

Community Preservation Committee Grant Application

Applicant Information

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Town Committee or Board (if applicable)

Town of Nahant

Application Purpose

- Recreation

Project Information

Project Name

Heritage Trail at Goddard Drive

Project Description

This project will help to identify the heritage trail where it enters onto Goddard Drive. Fencing, signage and surfacing will be placed to continue the trail where it enters near the Community Garden. The Town would like to mark this trail prior to the sale of the surround properties as part of the Coast Guard Housing project.

Grant Amount Requested

\$20,000

Contribution to the Preservation of Nahant's Unique Character

Preserving one of Nahant's walking trails is very important. Clearly marking out the trail with signage, fencing and surfacing in this area will only make it much easier for the public to navigate. This project will help to preserve what is already there plus give the trail much needed updates.

Also, The Town is currently in the process of demolishing the Coast Guard Housing units in this area to prepare the land for sale. As a way of preventing encroachment and preserving the Heritage Trail, the Town would like to mark the trail with fencing, surfacing, and signage before the abutting properties are sold. This will likely occur in the summer of 2024.

Planning Context

IS part of a Program Plan

If so, when was the plan prepared?

2022

Who has approved the plan?

Open Space and Recreation Plan Committee

Evaluation Criteria

This project will preserve the Heritage Trail in the area of Goddard drive and protect it from potential encroachments.

The Heritage Trail is an important aspect of Nahant’s unique character and should continue to be enhanced.

Estimated Cost and Schedule

Attach cost estimates for construction projects and state how costs were derived.

Is your project expected to continue over more than one year?

No

Coordination

Yes, Annual Town Meeting that approved the future plan of selling the Coast Guard Housing property included language of retaining this land for the purpose of the Heritage Trail. Also, the Open Space and Recreation Plan identified the importance of preserving, enhancing and potentially expanding the Heritage Trail.

Previous Town Meeting Action

Yes, Annual Town Meeting that approved the future plan of selling the Coast Guard Housing property included language of retaining this land for the purpose of the Heritage Trail. Also, the Open Space and Recreation Plan identified the importance of preserving, enhancing and potentially expanding the Heritage Trail.

Project Priority

This project will be number 3 out of our applications

Time Sensitivity

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Contingency Planning

Utilize general fund appropriations to install temporary markings until full funding for this project can be appropriated at a future Town Meeting.

Order

| Product | Qty | Unit Price | Price |
|------------------------------|-----|--------------|--------------------|
| Total of CPC Funds Requested | 1 | \$20,000.00 | \$20,000.00 |
| | | Total | \$20,000.00 |