



# 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)

MassParks line: 617-626-1250, 0 for operator or email [mass.parks@state.ma.us](mailto:mass.parks@state.ma.us)

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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