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Public Input Sought for Cape Cod Rail Trail Extension

The Town of Barnstable invites Barnstable residents, business owners, and other local stakeholders to share their opinions regarding potential routes for an extension of the Cape Cod Rail Trail from the intersection of Mary Dunn Road & Independence Drive to the Barnstable/Sandwich town line through an online survey.

The survey should take less than 5 minutes. Feedback received from the survey will assist the project team in developing a planning framework.

The Cape Cod Rail Trail (CCRT) is an off-road paved bike and pedestrian trail currently spanning between the towns of Yarmouth to Wellfleet, with inter-connecting trails throughout. Through regional efforts, construction is scheduled to begin in 2023 to extend the existing trail within Yarmouth to Mary Dunn Road in Barnstable (Phase 3). The Town of Barnstable is currently examining route options to continue the trail through the community from Mary Dunn to the Barnstable/Sandwich town line (Phase 4).

An initial public meeting was held on December 1st, 2020 presenting information regarding potential routes. To access a recording of the meeting, view presentation slides and participate in the feedback survey, please visit:

https://www.town.barnstable.ma.us/Departments/PublicWorks/Projects_and_Updates/Cape-Cod-Rail-Trail.asp

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