

## Amherst-Belchertown: Norwottuck Rail Trail Resurfacing Design Public Hearing - Project 608719

## What is happening?

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation – Highway Division (MassDOT) in coordination with the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) is proposing to resurface and rehabilitate a section of existing shared-use path in Amherst and Belchertown, MA. The route follows the former railroad right-of-way from Station Road in Amherst southeast to Warren Wright Road in Belchertown, approximately 1.5 miles in length.

This project seeks to rehabilitate the existing trail surface to eliminate pavement cracking, root damage and improve accessibility along this section of the shared-use path. Other improvements include widening the existing 8-ft section to a 10-ft width, repairing and cleaning existing culverts, seeding the shoulders along each edge of the trail, and formalizing the parking and trailhead area at Warren Wright Road.

When Attend

Thursday, November 18, 2021 7:00 PM

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Please note this meeting will be recorded. The link to the Zoom webinar will be posted closer to the event date.

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Project inquiries may also be emailed to: dothighwaydesign@dot.state.ma.us

Please submit any written statements regarding the proposed undertaking to: Carrie E. Lavallee, P.E., Acting Chief Engineer,

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