmount to Dana Ave. *Next steps toward something along Truman Parkway?*
- Fairmount Greenway – Doyle (DCR) and West St. Urban Wild (City) sections along the Neponset

Milton:
- Segment 2 – Central Ave to Mattapan Square: *Is there a guess for a soft opening date?*
- Segment 6 – Crossing Blue Hill Ave. *Will there be any sort of an opening ceremony?*

Mattapan:
- Segment 6 – Crossing Blue Hill Ave.: *Is there any progress for a crossing along River St.?*
- Apartments on Mattapan Station parking lot: *Report on public meeting*
- Model of Mattapan-Milton trail section – *Dates for Mattapan and/or Milton Libraries?*

Dorchester:
- Port Norfolk Park – *Is there an opening ceremony date?*
- Segment 3 – Victory Rd to Morrissey Blvd Is there a design completion date?*
- Segment 4 – Tenean Beach to Victory Rd. *Is MassDOT moving ahead?*
- Segment 8 – Morrissey Blvd. drawbridge to UMass: *What's next? Date for next meeting?*

3. Events

- **Bike and walk the newest section of the Neponset Trail** 1:00 pm the next Saturday afternoon after the bridges open from Mattapan Station to Central Ave.
- **First Weekend of Spring Bike Ride**, Saturday, March 25 10:00 am: Bike along the Neponset Trail, present and future, 27 miles from Paul's Bridge to Castle Island and back.
- **Earth Day Stony Brook Ride**, Saturday, April 22 10 am: Follow the route of Stony Brook from the top of Bellevue Hill in Stony Brook Reservation to the Back Bay Fens.
- **Bike Month Mother Brook Ride**, Sunday, May 7 1 pm: Bike from the corner of Nott St. and Fairmount St. (at the Hyde Park sign) in Hyde Park to the Charles River and back, partly following the Dedham Rail Trail.

**Upcoming Meetings** – Meetings held first Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm
- Mar. 1, 2017 St. Brendan’s, Dorchester
- April 5, 2017 Foley Senior Residences, Mattapan
- May 3, 2017 Milton Yacht Club, Milton
- June 7, 2017 Hyde Park Police Station, Hyde Park

**Issues on the trail? (non-emergency)**
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(see back for 2017 meeting schedule)
2017 Neponset River Greenway Council Meetings

Jan. 4, 2017    Milton Yacht Club, Milton
Feb. 1, 2017    Hyde Park Police Station, Hyde Park
Mar. 1, 2017    St. Brendan’s, Dorchester
April 5, 2017   Foley Senior Residences, Mattapan
May 3, 2017     Milton Yacht Club, Milton
June 7, 2017    Hyde Park Police Station, Hyde Park
July 5, 2017    St. Brendan’s, Dorchester
                or Port Norfolk Yacht Club, Dorchester
Aug. 2, 2017    Foley Senior Residences, Mattapan
Sept. 6, 2017   Milton Yacht Club, Milton
Oct. 4, 2017    Hyde Park Police Station, Hyde Park
Nov. 1, 2017    St. Brendan’s, Dorchester
Dec. 6, 2017    Foley Senior Residences, Mattapan