



Mayor's Initiatives

Diamond Hill Park Updates

Here are the most recent updates regarding Diamond Hill Park:

1. The Town of Cumberland went out to bid for Trailhead/bathrooms and Pond remediation. It is thanks to the Legislative Grants from the RI Department of Environmental Management that we are able to begin work on these projects.
2. The work on the trailhead/bathrooms was awarded to Beta Group at the Town Council meeting on Wednesday, February 5th. The goal with this work with Beta Group is to create an "official" entrance to the trail system at Diamond Hill that can be seen from the entrance to the park and to improve signage and landscaping that connects the entrance to the existing trails and parking lot, resulting in a welcoming environment for Town visitors. This work will include: a new bathroom facility with compostable toilets (water efficient sinks and toilets), landscaping to create entrance to park trails – Cathedral Pines Trailhead, interpretive panels (history and ecology of park), and wayfinding signage.
3. A resolution was passed on Wednesday, February 19th to hire Pare for work related to engineering and securing the necessary permits to repair and clean the Pond, as well as an ongoing maintenance plan.

We're excited to get to work on this project. If you have any questions feel free to reach out – also if you know anyone who would like to be added to an email list for updates please send an email to Sarah at sking@cumberlandri.org. Thank you all for your continued interest in this project.