



PFC Ralph T. Basiliere Bridge Replacement

What is happening?

The Private First Class (PFC) Ralph T. Basiliere Bridge, though safe for all users, has reached the end of its useful lifespan and must be replaced. MassDOT will hold a public workshop to seek community input on the new bridge's type and appearance, lane configuration during and after construction, bicycle and pedestrian accommodations, and connections to adjoining cycling and walking amenities. This public workshop offers an opportunity for informal, small group discussions with MassDOT's leadership and design team for this project.

How will this affect you?

Over the next six months, MassDOT's design team will work with the Haverhill community to determine the type of bridge to replace the existing Basiliere, how the new bridge should look, and other major structural elements such as bicycle and pedestrian connections and lane configuration. This workshop is the second in a series. MassDOT encourages all interested community members to attend. Attendees can expect to see draft concepts which build on the ideas offered by the public at the initial workshop held on April 3rd, 2023.

When

Thursday, May 18, 2023
5:30-7:30PM

Where

UMass Lowell Innovation Center
2 Merrimack Street
Haverhill, MA



Visit [/www.mass.gov/basiliere-bridge-project-haverhill](https://www.mass.gov/basiliere-bridge-project-haverhill) for more information.



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Please submit any written statements regarding the proposed undertaking to: **Carrie A. Lavalley, P.E., Chief Engineer, MassDOT, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116, Attention: BRIDGE SECTION PROJECT FILE NO. 605304.**