REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: August 7, 2023

SUBJECT: Construction Project Update

PRESENTER: Christopher Todd and Marcus Jones

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

• Ecusta Trail Update Presentation

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Christopher Todd and Marcus Jones will provide an update on the Rails to Trails Project.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

No specific Board Action is requested; this item is for informational purposes only.

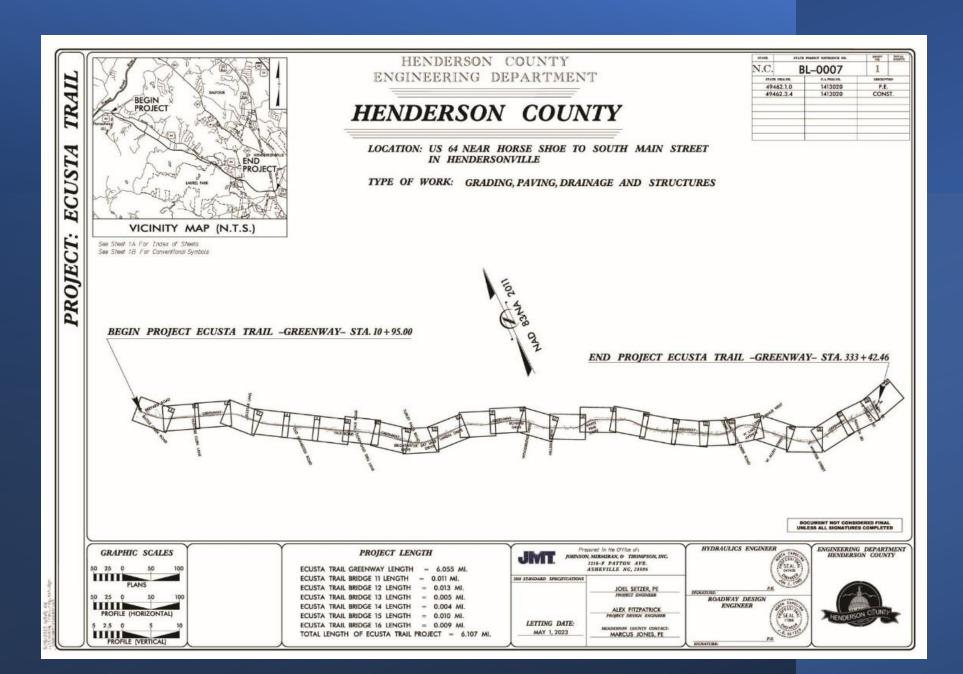
Suggested Motion:

No motion suggested.

Ecusta Trail Update

August 7th, 2023





Construction Bid Timeline

July 7, 2023

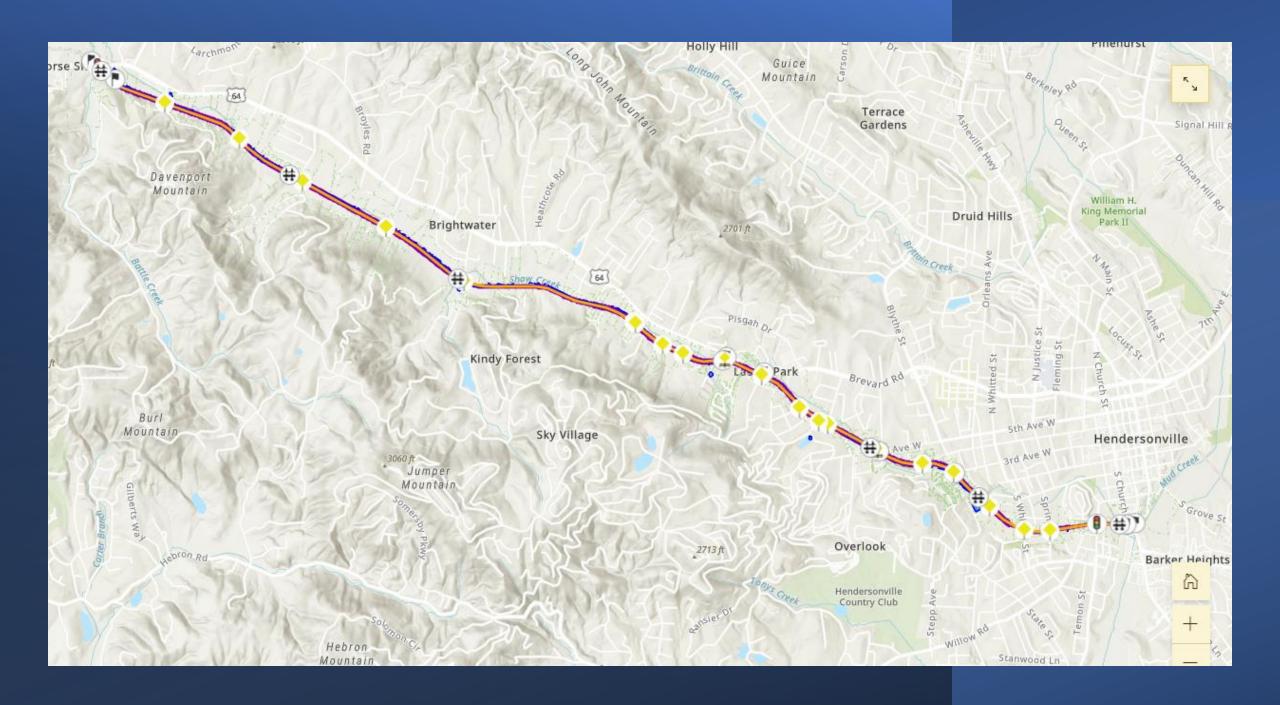
Construction bid posted - must be a prequalified NCDOT bidder

July 20, 2023

Mandatory pre-bid meeting at 100 N. King Street office

August 7, 2023

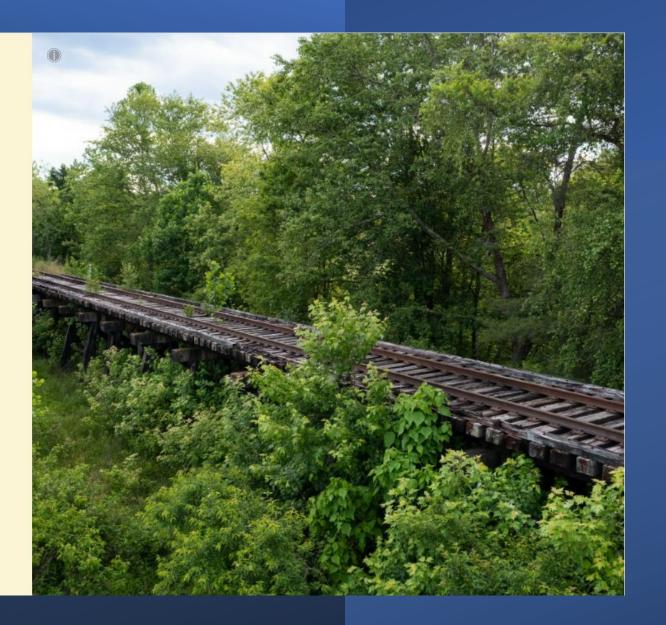
Construction bid opens - JM Teague Office in Asheville



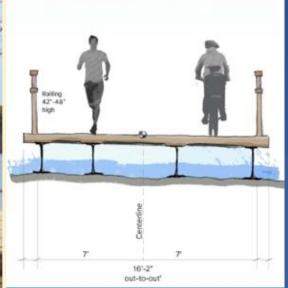
Phase I - Ecusta Trail Final Design

Exciting news! The Final Design of Phase I is now complete. Keep scrolling to learn more about this ongoing project.

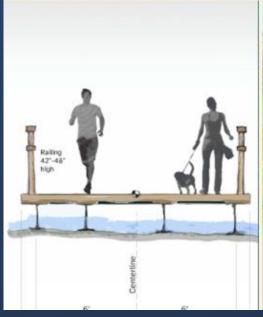
Henderson County Planning Department





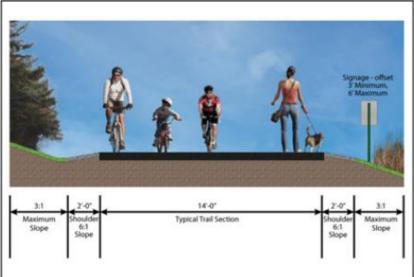


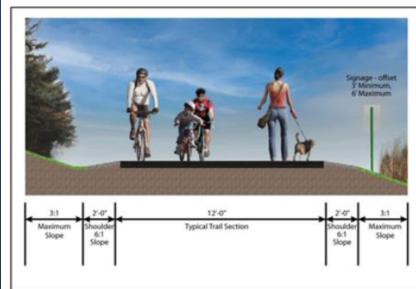
Typical Bridge 14' Wide

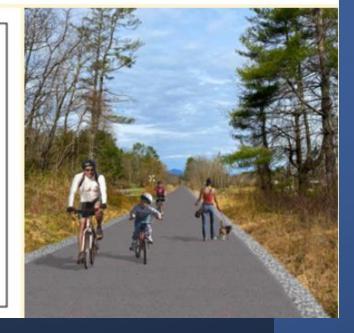












Ecusta Grants Overiew

Grants Received:

- 2020 STBG (Surface Transportation Block Grant) awarded through FBRMPO for engineering and construction of the first six miles of trail for \$5,075,219
- 2022 FOET awarded \$600,000 from the **state of NC**. Money had to be spent by June 30, 2023 and was applied to the Phase I engineering for HC
- 2022 STBG awarded for construction of the final HC portion (US 64 to the county line) for \$10,467,234
- 2023 Additional STBG awarded to HC for the first six miles based on project cost in the amount of \$2,708,974

Ecusta Grants Overview

- RAISE & NSFLTP Grant Awards:
 - 2023 **RAISE** grant awarded for PE and construction of the Ecusta Trail from Hendersonville to Brevard in the amount of \$24.5 Million.
 - 2023 NFSLTP grant awarded for construction of the Ecusta Trail from Hendersonville to Brevard for \$21.4 Million



Questions