



NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

PROJECT FILE NO. 607329

A Design Public Hearing will be held by MassDOT to discuss the proposed Rail Trail Extension project in Lynnfield and Wakefield, MA.

LOCATION: Lynnfield Middle School
505 Main Street
Lynnfield, MA 01940

DATE/TIME: Tuesday March 19,
2019 @ 6:30 PM

This location is accessible to people with disabilities.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this hearing is to provide the public with the opportunity to become fully acquainted with the proposed Lynnfield /Wakefield Rail Trail Extension project. All views and comments made at the hearing will be reviewed and considered to the maximum extent possible.

PROPOSAL: The proposed project consists of constructing a shared-use path for pedestrian and bicyclists along an abandoned railroad corridor, beginning at the Main Street/Bennett Street intersection in Wakefield and extending northerly through Lynnfield to the Peabody city-line. The proposed trail is approximately 4.4 miles long and consists of a 10 to 12-foot-wide asphalt surface for about 2/3 of its alignment and elevated boardwalk through the Reedy Meadow and low areas within the floodplain. The project also includes paved parking areas, safety improvements at roadway crossings, new signs and pavement markings and landscape enhancements.

Please submit any written statements regarding the proposed undertaking to Patricia A. Leavenworth, P.E., Chief Engineer, MassDOT, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116, Attention: BRIDGE PROJECT MANAGEMENT, PROJECT FILE NO. XXXXXXXX
Project inquiries may also be emailed to dot.feedback.highway@state.ma.us.