

Brayton Osgood, White River Junction, VT.

I am a resident of White River Junction and I would like pedestrian access (including bike or the ability to walk a bike) across the Wilder Dam. This would greatly enhance recreation opportunities in our area, as it would connect the Wider community (where I live) on the Vermont side to a network of trails known as Boston Lot, in West Lebanon, NH, directly adjacent to the Wilder Dam on the New Hampshire side. I live approximately 1/2 mile from the dam, and my family and I would greatly appreciate being able to access the Boston Lot trails without having to drive to them.

Boston Lot is unique in the Upper Valley, thanks to its overall size and extensive trail network. Being able to access the area without taking a vehicle (and filling up the limited parking spaces available) would be a great boon to my family and our neighbors. Given the existing infrastructure on and around the dam I believe pedestrian access could be easily and safely added to connect the park and recreation areas on the VT and NH sides of the river.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, which is of great importance to our community.

Sincerely,  
Brayton Osgood

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