

Connecticut Connectivity Grant Application - Notice for Wolcott Web site

Citizens of Wolcott. The Town of Wolcott is submitting a grant application to the DOT for funds to install a biking/pedestrian bridge spanning the Cornelis Dam which is part of the Scovill trail. The bridge will allow bikers and hikers to stay on the trail and not have to cross the busy Nichols Rd two times to finish the trail.

The grant is offered under the Connecticut Connectivity Grant Program, the intent of which is to provide funds for small scale infrastructure improvements to improve accommodations for bicyclists and pedestrians. Clearly this project will provide a safer hiking and biking experience as the installation of the bridge will allow all users to remain on the trail and not have to cross or walk within any roads

The project cost estimate is approximately \$300,000 for which the grant will provide 100% of the construction cost and an additional 10% for inspection and 10% for contingencies. The grants under this program are awarded on a competitive basis. If you are in favor of this project please send a letter or email of support to Mayor Dunn.