



Jeffersonville Scoping Study

STP BP 13(15)

Local Concerns Meeting

July 14, 2015

Village of Jeffersonville, VT

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I. Introductions:

Village of Jeffersonville

Lamoille County Planning Commission

Vermont Agency of Transportation

Dufresne Group

II. Brief Presentation by Dufresne Group

III. Comments

- a. See attached questionnaire that can be filled out and returned at the end of the meeting or mailed.

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Project Committee

- Village of Jeffersonville
- Jeffersonville Sidewalk Committee
- Lamoille County Planning Commission
 - Rob Moore
- Cambridge Elementary School
 - Donna Rooney
- Dufresne Group
 - Andrea Day, PE
- VTrans
 - Scott Gurley



Meeting Purpose

- Understand the concerns of residents and facility users
- Obtain public input on prioritization of segments, user groups, surface type, surface width, maintenance
- Develop a Purpose and Need statement



Scoping Study Process

- Hold a project Local Concerns Meeting
- Develop a Purpose & Need statement for the project
- Investigate and evaluate alternatives to meet the Purpose and Need statement
- Collect existing conditions data
- Identify Right-of-Way and Utility conflicts
- Identify Natural Resource and Cultural Constraints
- Hold a public alternatives presentation meeting
- Identify priority segments for further evaluation



Goals

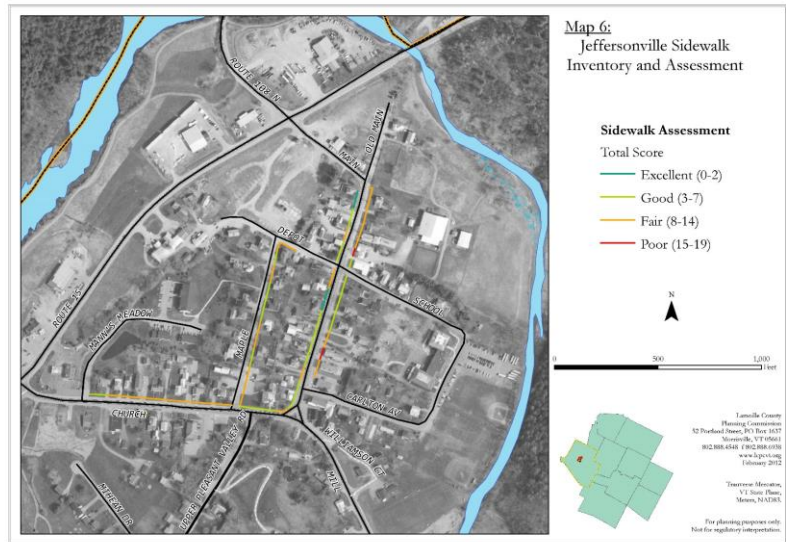
- Improve safety for bicyclists and pedestrians accessing Cambridge Elementary School.
- Complete and improve the pedestrian networks in the Village of Jeffersonville.
- Improve the safety of the intersection of Mill, Church and Main Streets for bicycles and pedestrians.
- Improve the bicycle and pedestrian friendly image of Jeffersonville.
- Others?



Study Area



Existing Pedestrian Accommodations



Environmental Constraints

- Wetlands
- Historical and Archeological Features
- Right of Way



Other Constraints

- Existing Utilities
- Storm Drainage Facilities
- Parking



Project Segments

- School Street and Carlton Ave
- Upper Pleasant Valley Road
- Mill Street
- Old Main Street
- Route 15, Main Street loop
- Church Street
- Other areas?



Project Segments



Comments and Questions

- What should the purpose of this project be?
- Why is this project needed?
- Where do you see the most pedestrians?
- What are your preferences for material (concrete or asphalt)?
- Bicycle traffic?
- What is the highest priority segment?
- Other concerns?
- See Questionnaire handout

Example Purpose and Need Statement

The purpose of the project is to create a safe route for pedestrians from the intersection of Hill Street and Highland Avenue to the Danville recreational fields located off Peacham Road and to bring bicycle traffic from the Lamoille Valley Rail Trail into town to patronize businesses in town.

The need for the project is to improve and expand safe routes for recreational users and support local businesses in the Town of Danville.



Next Steps

- Draft Purpose and Need Statement
- Develop and Evaluate Alternatives
- Present Alternatives



Thank you

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1. What should the purpose of this project be?

2. How would you prioritize the following areas for pedestrian improvements (enter numbers 1-5 with 1 being highest priority)?

	School Street and Carlton Avenue Loop
	Upper Pleasant Valley Road
	Mill Street
	Old Main Street
	VT Route 15 Loop
	Other:

3. What are your preferences for:
Location (i.e. east or west side, separated or adjacent to road, etc.):

Width:

Surface type (i.e. asphalt, concrete, gravel):

4. Other concerns or comments?

5. If you are willing, please provide your contact information so we can contact you with any follow up questions.
Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone Number: _____
Email: _____

