

FY24 UPWP information for Richmond Selectboard – 1/13/23

Based on guidance from CCRPC planners, the FY24 UPWP application for Cochran Road includes three projects to improve conditions for pedestrians, bicycles, and all traffic. The “Cochran Road Corridor Study” will encompass the length of Cochran Road, from the Bridge Street/Cochran Road intersection to the intersection of Route 2 in Jonesville. The three project components include:

- 1) Corridor Study - Building on the recommendations and alternatives presented in the 2022 Town of Richmond Bike, Walk, and Trails Plan - examine a 2.8-mile section of Cochran Road east of Richmond village and west of Dugway Road and identify specific on-road or off-road improvements and multi-modal strategies that address safety, capacity and connectivity for pedestrians and bicyclists.
- 2) Scoping Study – for the Richmond village area (Bridge Street to the River Shore trail head) and the Jonesville segment (Dugway Road to Route 2) – identify new infrastructure such as sidewalks that can be incorporated into the future network, and drafting conceptual designs for sidewalk and other improvements.
- 3) Traffic calming priorities - Currently, as part of the FY23 UPWP program mid-year adjustment, by summer 2023, CCRPC and a consultant will complete a report with recommended temporary traffic calming measures. The FY24 UPWP project will evaluate those temporary traffic calming measures and recommend permanent traffic calming solutions.