

PROPOSED SCHUYLKILL RIVER TRAIL RELOCATION

PennDOT is proposing to relocate the Schuylkill River Trail (SRT) to accommodate construction of a new connector road between Lafayette Street and Washington Street in Norristown Municipality. The new connector road, which is expected to be called Barbadoes Street, will require relocation of approximately 500 linear feet of the SRT as shown on the [Concept Plan](#). The relocated SRT will have a maximum 5% slope and provide an at-grade crossing of the Barbadoes Street connector road at the proposed intersection with Washington Street. A five foot sidewalk is proposed on the east side of the connector Road to provide pedestrian access between the SRT and Lafayette Street. Bicyclists will utilize the proposed connector road to access the SRT from Lafayette Street.

An ADA-compliant trail crossing of the connector road will be provided at the intersection with Washington Street. Both the SRT and connector road will be stop-controlled at the proposed intersection. Collapsible bollards will be placed on the SRT near the at-grade trail crossing with the connector road to allow access for emergency responders.

The SRT will be detoured onto a temporary trail during construction to maintain bike/pedestrian traffic during construction.