

## 2013 RECREATIONAL TRAIL GRANT AWARDS

Community/Grantee	Grant Amount	Project
Appalachian Mountain Club- Mount Tom Trail	\$100,000	Install a bridge over Wood River in Exeter to allow hikers to avoid using Route 165 to cross. Project consists of site preparation and installation of a prefabricated bridge.  Contact: Henry Cruciani, 884-0892
Audubon Society of RI	\$26,000	Make trail improvements at Claire McIntosh Refuge in Bristol  Contact: Scott Ruhren, 949-5454 ext. 3004
Barrington- Veterans Park	\$100,000	Create a new trail in the western portion of the Park to complete a 2.25 mile trail around Brickyard Pond. This project will restore degraded trails and establish a clearly-marked, stable trail surface around the pond and leading to two scenic overlooks.  Contact: Peter DeAngelis, 247-1900 ext. 308
Blackstone Park Conservancy	\$67,320	Repair damage caused by erosion on heavily used trails  Contact: Jane Peterson, 270-3014
Blackstone River Watershed Council	\$20,000	Purchase a work utility vehicle, similar to those used at State Parks, that will be shared by nonprofit organizations to maintain trails in the Blackstone River Watershed  Contact: Frank Geary, 333-2123
Borders Farm Preservation, Inc.- Perimeter Trail	\$60,000	Develop a trail along the perimeter of the farm property that includes a trailhead area with parking and an informational kiosk  Contact: W. Michael Sullivan, PhD, 749-3276
Burrillville- Granite Mill Park	\$75,000	Develop a trail head at the northern end of a trail system that connects the villages of Pascoag and Harrisville in Burrillville  Contact: Tom Kravitz, 568-4300 ext. 130
Coventry	\$20,000	Purchase trail maintenance equipment used to maintain areas along the Coventry Greenway  Contact: Guy Lefebvre, 822-9107
Cumberland	\$60,000	Construct trail improvements at the Monastery property  Contact: Christopher Carcifero, 728-2400 ext. 146

Glocester Land Trust	\$20,000	Construct trail improvements on a newly acquired property  Contact: Bruce Payton, 568-3428
Hopkinton Land Trust- Tomaquag Trail	\$95,000	Install a bridge over Tomaquag Brook to complete the southern section of Tomaquag Trail, connecting 2-3 miles of trails in Hopkinton to 5 miles of trails in Grills Preserve in Westerly  Contact: Marilyn Grant, 539-7974
Jamestown- Hull Cove Beach Access	\$80,0000	Create an environmentally sensitive and handicap-accessible wooden boardwalk over a wetland area and along the existing public right of way to Hull Cove  Contact: Lisa Breyer, 423-7210
Johnston Historical Society	\$4,500	Purchase a brush mower that will be used and maintained by the Neutaconkanut Hill Conservancy and Pawtuxet River Authority to maintain trails in Providence, Johnston, Cranston, Warwick, West Warwick and Coventry Contact: Eli Panichas, 383-4711
Newport- Cliff Walk	\$100,000	Enhance public safety and pedestrian access to Cliff Walk from the eastern end of Narragansett Avenue and install amenities such as signage, bike racks and a water fountain  Contact: Scott Wheeler, 846-9600
Norman Bird Sanctuary	\$10,000	Create trail improvements to facilitate ADA access  Contact: Joseph McLaughlin, 846-2577 ext. 12
Norman Bird Sanctuary	\$27,000	Create an ADA-accessible restroom at the Third Beach Education Center trailhead in Middletown. The project will use an existing 10' X 10' structure to house a composting toilet and sanitizer station.  Contact: Joseph McLaughlin, 846-2577 ext. 12
North Kingstown- Cocumcussoc Trail	\$70,000	Establish a trailhead and improve 3.5 miles of trails on the state-owned and undeveloped 400-acre property adjacent to Post Road  Contact: Jon Reiner, 268-1570 ext. 310
North Providence- Meehan Notte Trail	\$100,000	Construct a trail on recently-acquired open space to connect recreational facilities at Governor Notte Park with woodland trails and a beach on the Camp Meehan property. This project also creates a pedestrian linkage between conservation lands in North Providence and Lincoln.  Contact: Melanie Lanni, 232-0900 ext. 226
North Smithfield	\$15,840	Create the Slatersville Heritage Trail  Contact: Paulette Hamilton, 767-2200 ext. 303

Pawtucket	\$12,000	Purchase trail maintenance equipment including a chipper and leaf blower to maintain areas along the Blackstone Bikeway  Contact: Susan Mara, 724-5200
Pawtuxet River Authority- Randall Pond Access	\$92,000	Provide Access to Randall Pond in Cranston by constructing a wooden, elevated walkway from Libera Street to a new fishing access and canoe launching deck at the edge of the Pond  Contact: Scott Goodinson, 615-7039
Smithfield	\$12,400	Purchase a walk-behind tractor with a quick-change implement system to maintain trails at Town-owned conservation areas  Contact: Michael Phillips, 233-1017
The Nature Conservancy	\$8,340	Create a trail to provide access to the shoreline at the newly acquired Whale Rock Preserve in Narragansett  Contact: Cheryl Wiitala, 331-7110 ext. 25
Tiverton Open Space Commission	\$100,000	Acquire of a parcel of land to provide access to the northern portion of the Pocasset Highlands  Contact: Brian Janes, 413-0181
Warren- East Bay Bike Path Hub	\$62,500	Create a rest area and inter-modal hub at intersection of the East Bay Bike path, and a future path extension, and the RIPTA park and Ride lot  Contact: Caroline Wells, 245-2469
Warwick- East Natick Riverwalk	\$20,000	Construct a boardwalk and canoe/kayak launch to provide access to the Pawtuxet River between Natick Dam and Pontiac Mills Dams  Contact: Kevin Sullivan, 738-2000 ext 6376
Warwick- Barton Farm	\$63,825	Establish public access to property purchased by the City for open space by creating a trail head, pedestrian path and signage  Contact: Margaret Ryan, 738-2000 ext. 6291
Westerly Land Trust- Aguntaug Swamp	\$85,000	Extend the Westerly Land Trust's trail system by providing ADA access to 1,000 feet of new trail and 700 feet of elevated walkway into Aguntaug Bog in Westerly  Contact: Harvey Perry, 348-1269