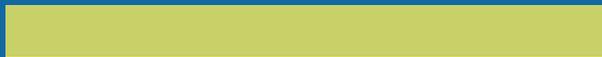


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Local Project Updates

City of Cambridge project updates



South Mass Ave Corridor Safety

- Report waiting on “first look” at corridor crash data
- Grand Junction MUP is doing VISSIM analysis for lynchpin Vassar and Albany intersections
 - Analysis in progress, includes modeling bus-only lane and bus-only lane with GJ MUP crossing



CharlieCard Distribution Initiative

- City to expand distribution to:
 - City Hall – Clerk’s counter
 - 344 Broadway – Parking Services counter
 - 147 Hampshire – Public Works reception
 - 119 Windsor Street / Windsor Street Health Center – Reception areas
- Additional locations coming



River Street Reconstruction

- Ninth working group meeting – **March 24**
 - River Street corridor cross-section design
 - Traffic circulation
- TAC representative: Saul Tannenbaum
- Website: www.cambridgema.gov/riverstreet



Grand Junction Multi-use Path Design Project

- TAC representative: Rob Ricchi
- Tentative: April 2020 meeting



Regional/MBTA Updates

Updates for MBTA and regional projects



MBTA Network Redesign

- MBTA has enacted a new policy/principle. In the network redesign, they will increase service only when municipal partnerships result in:
 - Effective transit priority – bus lanes, transit signal priority, queue jumps
 - Bus stop, shelters, and amenities
 - Accessible paths of travel for people with disabilities, multimodal connections



MBTA Fare Transformation

- Work in 2020:
 - Community partnerships for CharlieCards
 - Fare policy pilots
 - Gated North, South, Back Bay stations
 - Faregates at Rapid Transit improved
- Work in 2021:
 - FVMs dispense cards; cash/Ticket surcharge removed; pilot readers



MBTA Infrastructure Projects

- MBTA Green Line Extension
 - Public meeting and open house
 - March 10 at 6:00 PM
 - Multi-cultural Arts Center (12 Second Street)
- Topics:
 - Bus diversion
 - Construction impacts: Lechmere station, Viaduct
 - Future conditions at Lechmere station

MBTA Realtime Signage

- Live as of 2/18/2020
- Cambridge locations
 - Dawes Island
 - Eliot Street





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