



Norwottuck Rail Trail Rehabilitation Project Update

September 30, 2013



Look Ma, No Glass!

The new path surface is in from Cross Path Road to East Street in Hadley. C&A Construction is now finishing up the final touches on the stretch of trail. Users are reminded to stay off of this section of the path while work is ongoing. The section between East Street and S. Maple Street in Hadley is expected to close in mid-October

Connecticut River Bridge and Damon Road Parking Closed

Connecticut River rail trail bridge and the parking lot on Damon Road closed this week for the bridge rehabilitation project. **The bridge and parking lot will be closed throughout the fall and winter.** Path users may detour around this section on the sidewalks along Damon Road and Route 9.

Current Anticipated Schedule and Closures:

At this time, we expect the following schedule of path closures. All dates are subject to change.

Stage	Expected Closure	Type of Work	Possible On-Road Alternatives
Cross Path Rd., Hadley to East St., Hadley	Currently closed; to reopen mid-October, 2013	Tree work, erosion control, excavation, and repaving	Cross Path to Cemetery Rd. to West St. to North Lane to Middle St. to Newton Lane to East St.
Damon Rd. parking lot, Connecticut River Bridge to Cross Path	September 30, 2013 to April, 2014	Bridge re-decking and repairs and project staging	Sidewalks, Damon Rd. to Coolidge Bridge to Cross Path.
East St., Hadley, to	Mid-October, 2013 to	Excavation and repaving	East St. to Rocky Hill Rd.

South Maple St., Hadley	Winter, 2014		to North Maple St.
South Maple St., Hadley, to Rt. 116, Amherst	Beginning around April 1, 2014	Excavation and repaving	Mill Valley Rd. / east Hadley Rd.
Rt. 116, Amherst, to South East St., Amherst	June, 2014	Excavation and repaving	Mill Lane
South East St., Amherst to Station Rd., Amherst	August, 2014	Excavation and repaving	South East St. to Station Rd.
Damon Rd., Northampton parking area	September, 2014	Re-design and repaving	Sidewalks, Damon Rd. to Cross Path.

More Information?

DCR will continue to post information, updated schedules, and closures on our project web page at <http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/conservation/planning-and-resource-protection/projects/norwottuck-rail-trail-rehabilitation-project.html>.

We will also provide email updates via our Norwottuck Reconstruction ListServe. You can sign up for the ListServ at the link above.

Thank you for your patience and support.