

INTRODUCTION

The Village of Mount Prospect encourages our community to walk and bike not only as a means of exercising but also to get to and from work, shops, restaurants, and other destinations. In an effort to expand our bike path and sidewalk network, we would like to introduce you to the Algonquin Road Bike Path Project. The Village is in the early planning stages of a project that would see a new bike path along the north side of Algonquin Road within the entire limits of Mount Prospect, from Dearborn Court to Elmhurst Road. In addition to a bike path, the project includes new sidewalk on the south side of Algonquin Road where none currently exists, improved bus stop locations, and additional roadway lighting.

SCHEDULE

The Village is currently in the middle of a Phase I Engineering Study. The study involves performing engineering surveying, developing preliminary plans and evaluating design challenges. Phase I also includes an opportunity for the community to provide feedback on the project. The study is anticipated to be completed in early 2021. The Village will seek state and federal funding for final design engineering (Phase II) and construction (Phase III) to offset the Village's financial contribution to the project. The earliest opportunity to begin Phase II and Phase III will be 2021 and 2022, respectively. However, the schedule could be slowed should there be delays in securing funding for Phase II and Phase III.

COMMUNITY INPUT

A project web page, www.mountprospect.org/algonquinpath, has been created and can be found on the Village web site. The web page contains additional information on the project, preliminary plans, and concept drawings for viewing. It will periodically be updated throughout the project to provide the latest information.

The web page also has a brief survey for those wishing to provide comments. We welcome your input!

Finally, the Village will host a virtual public meeting to give the community an opportunity to hear from our consultant and Village staff about the project. The meeting will be held from 5:00pm – 6:00pm on Monday, October 5th via Zoom. Go to the project web page to register. If you cannot attend, a link to the presentation will be available for viewing after the meeting on the project web page.

QUESTIONS?

Please visit the project web page for updated information throughout the project. Should you have additional questions, please contact us.

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PUBLIC MEETING (VIRTUAL)

Monday, October 5th
5:00pm – 6:00pm
Zoom Webinar
Go to www.mountprospect.org/algonquinpath to register

Take the online survey at www.mountprospect.org/algonquinpath