

HICKORY RIVER WALK

City of Hickory, NC



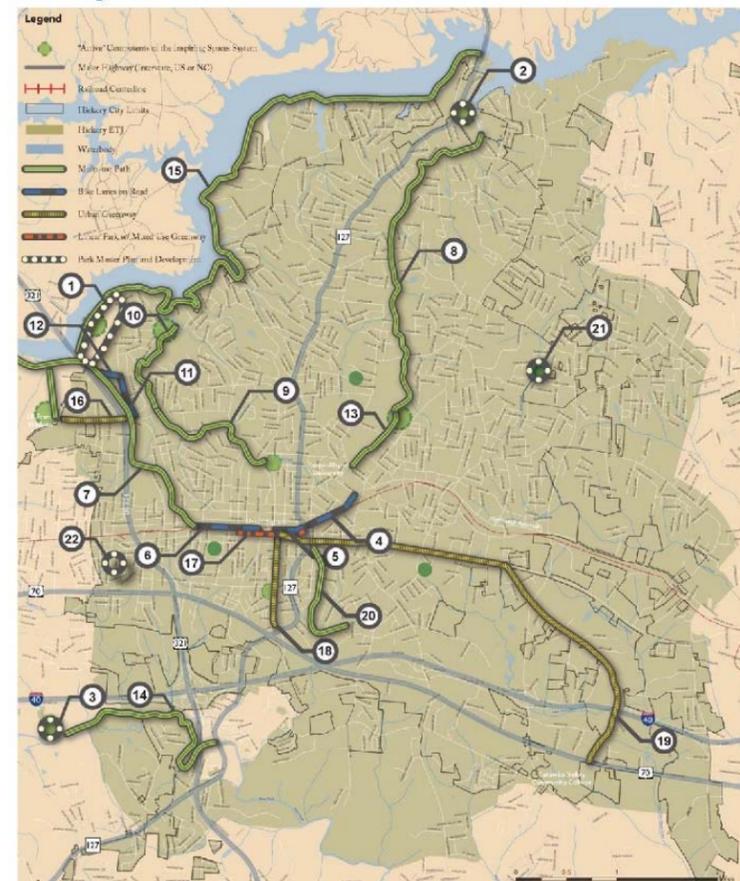
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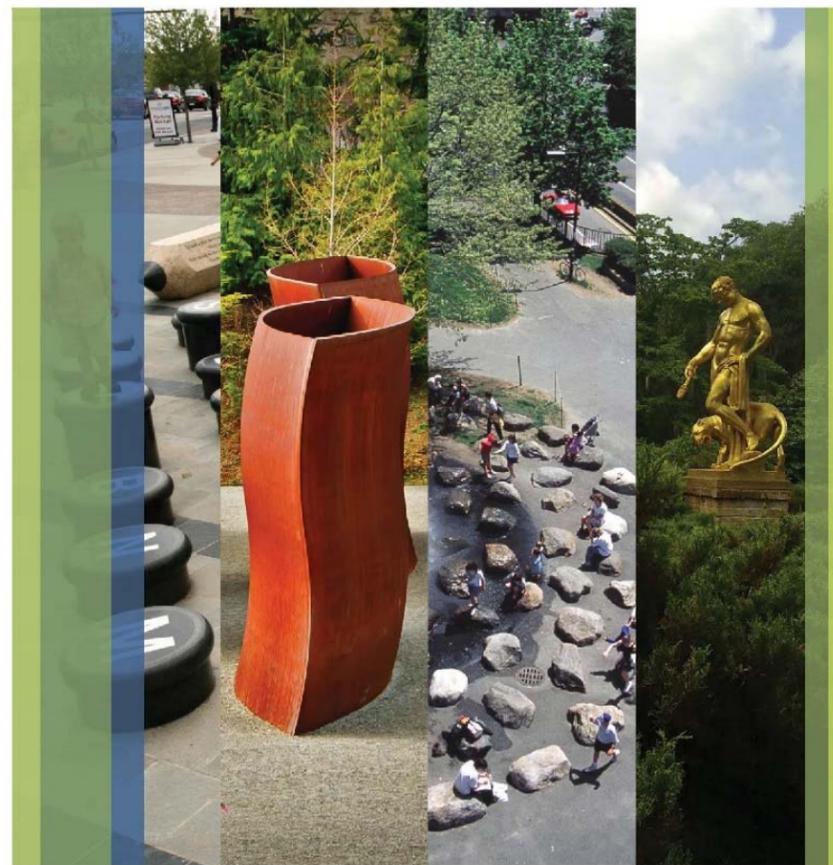
MASTER PLAN

HICKORY IS... LAYER MAPS

Hickory Is Active



NOTE: Projects reflected in this map and in the list on the left indicate potential opportunity only. Numbering system does not reflect priority.

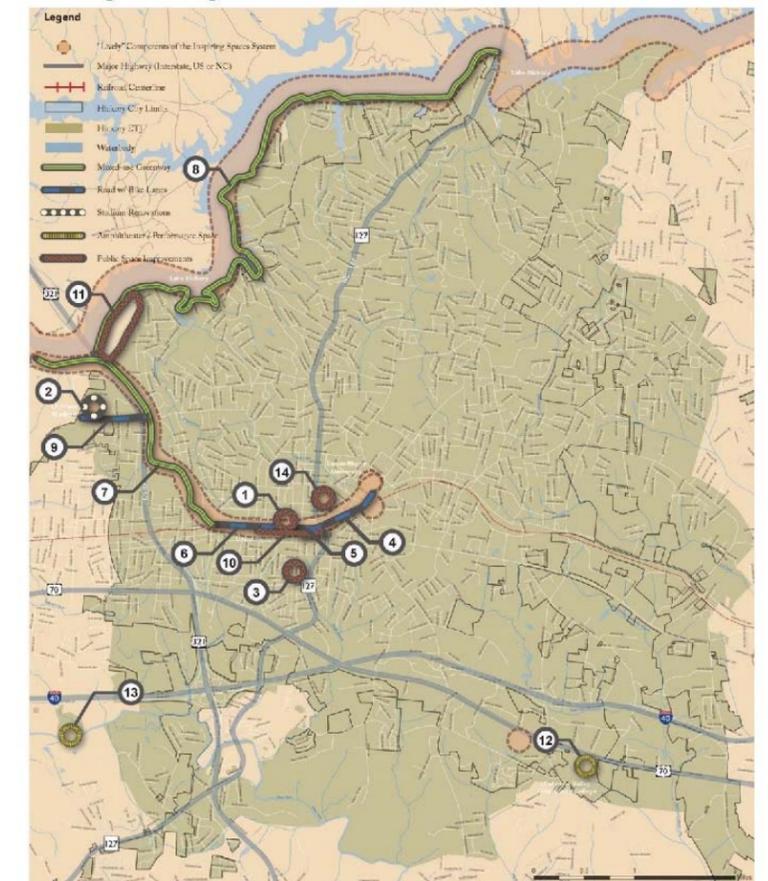


INSPIRING SPACES

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Hickory Is Lively



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EXISTING CONDITIONS

Constraints:

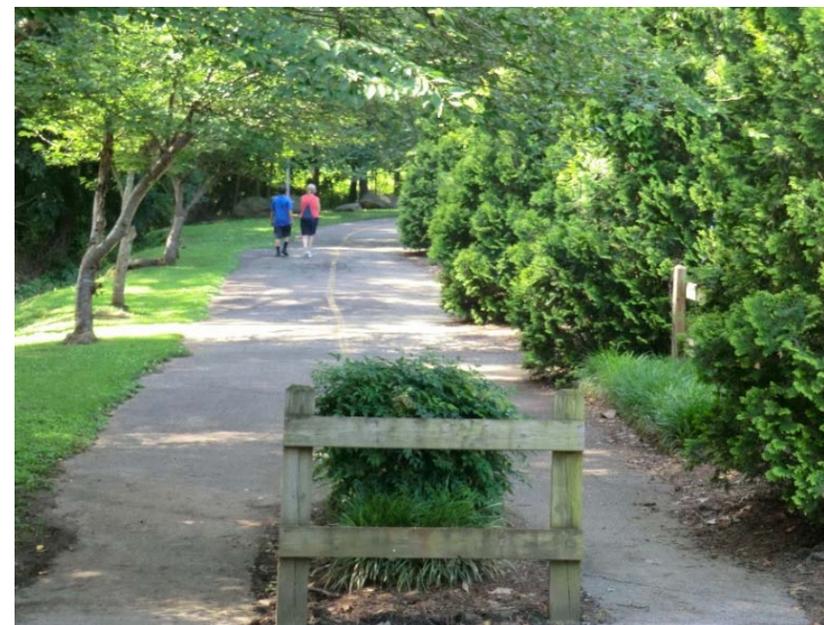
- Steep Terrain
- Heavily Wooded
- Limited Access to Water
- Limited Vehicular Access to Site
- Water Treatment Plant adjacent to route



EXISTING CONDITIONS

Opportunities:

- Scenic Existing Recreational Trail Facilities
- Connectivity to Park Space and Community Activities
- Upgrades to Existing Facilities Planned
- Scenic Waterfront Views



RELEVANT PROJECT EXAMPLES



French Broad River Greenway –
Asheville, NC



Atkinson Canal Trail– Glennwood
Springs, CO



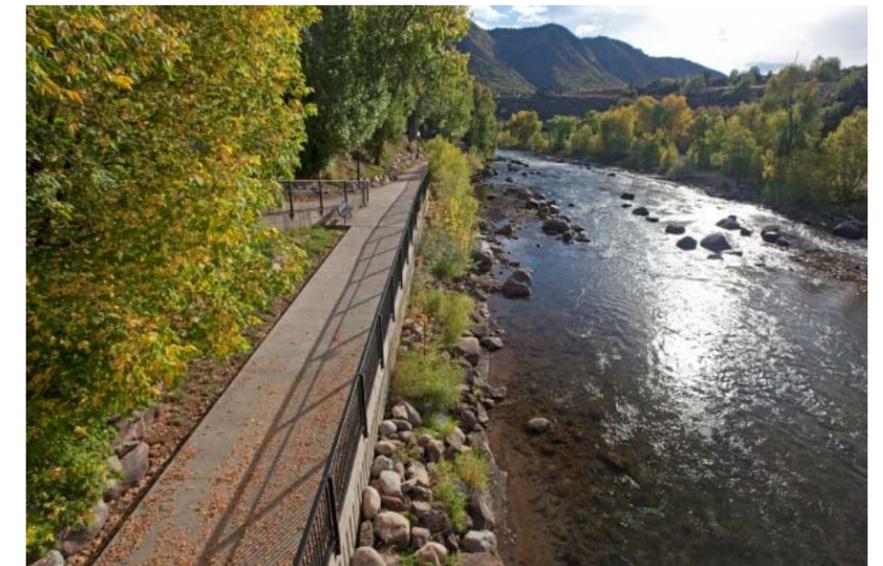
Flat River Trail – Greenville, MI



Lady Bird Lake Trail – Austin, TX



Falls Park on the Reedy – Greenville, SC

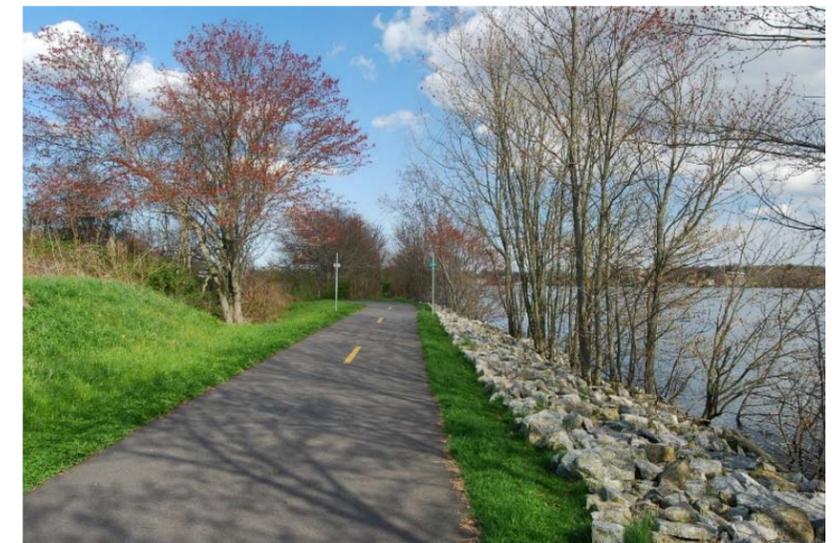


Animas River Greenway – Durango, CO

CONCEPTUAL PLAN

Design Goals:

- Create a comprehensive water front trail system
- Develop an artful system that is expressive and inspiring
- Increase Connectivity to existing points of interest
- Make the southern portion of the River Walk a destination space



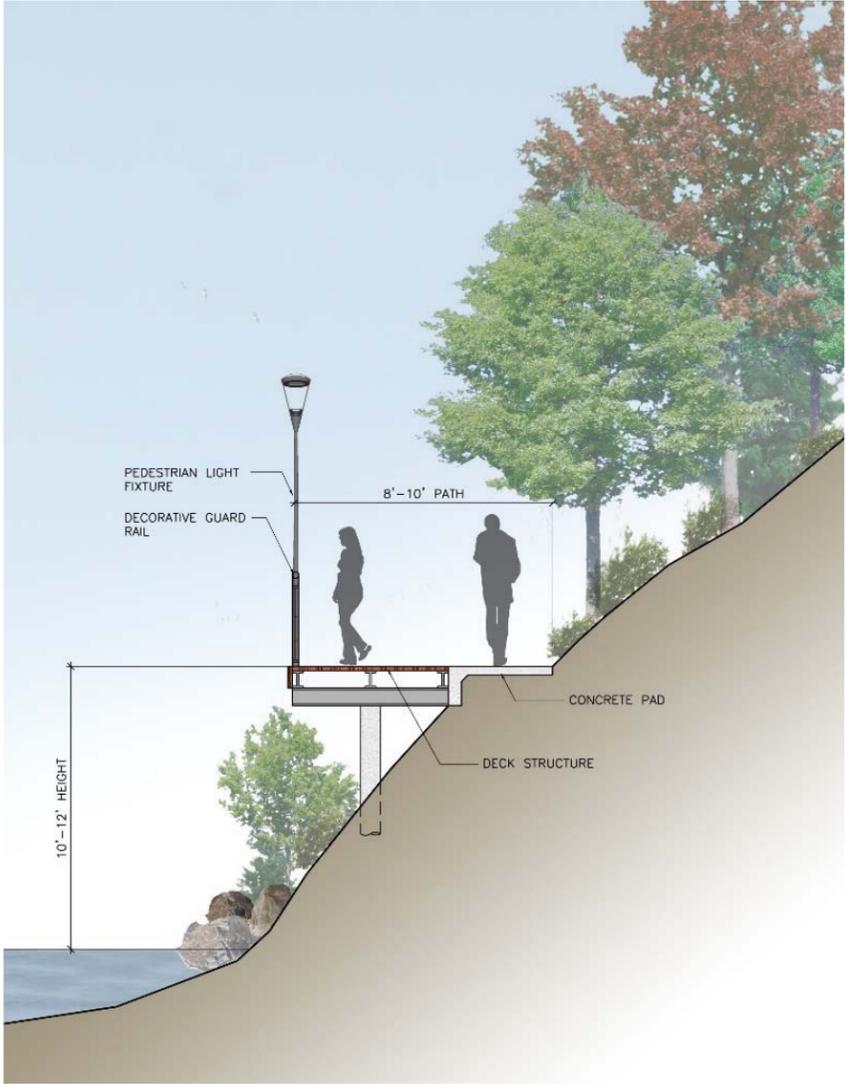
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LEGEND:

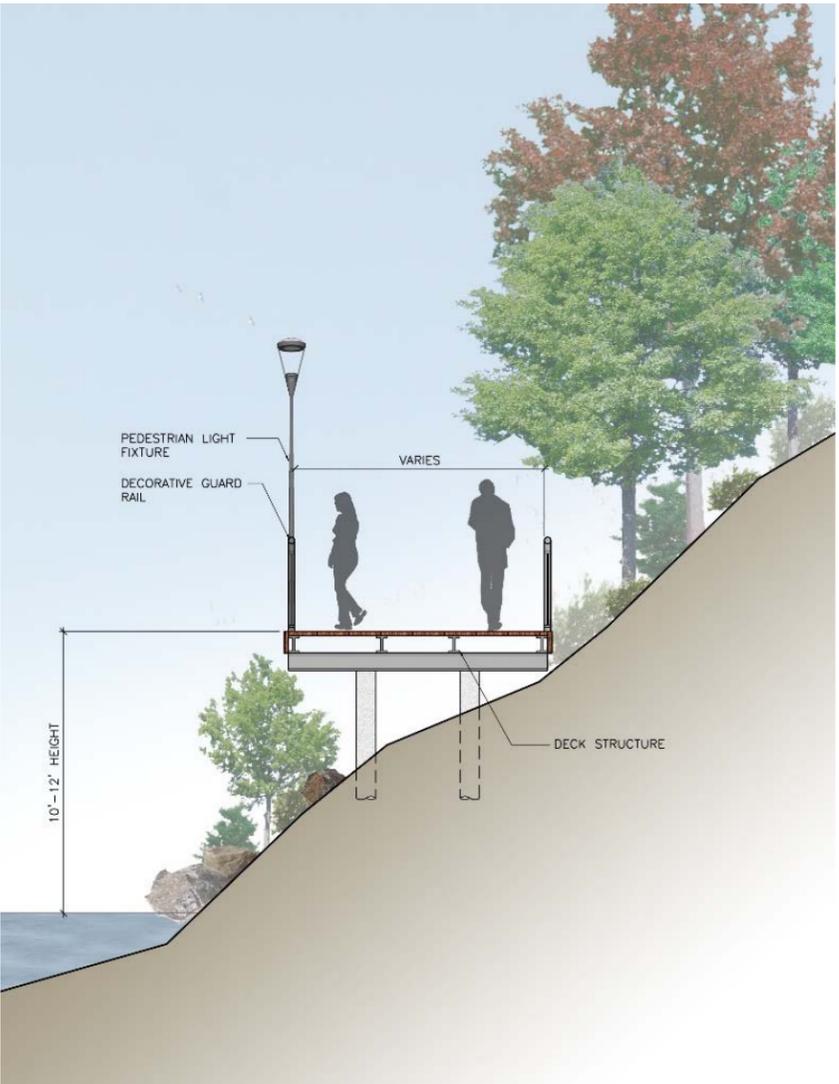
- 1 RECREATION AND FACILITIES AREA
- 2 EXPANDED BOARDWALK
- 3 PARKING / DROP-OFF
- 4 OPTIONAL PARKING / DROP-OFF
- 5 RELOCATED GOVERNMENT USE BOAT RAMP
- 6 BOAT DOCK / KAYAK LAUNCH (8-10 SLIPS)



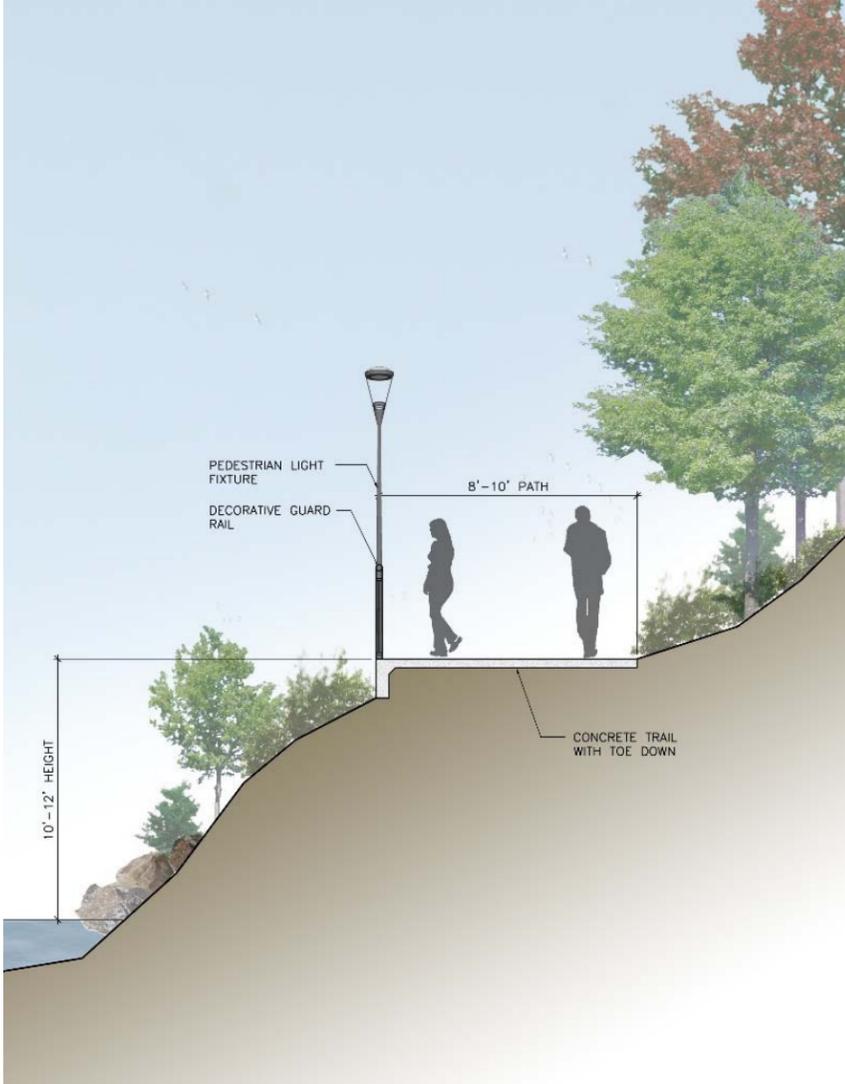
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Combination Section



Deck Section



Concrete Path Section

RIVER WALK DESIGN FEATURES

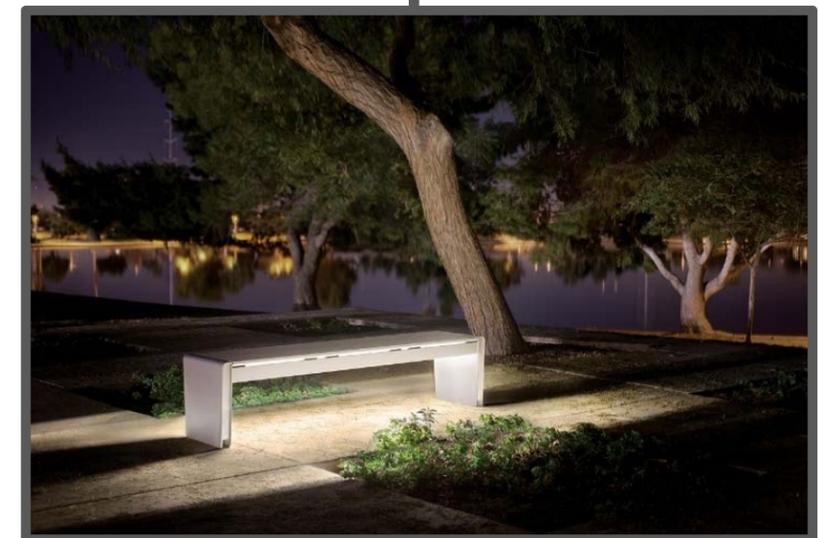
Decorative Decking + Railings



Pedestrian Lighting



Benches



RIVER WALK CHARACTER



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RIVER WALK AREA

To view video of the River Walk Area, please visit:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/CityofHickory/videos>

CLOSING

QUESTIONS