



GREENWAY PLAN

Greater Riverfront East District of Detroit

Community Open House

Come see the greenways vision for Detroit's Greater Riverfront East!

Saturday, March 5, 10 AM – 12 Noon

**Northeast Guidance Center
2900 Conner Ave (at Charlevoix)
Detroit, MI**

You are cordially invited to an open house to learn about the GREEN Task Force plan for a network of greenways throughout our lower eastside district (the Greater Riverfront East).

Greenways are paths (like the Dequindre Cut) designed for walkers, bicyclists, and others who want to get from here to there without using a car. Greenways can offer places for exercise; they can promote retail and other commercial growth along their routes; and they can forge healthy links between people and neighborhoods in different parts of the city.

In the Fall of 2010, many of you participated in surveys and conversations that helped us better understand how greenways could improve our community. Many of you also attended hands-on workshops that helped us map out where greenways could go throughout the lower eastside.

Now the GREEN Task Force is excited to be able to share with you the results of your input. We hope you will join us to view illustrations of the planned greenway routes and tell us which ones are your favorites. There will also be a short presentation that will give you an overview of the entire greenways planning project.

Outline

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Registration and Mingle
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Presentation
10:45 AM – 11:45 AM	View route illustrations and pick your favorites
11:45 AM – 12:00 Noon	Wrap-Up

Refreshments will be served. Please let us know by Thursday, March 3 if you will be attending. Contact us by phone (313 444-0062) or email (thevillagesofdetroit@gmail.com).

The GREEN (Greater Riverfront East Environmental Network) Task Force is a coalition of non-profit organizations and greenways stakeholders. Members include the Detroit Eastside Community Collaborative, Detroit Greenways Coalition, Detroit RiverFront Conservancy, Gleaners Community Food Bank, Jefferson East Business Association, Mt Elliott Business and Community Association, West Village Association, and various local residents. The GREEN Task Force is facilitated by The Villages Community Development Corporation.

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For more information, please visit www.theVillagesofDetroit.com/greenways.