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Purpose

1. To provide a **safe and accessible** active transportation facility for **individuals and families** (all ages and abilities).
2. To fill “**the gap**” and provide connection between existing multi-use off-road trails to the west and east.

Review of the Proposal

Description

- 2.4m wide asphalt trail
- Along the south side of Riverside Drive from Windsor to Manning Rd.
- Off-road, multi-use trail.
- For use by families- All ages and abilities.

Review of the Proposal

Planning History

2011 • Parks and Recreation Masterplan

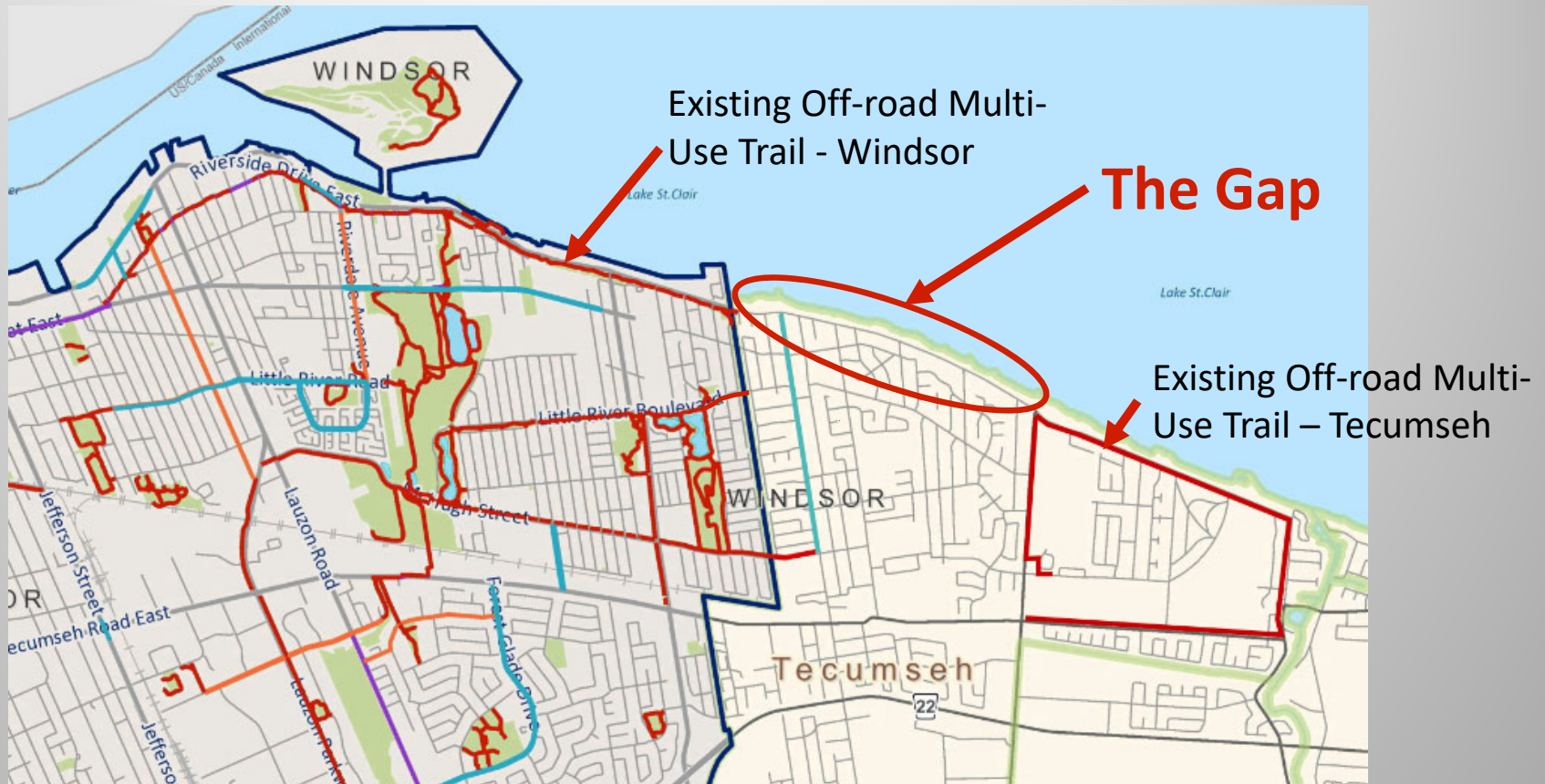
2012 • County Wide Active Transportation Study
Plan

2016 • Tecumseh Endorsed the CWATS Project

2017 • Tecumseh Transportation Masterplan.

Review of the Proposal

The "Gap"



Review of the Proposal

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Results of 1st Public Open House

- **32** interested stakeholders attended
- Large majority **in favour** of the trail
- **Evenly split** whether trail would be on **north or south** side of Riverside Drive

Results of 1st Public Open House

Key Issues

North or south side?

- Fewer **conflicts**, adjustments and relocations
- Fewer **drainage** issues – easier to manage
- Benefit of having walkway on **both sides of the roadway**
- Less conflict with **driveways**/more with local roads
- Less **costly** on south side
- Filling in **the gap** between east and west
- Distance from homes to trail is a concern

Recommendation to 2nd PIC

Based on our analysis of the design, the results of the public consultation, and the comparative costs and key issues, we recommend that the proposed multi-use trail be aligned along **the south side of Riverside Drive**, easterly from the Tecumseh Windsor border to the west limit of Manning Rd.

Results of 2nd Public Open House

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- Alternative Options are available – route and configuration
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- Pedestrian and Vehicular Safety
- Loss of Parking along road
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23 comments in favour of trail project including location on south side of the Road.

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Support for Trail on South Side

... Additional Study and Review

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Additional Study and Review

Questions for Further Study

1. Are there **other trails** designed this way?
2. Is there a **better route**?
3. Is there a **better configuration**?
4. Are there **problem areas** that can't be resolved?
5. Does the trail **match** up with trails to the east and west.

Are there other trails that have been designed in this way?

Criteria for Comparative Projects

- Multiple Driveway Crossings – 68 (31/km)
- Multiple Road Crossings - 12
- Width of Trail – 2.4m
- Distance From Road – 0 to 14m
- Distance From Homes - 4 to 34m
- Average Daily Traffic – 12,098



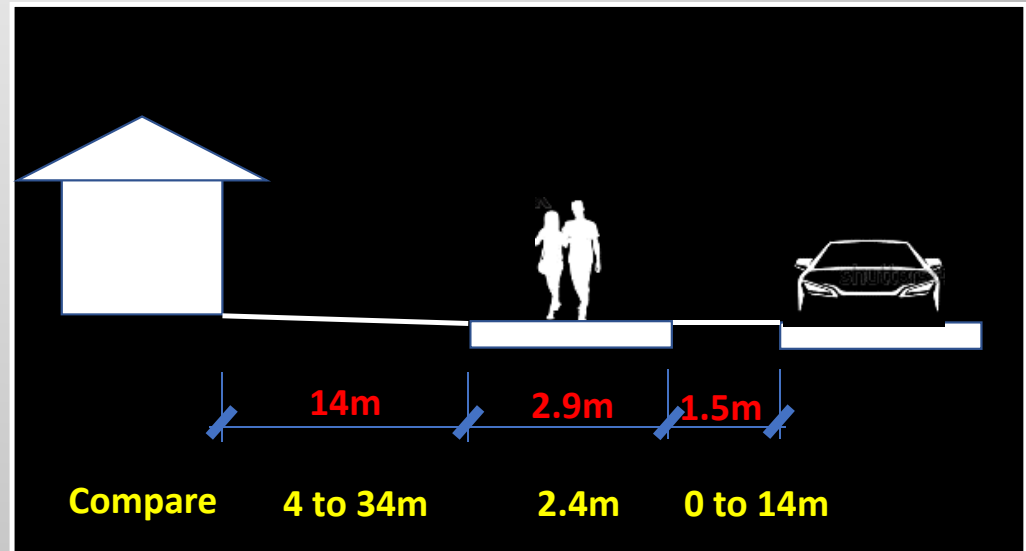
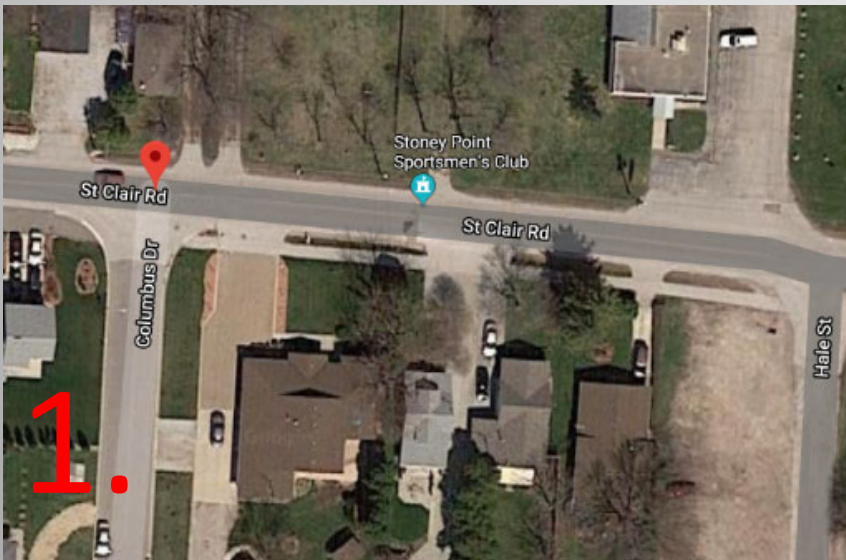
1.

St. Clair Rd. Tecumseh Rd. to Claireview Dr.
Lakeshore ON



St. Clair Rd. Lakeshore ON

Type: **Separated Multi-use Trail**
 Surface: **Asphalt**
 Length: **5.1km (3.2 miles)**
 Width: **2.9m (9.5 ft.)**
 Minimum Separation- Road: **0-1.5m (0-5 ft.)**
 Minimum Separation – Houses: **14m (45 ft.)**
 Driveway Crossings: **112 (22/km)**
 Road Crossings: **7**
 AADT:





2.

**Riverside Dr. East, Manning to Brighton Rd.
Tecumseh ON**



Riverside Dr. East, Tecumseh

Type: **Separated Multi-use Trail**

Surface: **Asphalt**

Length: **902m (2,959 ft.)**

Width: **2.6m (8.5 ft.)**

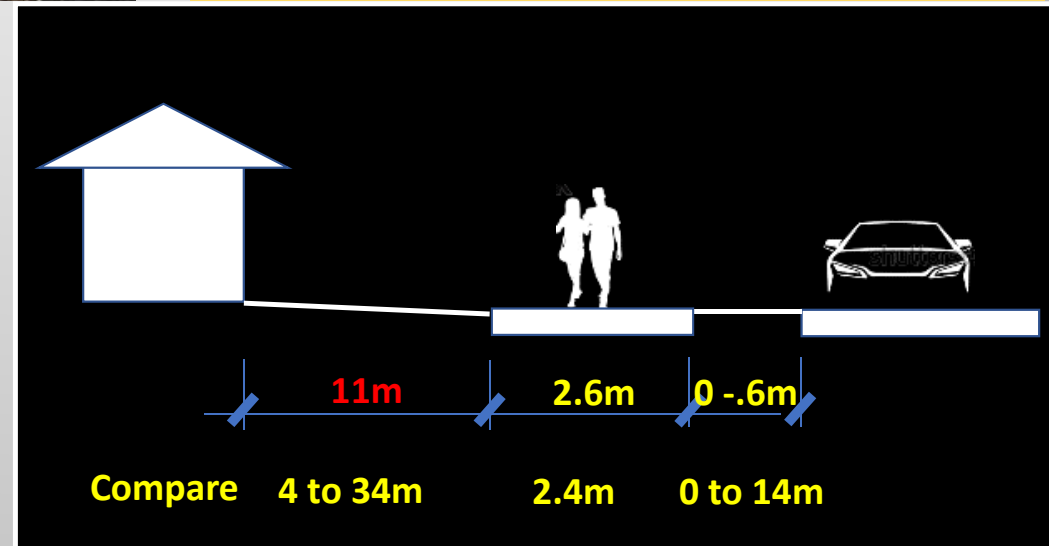
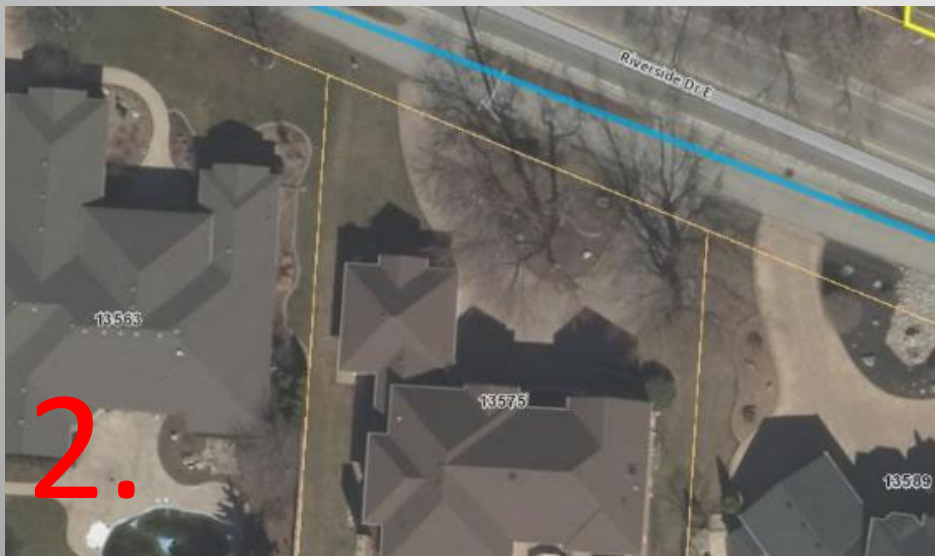
Minimum Separation- Road: **0 - .6m (0-2ft.)**

Minimum Separation – Houses: **11m (36 ft.)**

Driveway Crossings: **22 (24/km)**

Road Crossings: **5**

AADT: **6,356**





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Malden Rd. Turtle Ave. to Laurier Dr.
LaSalle ON

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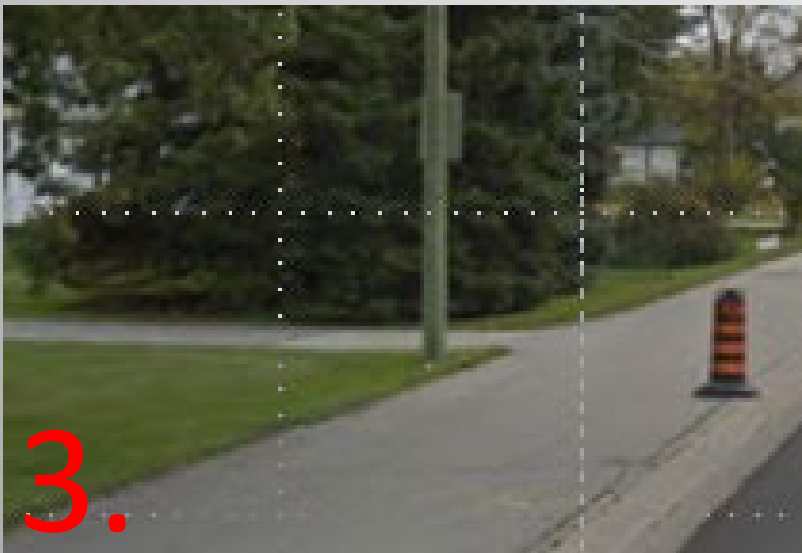
4m

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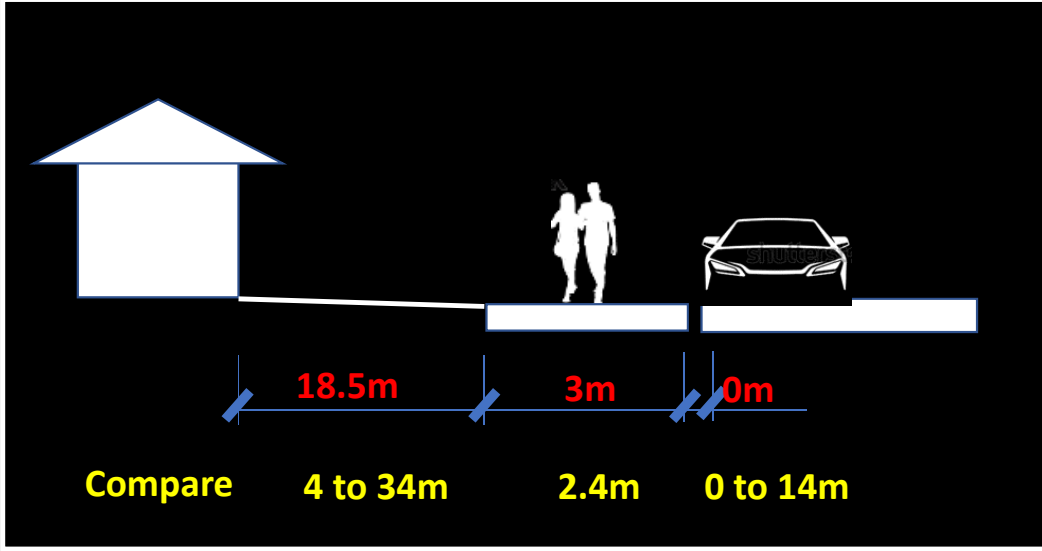


Malden Rd. LaSalle ON

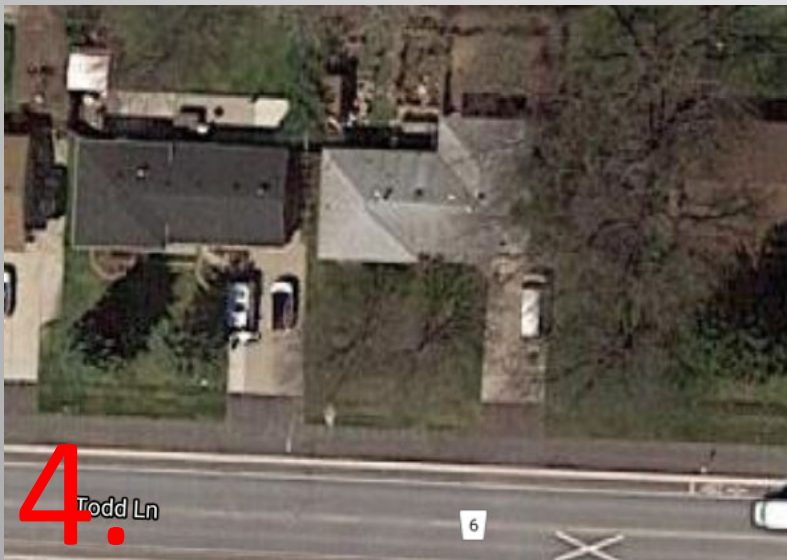
Type: **Multi-use Trail at Curb along curb**
 Surface: **Asphalt**
 Length: **1.29km (.80 miles)**
 Width: **4m (12 ft.)**
 Minimum Separation- Road: **0m (0 ft.)**
 Minimum Separation – Houses: **18.5m (60.6 ft.)**
 Driveway Crossings: **29 (22/km)**
 Road Crossings: **7**
 AADT: **12 to 19,000**



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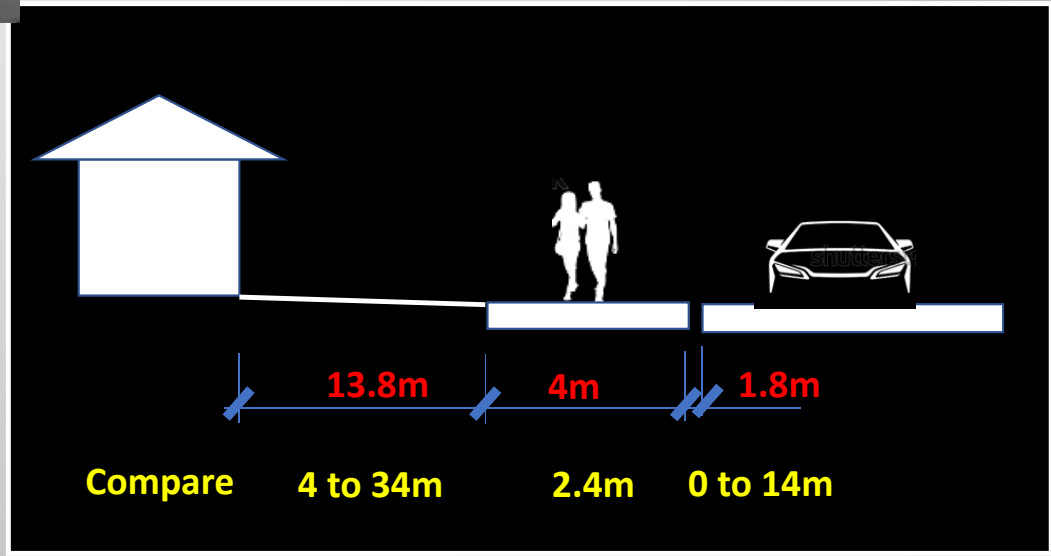






Todd Lane LaSalle ON

Type: Bike Lanes + Multi-use Path along curb
Surface: Asphalt
Length: 2.7KM (1.69m)
Width: 4m (12 ft.)
Minimum Separation- Road: 0m (0 ft.)
Minimum Separation – Houses: 13.8m (45.3 ft.)
Driveway Crossings: 56 (21/km)
Road Crossings: 5
AADT: 7,700



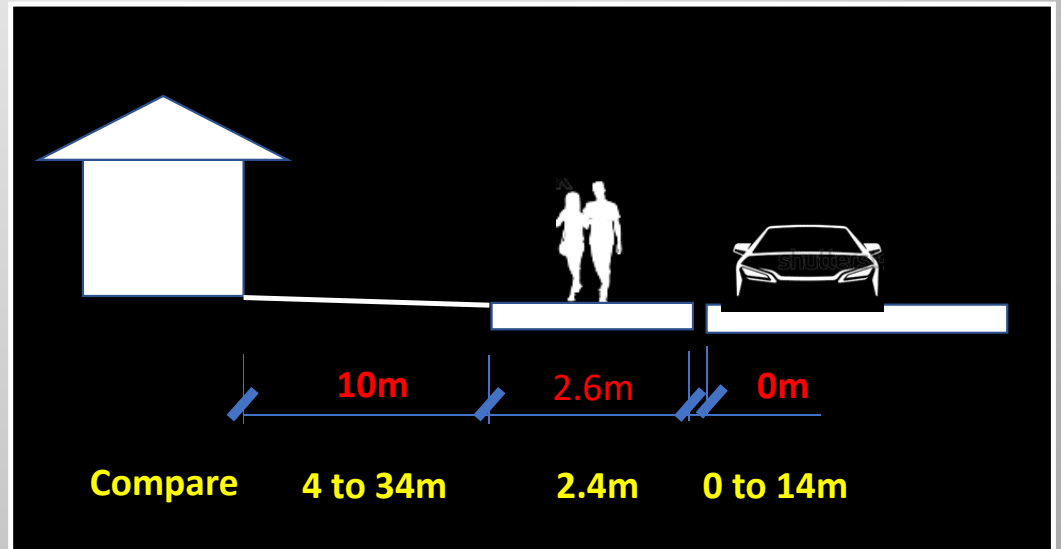


5.

Dougall Rd.
Windsor ON

Dougall Rd. WindsorON

Type: **Multi-use Path along mountable curb**
Surface: **Asphalt**
Length: **1.0KM (.62 miles)**
Width: **2.6m (8.5 ft.)**
Minimum Separation- Road: **0m (0 ft.)**
Minimum Separation – Houses: **10m (33.3 ft.)**
Driveway Crossings: **34 (34/km)**
Road Crossings: **4**
AADT: **29,000**





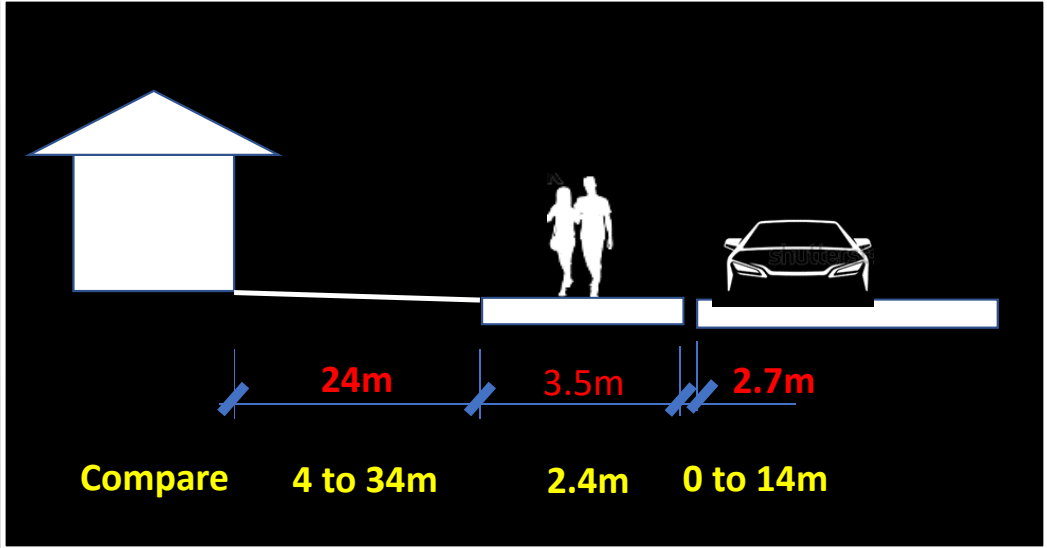
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Reaume Rd., LaSalle ON



Reaume Rd. LaSalle ON

Type: **Multi-use Path separated from curb**
 Surface: **Asphalt**
 Length: **1.3KM (.8 mi)**
 Width: **3.5m (11.5 ft.)**
 Minimum Separation- Road: **2.7m (8.8 ft.)**
 Minimum Separation – Houses: **24m (78 ft.)**
 Driveway Crossings: **39 (30/km)**
 Road Crossings: **5**
 AADT: **2,900**



Are there other trails that have been designed in this way?

Comparative Projects

There are good examples of multi-use trails both separated and adjacent to the curb, that cross multiple roads and driveways, and are a similar distance from homes. We recommend increasing the trail width to an average of **2.7m or 9ft (2.4m minimum)** wherever possible, with **potential for 3m** in some areas especially if the trail is adjacent to the road edge.

Is there a better route?

Suggested Alternative Route

The alternate route suggested would use Lesperance Rd., Dillon Dr., Little River Blvd. and Manning Rd. for the segment east of Lesperance.

Is there a better route?

Comparison



	Riverside Dr.	Dillon Dr
Length	2Km	2.7Km
Road Crossings	12	11
Driveways	68	81
Distance to House	4-34m	8-10m
Fills the Gap	Y	N
Access to Homes along South Side of Drive	Y	N
Cost	Less	More

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Alternative Route



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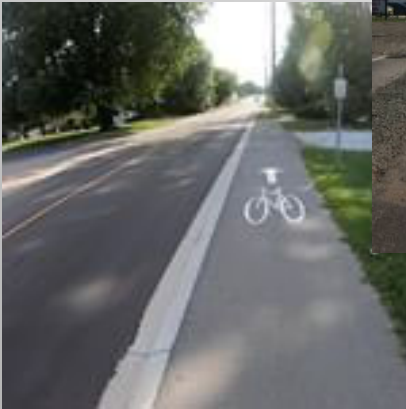
- Doesn't fill the gap
- Perceived inconvenience is the same
- Higher cost
- More driveway crossings
- +/- same number of road crossings
- Longer distance
- Doesn't provide access to Residents on Riverside Drive

Note ... the proposed alternate route consists of low volume residential roads. The road itself would be a viable alternative for recreational use rather than an off road trail.

Recommendation Update

Based on the evaluation of the alternative route (Dillon Drive) and comparable local projects, the **multi-use trail along the South side of Riverside Drive remains the preferred option.**

Is There a Better Configuration?



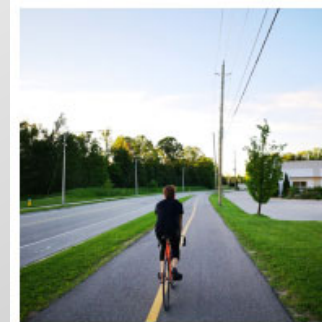
More Suitable Option?

Facility	Description
Physically Separated Bike Lane	Bike lane separated horizontally and vertically from vehicles through the use of bollards, curbs, or planters. Generally follows road alignment. Exclusively for cyclists.
Cycle Track	Horizontally and vertically separated from the roadway by a curb and buffer. One directional lane on each side of roadway (one-way) or a two-way facility on one or both sides of the roadway. Exclusively for cyclists.
Multi-Use Pathway	Two-way pathway horizontally separated from the roadway. Shared by cyclists and pedestrians. Alignment can be independent of roadway to avoid obstruction such as utility poles.
Bike Lanes	Portion of roadway designated for cyclists through the use of pavement markings (single line or buffer). Exclusively for cyclists. Follows road alignment.
Paved Shoulder	Portion of roadway used to accommodate stopped vehicles, emergency uses, pedestrians and cyclists, and lateral support of pavement structure. Not an alternative to bike lanes in an urban environment.
Shared Use Roadway	Vehicles and cyclist share operating space. Cycling is permitted on all roadways unless specifically restricted.



Figure 4.26 – Cast-in-place Concrete Curb Separating a One-way Separated Bicycle Lane, Toronto

Source: AITA



Multi-Use Path Separated by Grassy Boulevard, Waterloo

Source: AITA



Cycle Track Separated by Mountable Curb, East Gwillimbury

Source: WSP

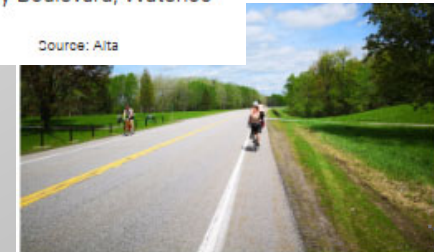
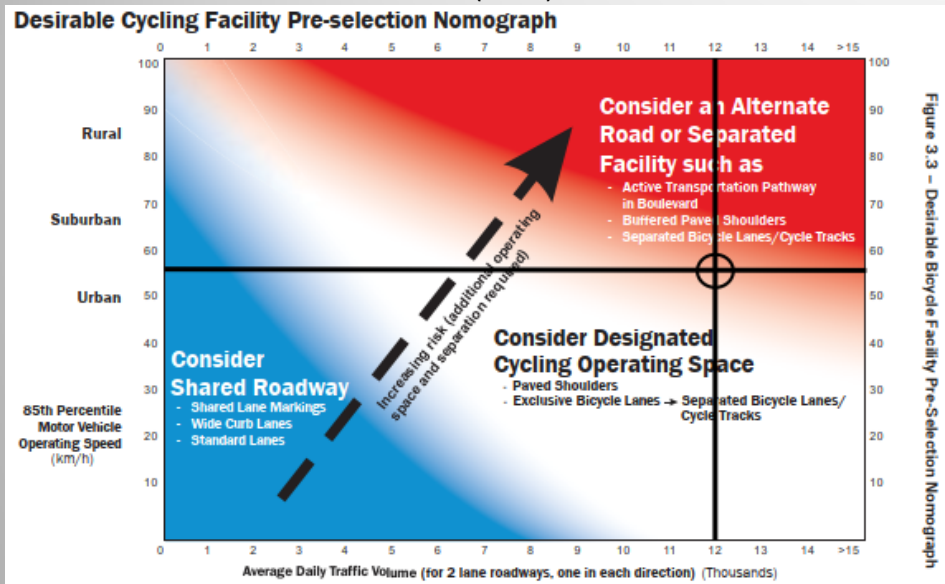


Figure 4.70 – Example of Rural Paved Shoulders, Ottawa

Source: AITA

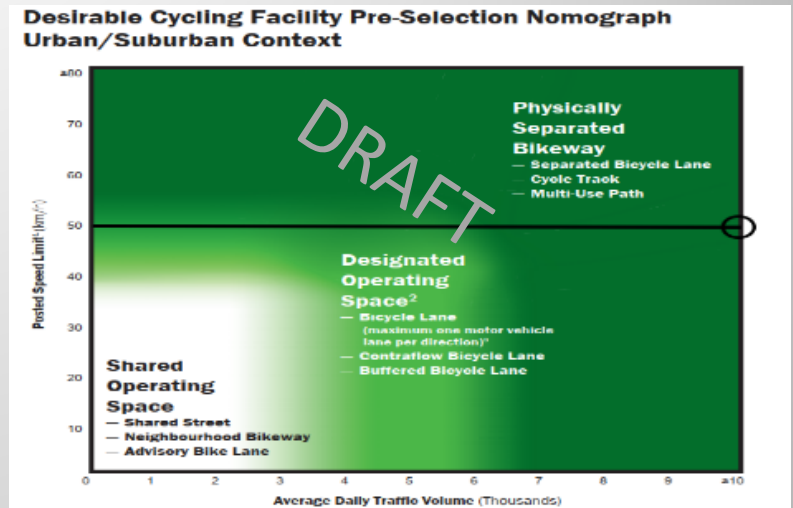
Ontario Traffic Manual Book 18- Cycling Facilities

OTM Book 18 (2013)



- Current standard **cycling facility guidelines** in Ontario
- Includes facility selection **guidelines**
- **Guideline** to promote consistency in facility selection and use.

Draft OTM Book 18 (May 2020)



- Updated to reflect current national and international best practices
- Recommends **increasing separation of people cycling and motorists** (low stress environment) compared to the 2013 version.
- Encourages cycling facilities to appeal to “**all ages and abilities**”
- Design for an “**Interested but concerned**” target user

Ontario Traffic Manual Book 18- Cycling Facilities

OTM Book 18 (2013) Selection Heuristics

Site Characteristic	Design Considerations
Traffic Volume	Physical Separation
Vehicle Speed	Exclusive operating space for both bicycles and vehicles
Road Class	Some form of bicycle facility
Driveway and intersection frequency	Bike lanes may be more appropriate

Findings:

- Physically separated facility
- Bike lanes considered

Draft OTM Book 18 (May 2020) Selection Heuristics

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	Shared Roadway	Neighbourhood Bikeway	Rural Paved Shoulder	Advisory Bicycle Lane	Bicycle Lane	Buffered Bicycle Lane	Separated Bicycle Lane	Cycle Track	Multi-Use Path
Motor vehicle speed									
50 km/h			?	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Motor vehicle volumes									
>10,000 vpd							?	✓	✓
Function of street/road/highway									
Mobility roads (e.g. major collectors, arterials)			?		?	?	✓	✓	✓
Frequency of intersections and crossings									
Low-volume driveways or unsignalized intersections	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pedestrian activity									
Low pedestrian volumes	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

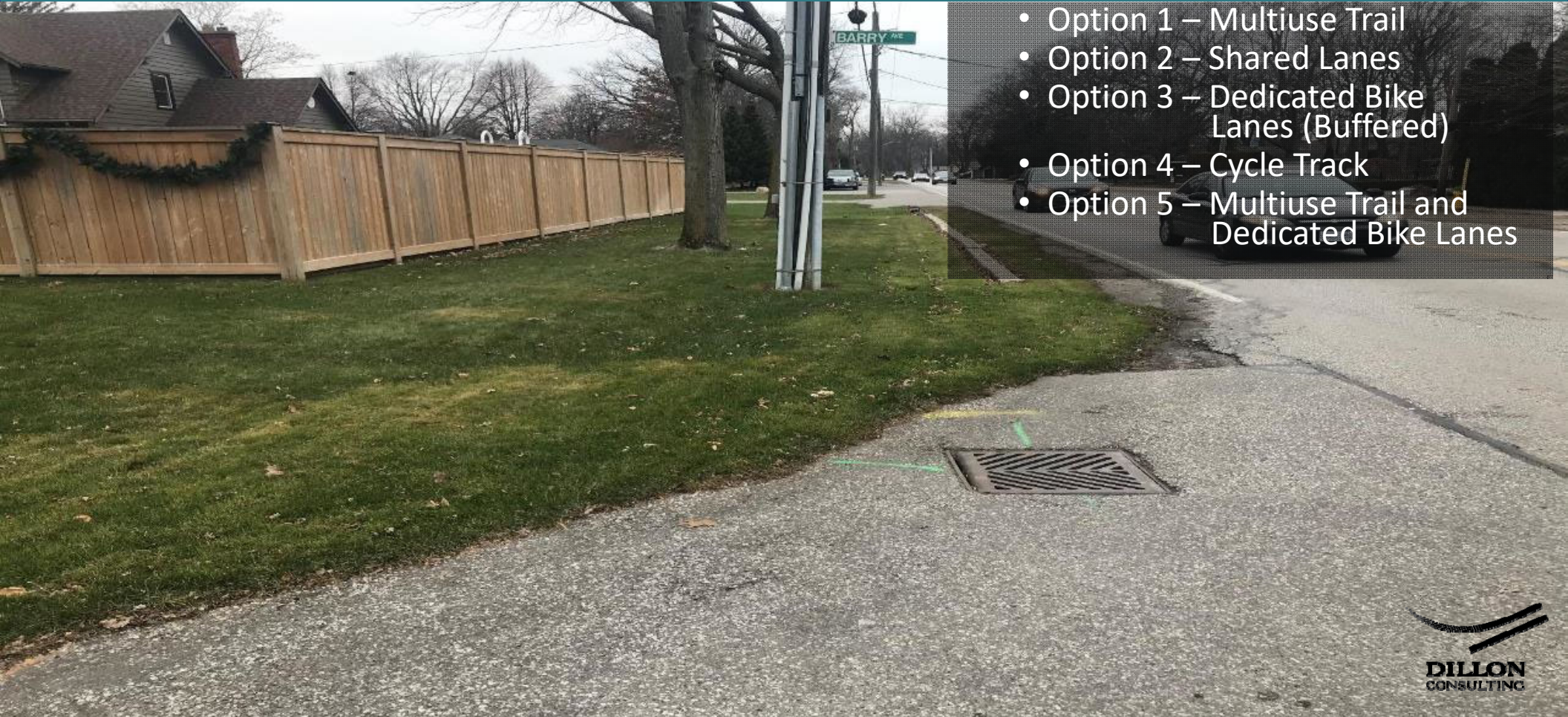
✓	Typically appropriate for the context
?	Requires further context specific evaluation

Findings:

- Multi-Use Pathway or Cycle Track
- Low volume driveways and intersections considered less of a barrier to in-boulevard facilities.



Alternative Facility Types



- Option 1 – Multiuse Trail
- Option 2 – Shared Lanes
- Option 3 – Dedicated Bike Lanes (Buffered)
- Option 4 – Cycle Track
- Option 5 – Multiuse Trail and Dedicated Bike Lanes

Option 1: Multi-Use Trail

Current
Proposal

ADVANTAGES

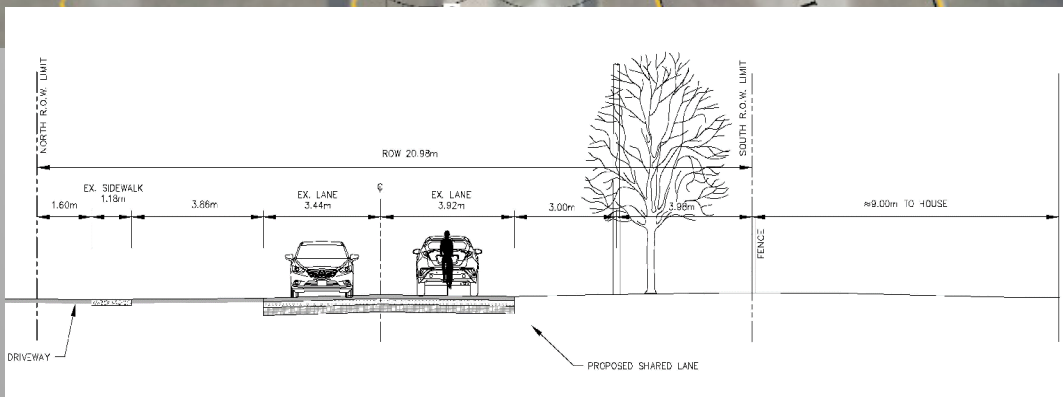
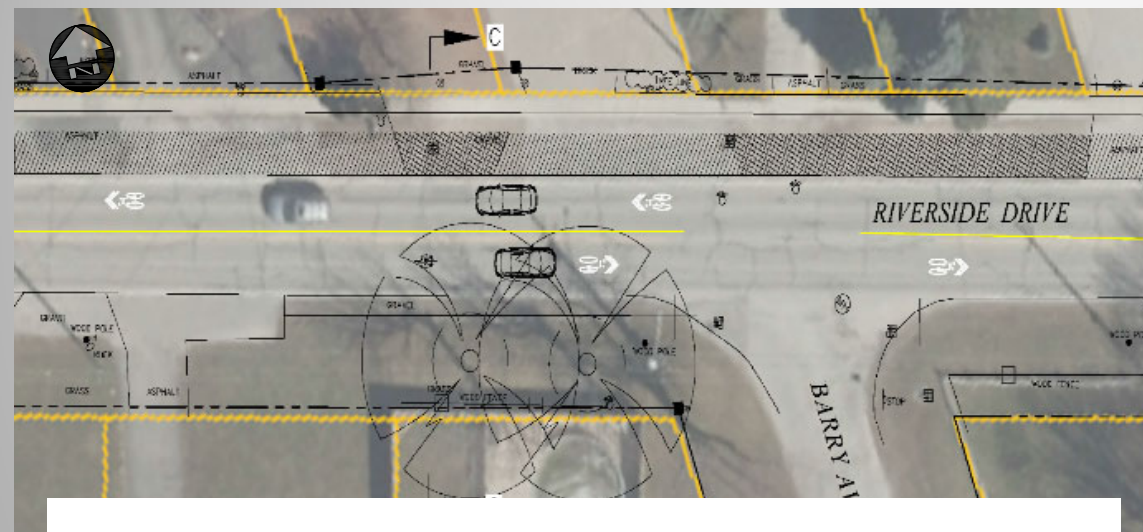
- Accessible for persons of **all ages and abilities**
- **Physical separation** between motorists and pedestrians/cyclists
- **Fills the “Gap”** and provides consistency between adjacent active transportation facilities (Ganatchio Trail and Lakewood Park)
- **Flexibility in alignment** to minimize impacts to existing landscaping and utilities within right of way.
- Provides cyclists **on-road and off-road options**.
- Does not limit the installation of bike lanes in the future

DISADVANTAGES

- Potential **commercial parking impacts**
- **Relocation or removal of existing landscaping**, hard surfaces, and utilities within the right-of-way
- **Low volume driveway and street crossings**.
- Requires **modifications to existing drainage** on the south side of the roadway.
- Potential **property impacts**.



Option 2 – Shared Lanes



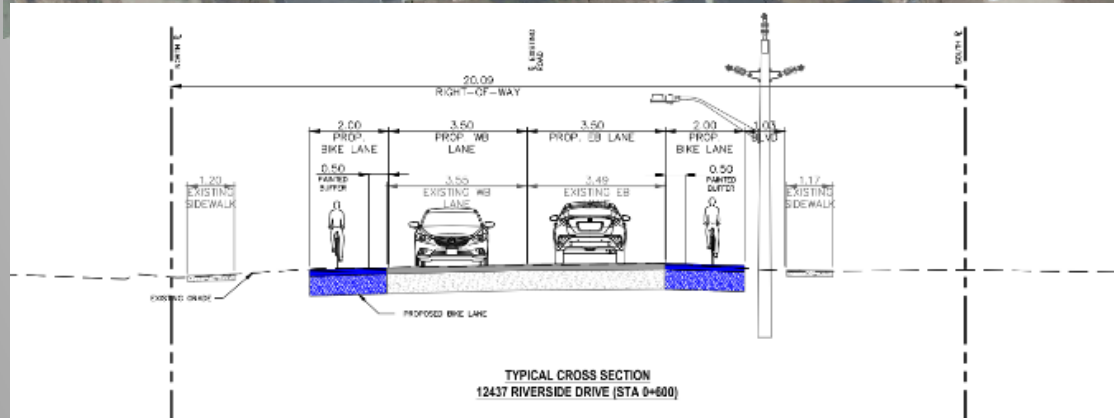
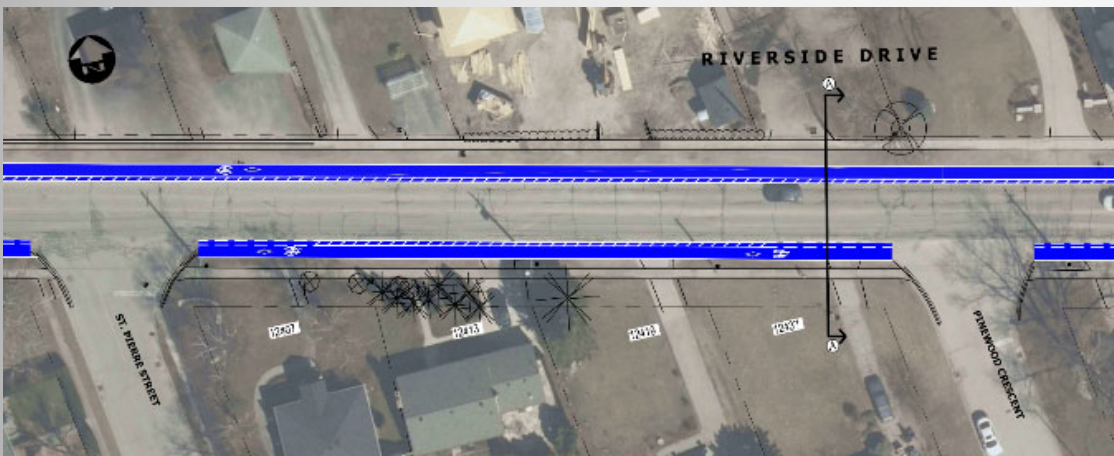
ADVANTAGES

- Low cost
- Minimize disruption due to construction activities

DISADVANTAGES

- **Does not fill the “Gap”** or provide consistency between adjacent facilities
- **Does not accommodate users of all ages and abilities**
- Shared routes are not typically utilized by a variety of users including youth or families due to perceived safety issues
- **Increased proximity and interaction with vehicles**
- Does not improve the Town’s active transportation network as cyclists are currently permitted to use the roadway.
- **No pedestrian connection.**

Option 3 – Dedicated Bike Lanes (Buffered)



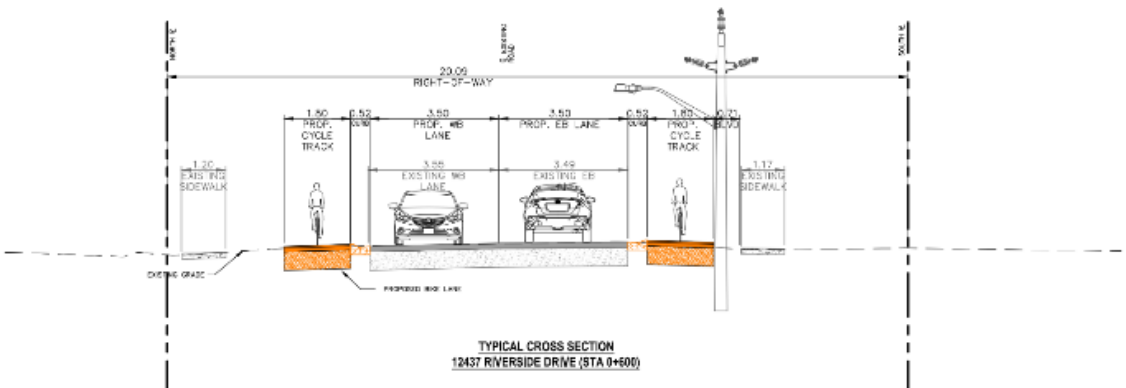
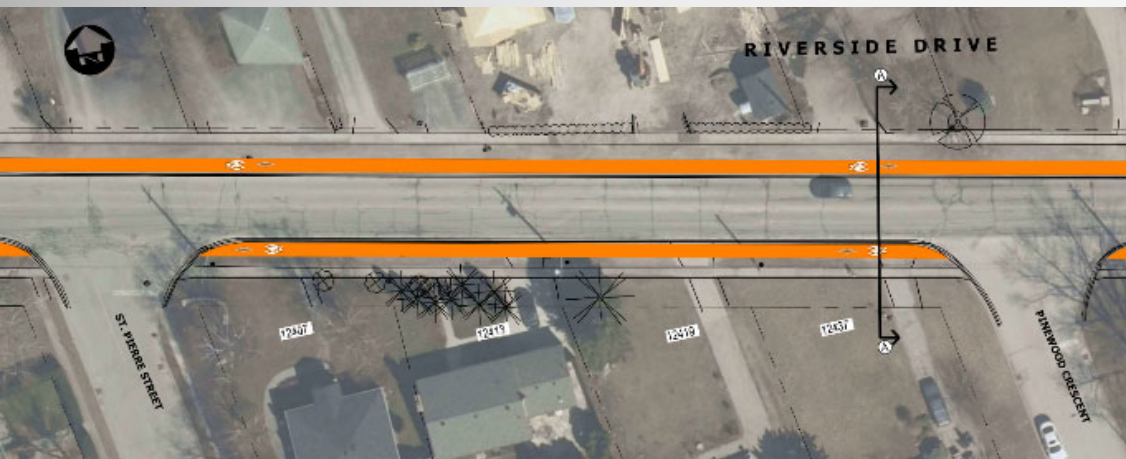
ADVANTAGES

- **Dedicated space for cyclists** within the roadway
- **Fewer utility relocations and landscaping impacts** within right-of-way compared to Multi-Use Trail.

DISADVANTAGES

- **Does not fill the “Gap”** or provide equitable active transportation facilities (all ages and abilities).
- **Increased hard surface area** compared to other options.
- **Significant reconfiguration and widening** of the existing Lesperance Road signalized intersection.
- Potential **commercial parking impacts**
- **No physical separation** between cyclists and motorists
- Requires **drainage improvements** on both sides of roadway
- **No benefit to pedestrians**
- Increased costs
- **No connection to existing bike lanes** at project limits
- No connection from north to existing Ganatchio Trail at west limits

Option 4 – Cycle Track



ADVANTAGES

- **Dedicated physically separated** space for cyclists
- **Fewer utility relocations and landscaping impacts** within right-of-way compared to Multi-Use Trail.

DISADVANTAGES

- **Does not fill the “Gap”** or provide equitable active transportation facilities (all ages and abilities).
- **Increased hard surface area** compared to other options.
- **Significant reconfiguration and widening** of the existing Lesperance Road signalized intersection including relocation of existing traffic signals.
- Potential **commercial parking impacts**
- **Significant drainage improvements** to both the roadway and boulevard (will require additional road reconstruction).
- **No benefit to pedestrians**
- Increased costs
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- No connection from north to existing Ganatchio Trail at west limits

Option 5 – Multi-Use Trail and Dedicated Bike Lanes (Buffered)

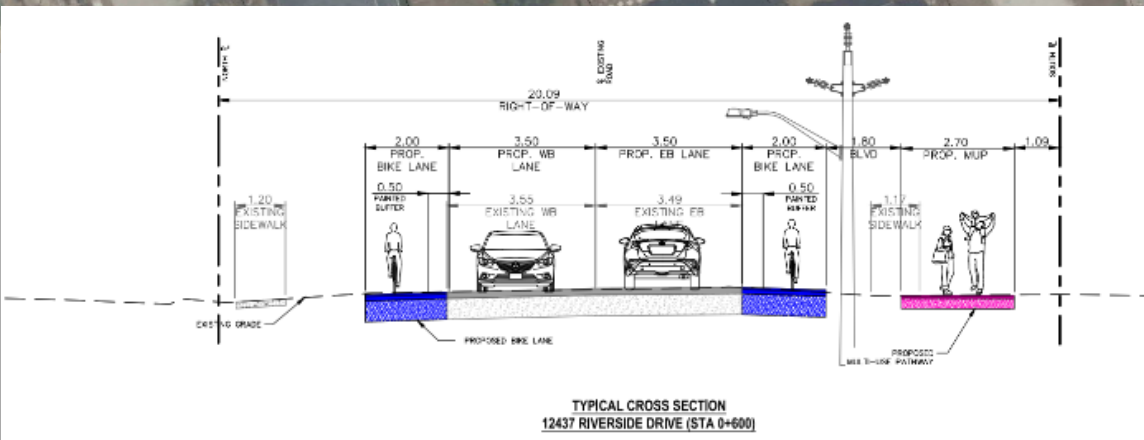


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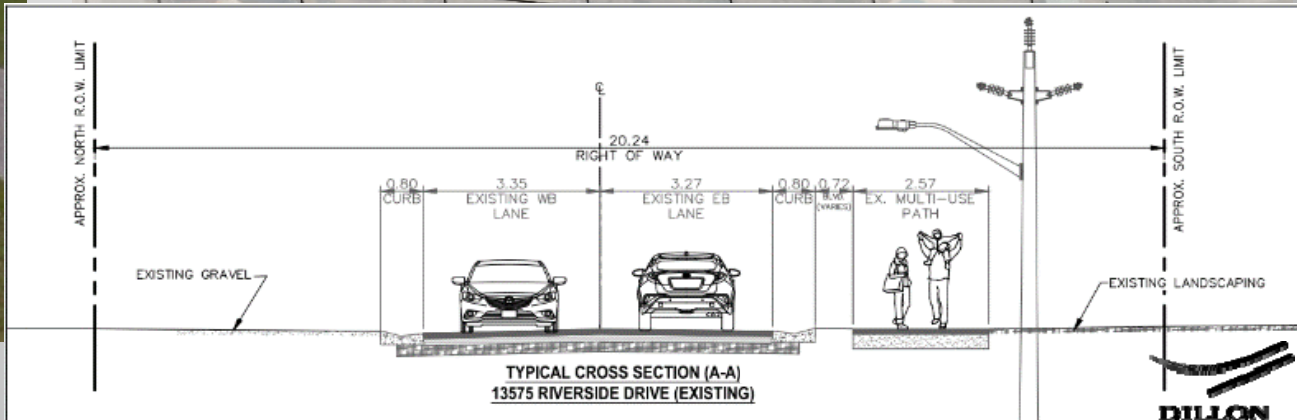
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- Potential **commercial parking impacts**
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- Significant **cost increase**
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- Potential **property impacts.**



Consistency With Adjacent Facilities

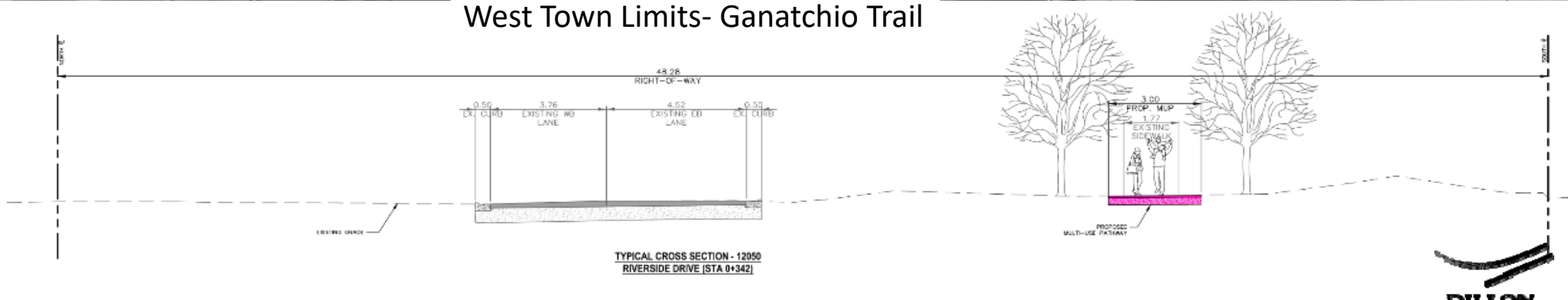
East of Manning Road Multi-Use Trail



Consistency With Adjacent Facilities



West Town Limits- Ganatchio Trail



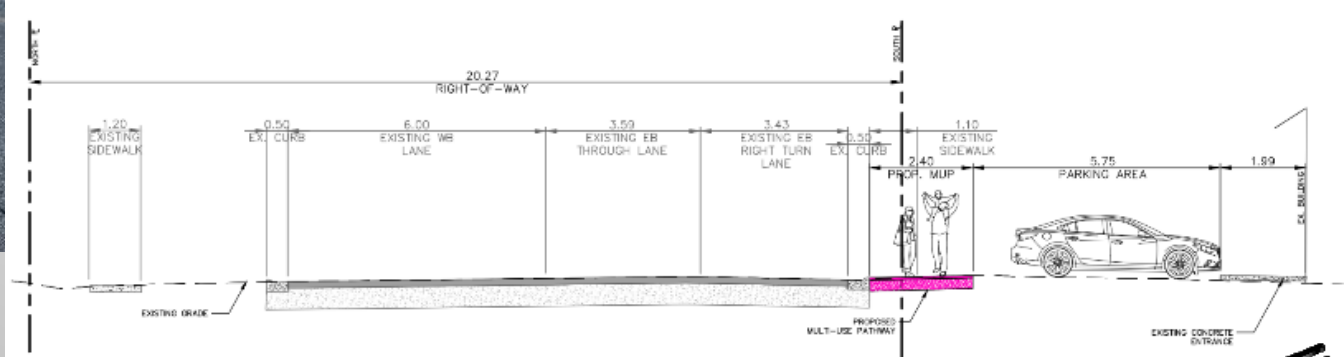
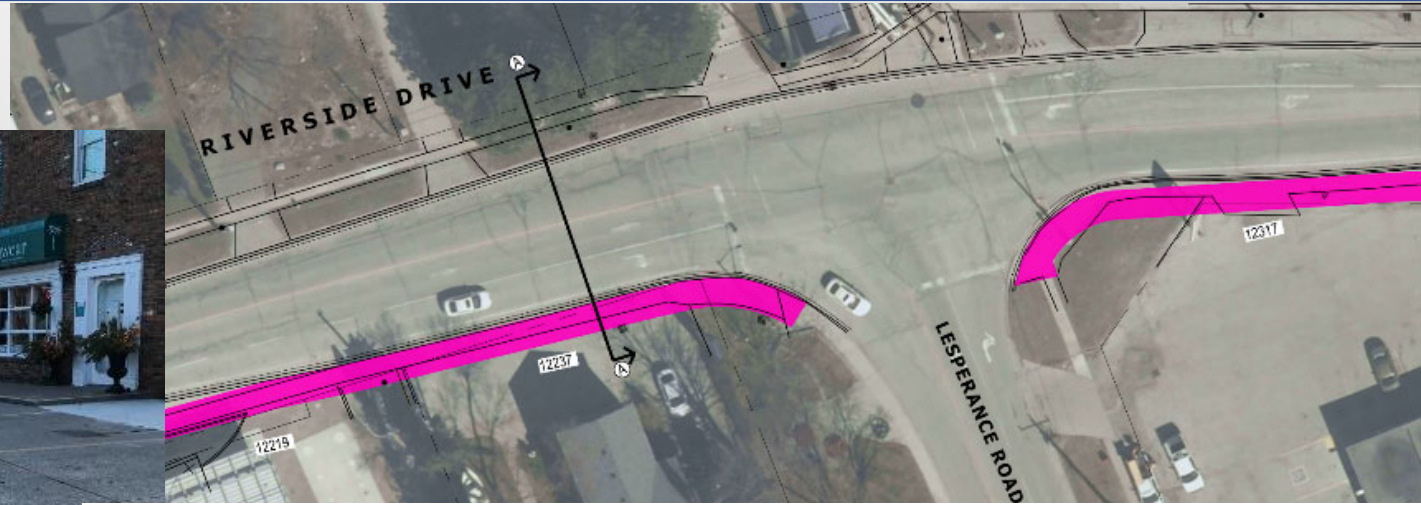
Is there a better configuration?

The Alternatives:

- Do not serve the target audience (all ages and abilities)
- Do not align with the current and proposed best practices.
- Require major road reconstruction and intersection improvements
- Require significant drainage improvements
- Increase hard surface area
- Increase costs
- Are inconsistent with adjacent facilities... i.e. doesn't fill the gap.

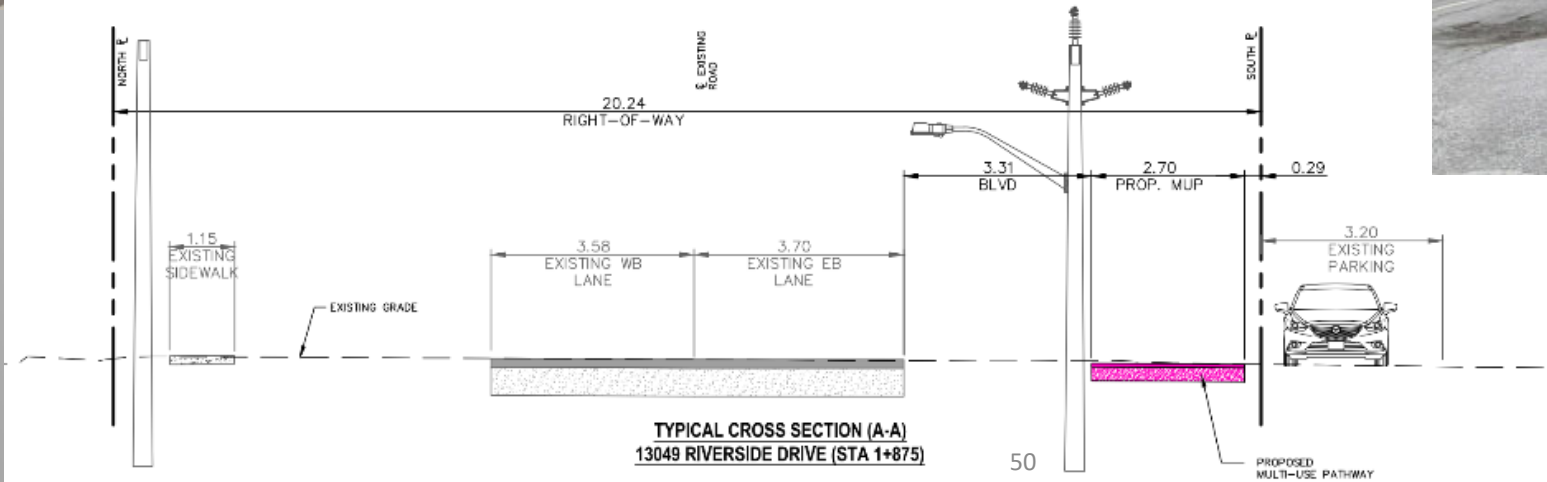
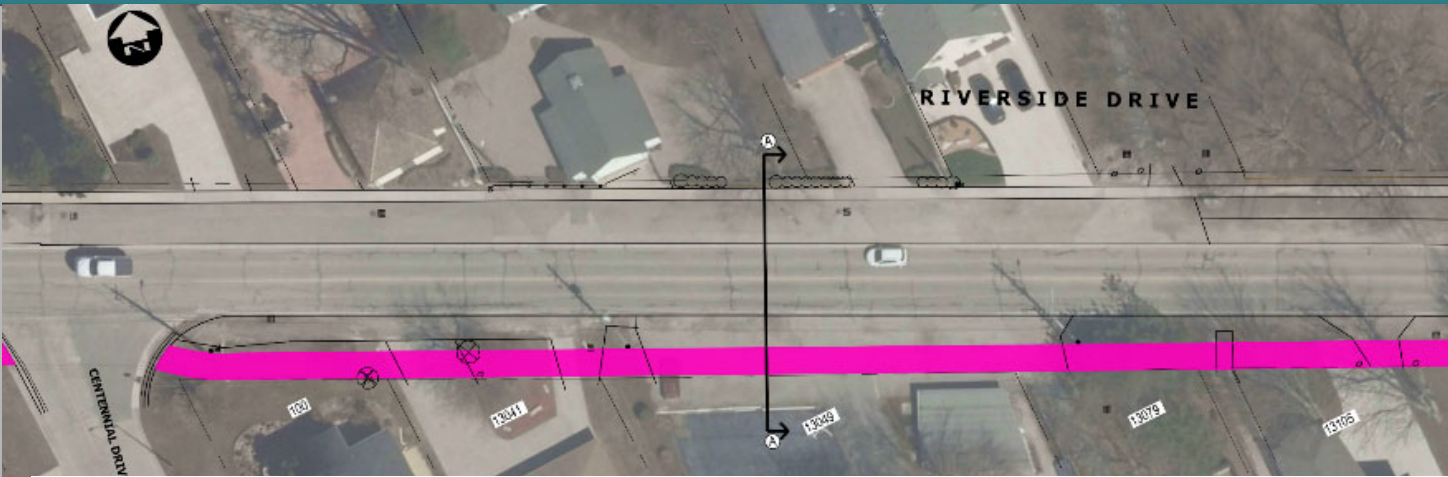
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Special Consideration – Commercial Parking

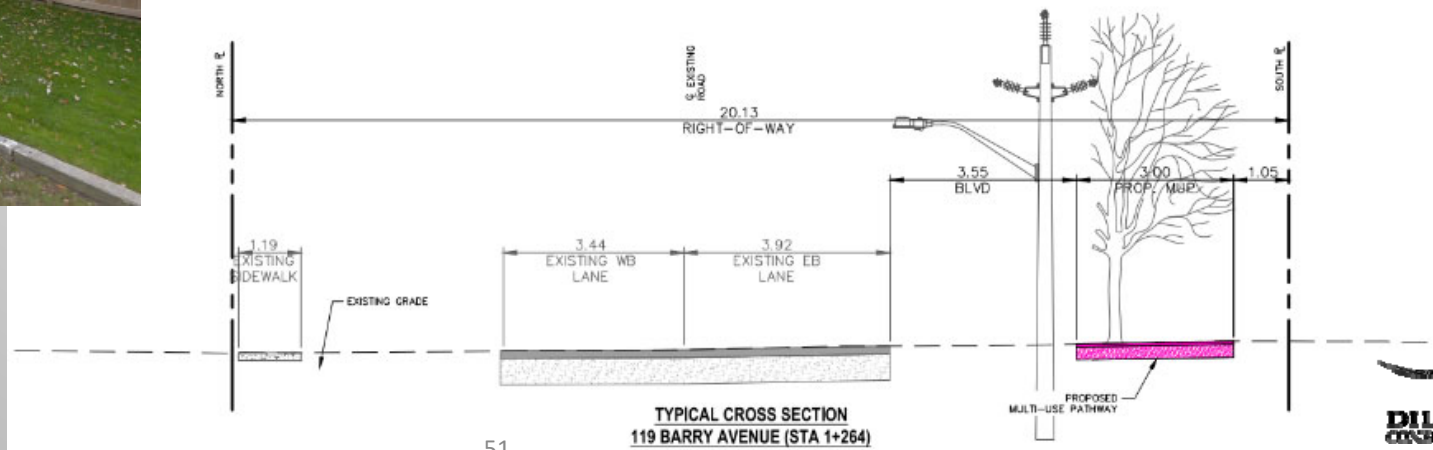


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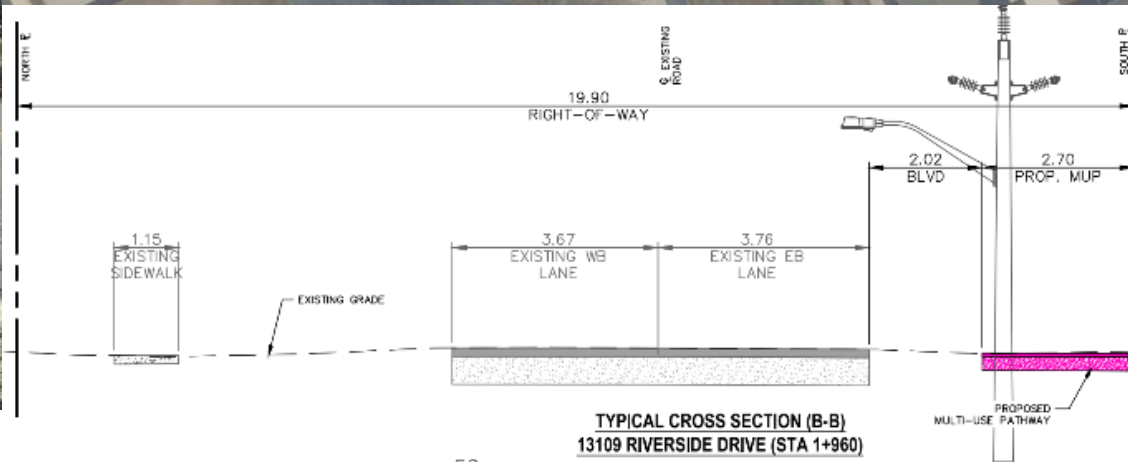
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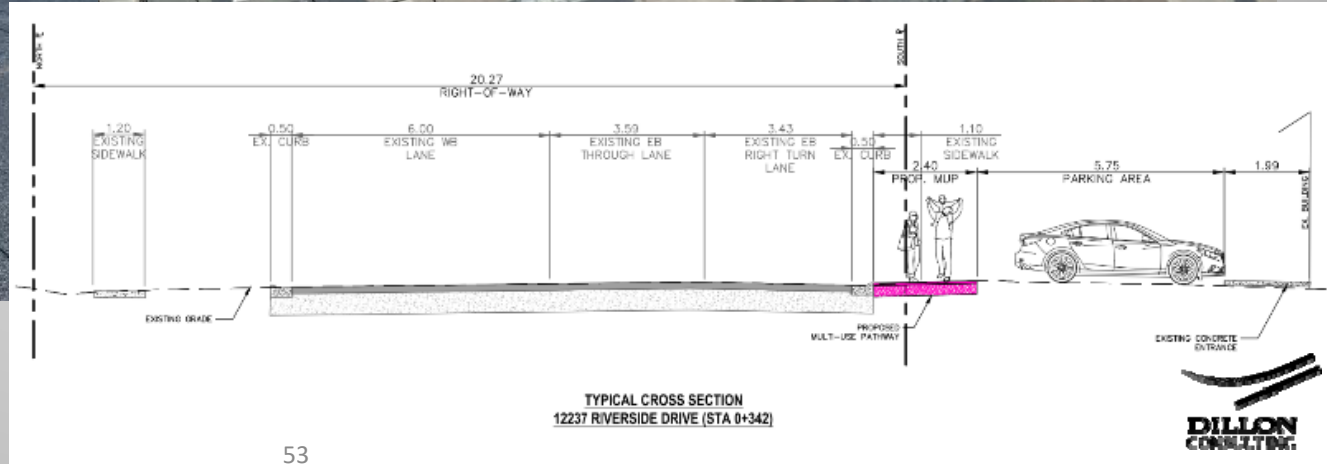
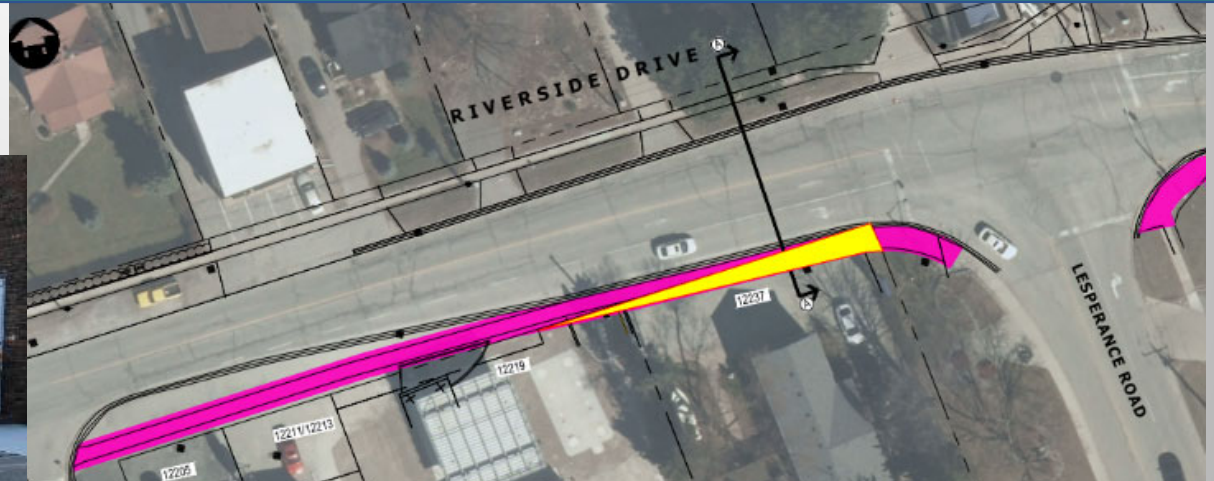
Special Consideration – Trees



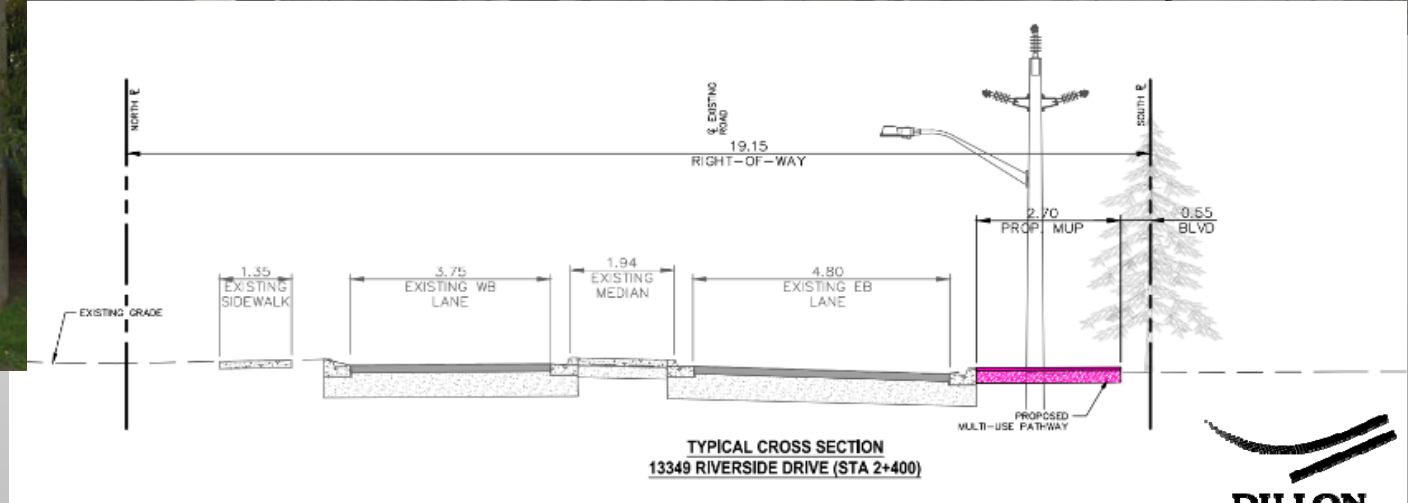
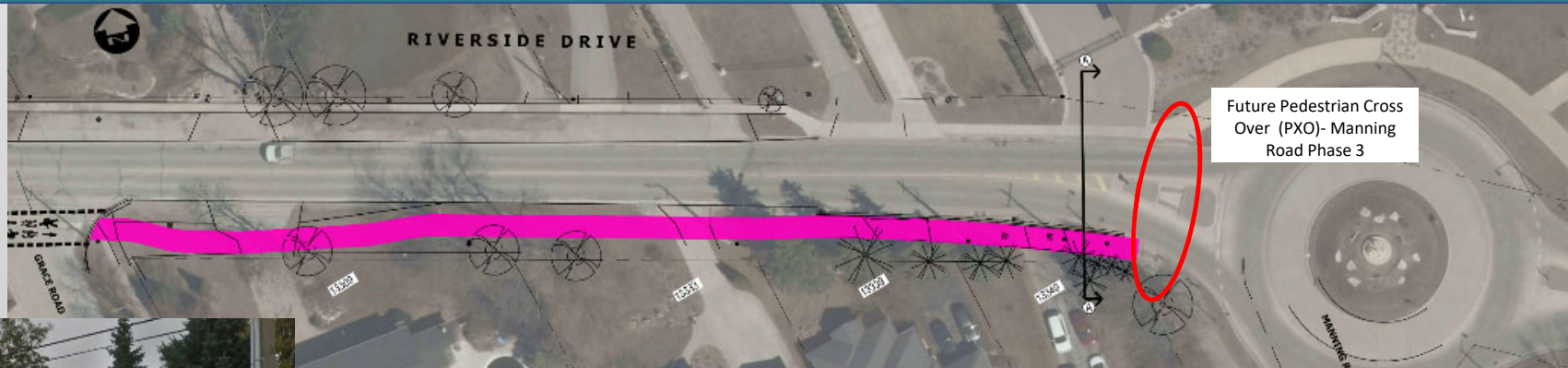
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Special Consideration – Various



Public Concerns

Safety

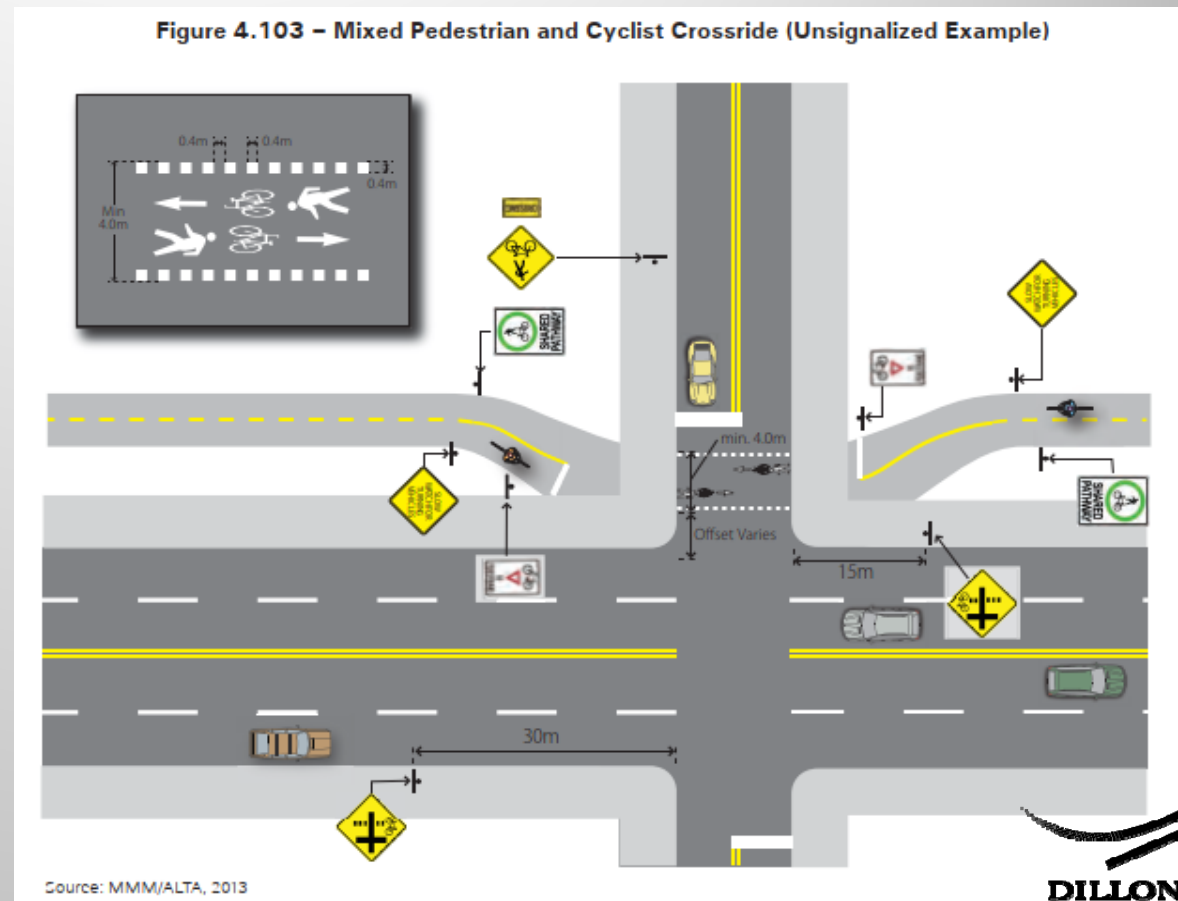
- Sightlines:
 - Road geometry allows for adequate sightlines
 - Large horizontal curve radius >320m
 - No perceptible vertical curves
 - May require relocation/removal of landscaping within right of way.
- Obstructions:
 - Separation of 0.3 to 0.5m to be provided between proposed trail and vertical obstructions (utility poles, fences, trees, etc.) per the Transportation Association of Canada Geometric (TAC) Geometric Design Guidelines for Canadian Roads (2017).
 - Landscaping features within the right of way may be removed or relocated to alleviate conflict with proposed trail.



Public Concerns

Safety

- Road Crossings:
 - Crossrides to be installed at road crossings including pavement markings and signage.
 - Cyclists and Pedestrians have right-of-way at stop controlled intersections.
 - Cyclist permitted to ride through crossride (no dismount and walk)
- “Research shows that the most effective measure for improving overall cyclist safety within a road network is increasing the number of cyclists using the system.” – *OTM Book 18 2013*



Public Concerns

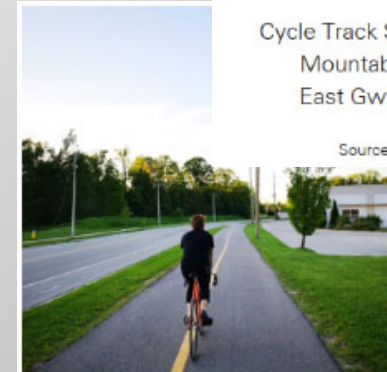
Heavy Traffic & High Speed

- The volume of vehicles (AADT of 8,000 to 12,000) along the route further show the need for a physically separated facility to improve the safety and accessibility for users of all ages and abilities per the Draft OTM Book 18 (2020).
- Traffic Speed classified as moderate per OTM Book 18 (2013) (50-69km/h)
 - Speed radar statistics (2017-2020)
 - Average speed: 48 to 55km/h
 - 85th percentile speed: 57 to 62km/h
- Proximity to Roadway:
 - Buffer between the roadway and proposed trail will be within the “Desired Width” of 1.5 to 2.5m per draft OTM Book 18 (2020).
 - A small portion (~130m) of the path is proposed to be adjacent to the curb (Lesperance Intersection and Manning Road).



Cycle Track Separated by Mountable Curb, East Gwillimbury

Source: WSP



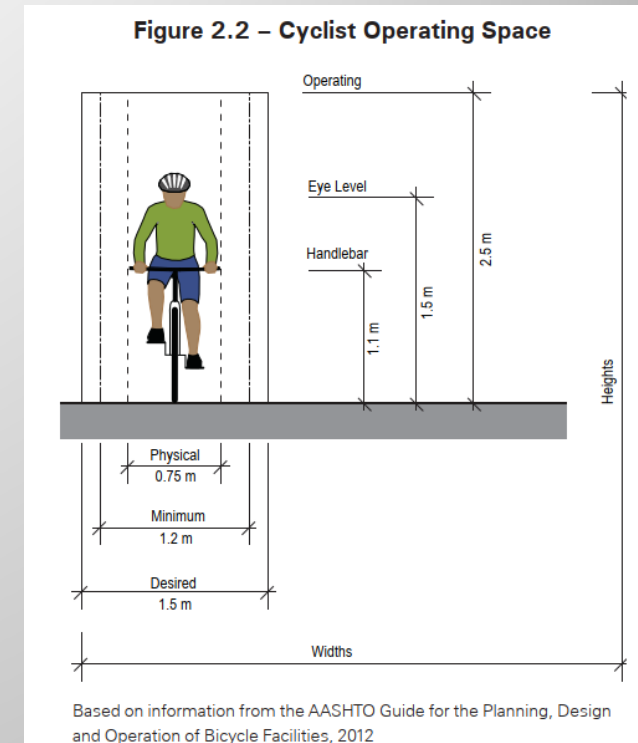
Multi-Use Path Separated by Grassy Boulevard, Waterloo

Source: Alta

Public Concerns

Location and Design

- Multi-use path width:
 - Minimum recommended:
 - TAC- Bicycle Integrated Design (2017) – 3.0m
 - Practical Lower Limit – 2.7m
 - 1.2m (cyclist) and 1.5m (two pedestrians walking abreast)
 - OTM Book 18 – Cycling Facilities (2013) – 3.0m
 - May be reduced to 2.4m over very short distances to avoid utility poles or other infrastructure.
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 - May be reduced to 2.4m over very short distances to avoid utility poles or other infrastructure.
- Existing multi-use trail east of Manning Road (2.4 – 2.8m)
 - No incidents between cyclists/pedestrians and vehicles have been noted.
- A multi-use trail width of 2.7m (practical lower limit) has been proposed. Opportunities to increase the width to 3.0m exist and can be considered during detailed design.



Public Concerns

Accessibility Concerns

- Operating Space:
 - The proposed multi-use trail provides additional operating space when compared with a traditional sidewalk (2.7-3.0m vs 1.2-1.5m).
 - 2.7m trail width provides:
 - 1.5m width (typical sidewalk width)
 - 1.2m for an oncoming cyclist (1.2m) or pedestrian (0.75m)
 - Potential to increase to 3.0m through detailed design
- Sightlines:
 - The existing topography (flat) and road alignment (large radius) **do not pose significant sightline concerns**
 - Existing landscaping within the Town's right of way may need to be removed/relocated to address any in-boulevard sightline issues
 - Tactile surface indicators to be provided at all roadway crossings.
- Conflict with vehicles entering/exiting driveways:
 - Adequate sightlines from the road and trail will be maintained
 - Vehicle operators are responsible for ensuring the way is clear prior to entering/exiting the roadway. This is the same responsibility regardless of the adjacent facility (sidewalk, bike lane, cycle track, etc.)



Public Concerns

Added Pollutants to Lake St. Clair & Area Watersheds

- Increased Hardscape and Stormwater Runoff:
 - Trail installation would result in a **negligible** net hard surface area increase in context of the overall stormwater drainage boundaries.
 - Construction of the multi-use trail would include the removal of existing hard surfaces within the right of way (paved shoulder, paved parking areas, etc.) and restoration with permeable surface material (grass, granular).
- Increased Salt and Chemicals:
 - The proposed trail would require snow clearing efforts however, application of de-icing materials would be limited (similar to existing sidewalks). The impacts of the limited de-icing procedures could be considered **negligible** in comparison to the existing de-icing efforts of the roadway.



Public Concerns

Impact on Trees and Environment

- The alignment of a multi-use trail has **flexibility to be adjusted to avoid trees** where possible during detailed design.
- Existing trees have undergone significant trimming due to proximity to overhead power and telecommunications infrastructure.
- The Town has allocated approximately \$30,000 annually to plant new trees within the Town boundary.
- Construction of multi-use trails are considered to have **minimal adverse environmental impacts** (Schedule A/A+) and are pre-approved under the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment.



Public Concerns

Flooding Issues

- The Essex Region Conservation Authority (ERCA) Policies, Guidelines and Procedures note:
 - Open type public or private recreation areas may be permitted within the floodway of a watercourse.
- Sidewalks currently exist along the north and portions of the south side of Riverside Drive.
- The addition of hard surface will produce a **negligible increase in stormwater runoff** in the context of the stormwater drainage areas.
- **No impacts to localized or lake flooding are anticipated.**
- Existing hard surfaces (paved shoulders, parking areas, etc.) within the project area (south side) will be removed and replaced with permeable materials (grass/granular) to improve infiltration.



Public Concerns

Summary

The proposed multi use trail provides a safe and accessible active transportation facility with minimal impact to the environment.



Budget Update (2021)

	Trail Construction	
A.	Previous Estimated Total Project Cost (2017)	\$842,458
B.	Updated Estimated Total Project Cost (2021)*	\$1,239,300

*includes engineering, contract administration, excess soil testing, construction (2.7m wide trail), and contingency

Conclusions

The Proposed Multi-Use trail:

1. Fills the “**Gap**” providing **continuity** between the existing facilities to the east (Lakewood Park) and west (Ganatchio Trail).
2. Serves the **Target Population** and promotes **Equity and Inclusiveness** within the Towns active transportation network (All Ages and Abilities).
3. **Provides Separation** from motorists increasing safety and security for users.

Conclusions

4. Improves **Pedestrian Connectivity** along the south side of Riverside Drive.
5. While there are road crossings, the **trail is highly visible** and appropriate crossing treatments will be implemented.
6. More room to **handle drainage on south side**.
7. Doesn't require **relocating fire hydrants**.
8. We recommend constructing the trail a bit wider – **2.4 to 2.7m (9 ft.)**.

Conclusions

9. Crosses **fewer driveways than north and alt. route**
10. Fewer **catch basins** to relocate or adjust.
11. Allows residents on south side to move along the road to get to a **safe crossing point**.
12. Doesn't require major **road reconstruction**.
13. Doesn't require **removal of existing sidewalk** infrastructure on north side.

Conclusions

Results of Additional Study

14. There are good **comparative examples** of local trails designed in the same manner as this.
15. Alternate **routes** are longer and don't resolve issues.
16. Alternative **facility types** do not serve the intended purpose.
17. There are no situations along the route where the trail could not be accommodated.
18. The proposal is a **good match** to existing trails to the east and west.

Current Recommendation

Based on our further review and analysis including the results of public consultation, and the comparative costs and key issues, **we recommend proceeding** with the detailed design and construction of a **2.4-2.7m** wide asphalt, off-road multi-use trail along the south side of Riverside Drive between Windsor and Manning Road.

A **Safe** active transportation facility which is **Accessible**
for persons of **All Ages and Abilities**

Questions?

