

Draft 2018 Conservation Committee Project Priorities

	Project Name	Description	Potential FY 2018 funding	Status	Scheduled completion	Priority: High-2018 Medium 2019-2020 Long term 2020+
1	Pollack Brook bridge and adjacent trail (Greenbelt Plan #13)	There is an existing trail with a failed bridge (51' long) across the brook, and an existing trail adjacent to an undocumented cemetery. This project would establish/re-establish a connection from the Spurwink Marsh, across from the Scarborough access to the Riverside Cemetery, potentially to the existing road system.	Grant cash match 10,800, plus 12,000 for additional engineering , plus \$2,000 footings Est total \$23,000	Grant contract signed. Contract with STI signed. Prehistoric survey complete. Need to perform soil test for bridge footings, RFP for bridge and installation, clear trail to river, Obtain state permits	Summer 2018	High
2	Spurwink Trail erosion control mix	add erosion control mix to wet area	\$500	proposed	2018	High
3	Spurwink pedestrian bridge and boardwalk	Redeck	\$35,000 (separate CIP funding)	Need to issue RFP for work	Spring 2018	High
4	Dyer Woods to Oakhurst Trail (Greenbelt Plan #1)	Obtain public access rights for Potential trail #1 connecting Dyer Woods to Oakhurst Rd/Loveitt Woods.	?	Map prepared; letters send 2016 to property owners, some contact	Revisit in spring, 2018	Medium

5	Sawyer Marsh/Trout Brook trail (Greenbelt Plan #2)	Obtain public access rights and construct, in partnership with the City of South Portland, Potential trail #2	?	South Portland contacted, no action	Scout out 2018	Long term
6	Gull Crest Outer Loop Maintenance	Review trail surface and structures on Gull Crest trails and improve as needed	\$2,000		Evaluate trails and prepare scope, spring 2018	Medium
7	Cross Hill/Winnick Woods blue trail boardwalk	Sections of the blue trail needs bridging over a muddy section	\$1,000	A portion has been completed by eagle scout. The remaining half will be completed by second eagle scout	Winter, 2017-2018	High
8	Winnick Woods trail realignment	relocate worn trails	0	Under review by CC, map provided	No date	Medium
9	Scott Dyer Rd trail ruts	Repair 1' deep ruts from ATV; also mow trail from Scott Dyer Rd next to back of lots	?	Project has been scoped out	?	Medium
10	Fowler Rd connector	Repair as needed	?	Need to assess work needed	2018	Medium
11	Broad Cove casual connector trails at end of Heritage Court	Investigate opportunity to create public access rights over existing casual trails	?	No action		Long term
12	Greenbelt #5 trail Loveitt Woods to Shore Rd	Investigate opportunity to create public access rights over existing casual trails	?	Staff has had past, informal conversations with property owner		Medium

13	Canterbury trails connections	Investigate other opportunities to connect trails to Mitchell Rd and Route 77	?	Informal conversations with Canterbury, CELT, other abutters, stalled effort with Bothels		Long term
14	#10 Greenbelt trail connection to Town Center	Create public access rights over existing casual trail connecting Robinson Woods to Town Center	?	CELT has requested easement and request denied. Access allowed now without easement		High

On Hold

a	Loveitt Woods access	Obtain public access rights to Loveitt Woods, with a focus on the existing access off Glenden Rd or Rock Wall Ln/Oakhurst Rd, and from Shore Rd (Potential trail #5).	Not at this time, Trail maintenance to begin 2018	Willens lot purchased. Need short (10' est. easement to High Bluff Rd from Van Dessel or Blake)	Partially complete/ remainder on hold	
b	Alewives Brook to the Sea Trail (Greenbelt Plan #18)	Obtain public access rights for Potential trail #18 along Alewives Brook and install trail.	No	Land Owner not interested	Indefinitely on hold	

c	Encroachment aerial assessment	Using new aerial photos, review all town open space boundary lines for possible encroachments by abutters, notify abutters that encroachments should be avoided	\$0	On hold due to staff time		
d	Enhanced trail buffering	Assess greenbelt trails for locations where additional buffering from adjacent properties may be appropriate	0	On hold due to staff time		