



Dear Friends,

On Monday evening, October 5, the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) held a virtual public to present the design of Clippership Connector, including the layout of trail connections at both ends of the project in Medford. When completed, the 0.5-mile-long shared-use trail will extend from Clippership Drive, pass under Interstate 93, and connect to Riverbend Park and the Andrews Middle School. The proposed pathway will create a critical link for the existing Mystic River Greenway.

The presentation is available for viewing at https://www.mass.gov/dcr/past-public-meetings, and a recording of the meeting can be found on YouTube at https://youtu.be/qPSgXJxHLNo. As we did last evening, after the presentation, DCR encourages the public to share feedback on the layout of trail connections at the east end of the project. The deadline for receipt of comments by DCR is October 19, 2020. Comments may be submitted online at www.mass.gov/dcr/public-comment or via email at jennifer.norwood@mass.gov. Please note that the content of comments you submit to DCR, along with your name, town, and zip code, will be posted on DCR's website. Providing additional contact information when commenting, notably email address, is optional, and will only be used for outreach on future updates on the subject project or property.

If you have agency-related questions or concerns or would like to be added to an email list to receive DCR general or project-specific announcements, please email Mass.Parks@mass.gov or call 617-626-4973.

We appreciate your interest and input.