



Neponset River Greenway Council Meeting

Wednesday, January 4, 2017, 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Milton Yacht Club, 25 Wharf St., Milton, MA

AGENDA

1. Welcome, Introductions, and Guests

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

Shooting and car crash: *Do we know more about either of these November events along the Greenway?*

Milton:

- Segment 2 – Central Ave to Mattapan Square: *Is there a guess for a soft opening date?*
- Segment 6 – Crossing Blue Hill Ave. *Are the lights working?*

Mattapan:

- Segment 6 – Crossing Blue Hill Ave.: *Is there any progress for a crossing along River St.?*
- Apartments on Mattapan Station parking lot: *Meeting coming in January (12?)*
- 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?*

Hyde Park:

- Segment 5 – Neponset Valley Parkway to Paul's Bridge *[reminder that planning is needed]*
- 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

3. Events

- **Bike and walk the Neponset Trail**, the next weekend 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, from Paul's Bridge at the Boston Milton line 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 Week Mother Brook Ride**, Saturday, May 13 10 am 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

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

Issues on the trail? (non-emergency)

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- 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