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## **MEMORANDUM**

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TO: Boston Region Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)

FROM: Chen-Yuan Wang, MPO Staff

RE: Routes 127A/127 Subregional Priority Roadway Study in Gloucester and

Rockport

#### 1 INTRODUCTION

The study corridor comprises Route 127A in Gloucester and Rockport, Route 127 from Route 127A in Rockport to Grant Circle on Route 128 in Gloucester, and major roadways in downtown Rockport. It is one of two corridors selected for analysis as part of a larger study funded by the Boston Region MPO: Addressing Safety, Mobility, and Access on Subregional Priority Roadways.<sup>1</sup>

This memorandum summarizes the existing conditions and issues, roadway operations and safety analyses, and proposes improvements for the entire corridor and specific locations. It contains the following sections:

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Existing Conditions and Issues
- 3. Safety and Operations Analyses
- 4. Proposed Improvements
- 5. Summary and Recommendations

This memorandum also includes appendices that contain relevant technical data and methods applied in the study.

# 1.1 Background

During the MPO's outreach process for developing the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) and Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP), Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC) subregional groups and other entities submit comments and identify transportation issues that concern them. Often, these issues are related to bicycle, pedestrian, and freight accommodation, bottlenecks, safety, or lack of safe or convenient access for abutters along

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The study's work program was approved on December 6, 2012. The other selected corridor is Route 3A in Cohasset and Scituate, whose findings are reported in a separate memorandum.

roadway corridors. In addition to affecting mobility and safety, such issues also can influence livability, including economic development and air quality.

To address these kinds of concerns, this study was included in the federal fiscal year (FFY) 2013 UPWP.<sup>2</sup> The purpose of this study was to identify roadway segments in the MPO region that concern subregional groups but that have not been identified in the LRTP regional needs assessment.

This study focusses on issues identified by relevant subregional groups and the recommendations developed to address them. In addition to mobility, safety, and access, the study considers transit feasibility, truck issues, bicycle and pedestrian transportation, preservation, and other topics.

### 1.2 Selection Procedure

The MPO used a comprehensive procedure to select the study location. First, staff identified potential study locations via various means: soliciting suggestions during the outreach process for the FFY 2014 UPWP; reviewing meeting records from the UPWP outreach process for the past-five years; appraising potential locations in the MPO's LRTP Priority Corridors study; and monitoring roadways in the MPO's Congestion Management Process (CMP) program.

MPO staff identified 20 potential study locations in the MPO region. Staff then assembled detailed data on the identified roadways and evaluated them according to five selection criteria:

- Safety Conditions: Location has a high crash rate for its functional class or contains areas with a high number of crashes or a significant number of pedestrian/bicycle crashes
- Multimodal Significance: Location supports transit, bicycle, or pedestrian activity or has an implementation project to support one or more of these activities
- Subregional Significance: Location carries a significant proportion of subregional vehicle, bicycle, or pedestrian traffic<sup>3</sup>
- Subregional Priority: Location is endorsed by a subregion and is a priority for that subregion

Boston Region Metropolitan Planning Organization, Unified Planning Work Program, Federal Fiscal Year 2013, Endorsed by the Boston Region Metropolitan Planning Organization on June 28, 2012.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Geographic equity among subregions also was considered in this criterion.

 Implementation Potential: Location is proposed by the roadway agency or related agencies that have identified prospective funding resources for design and implementation

The Boston Region MPO selected and approved two roadway corridors for study:<sup>4</sup>

- Routes 127A/127 in Gloucester and Rockport (also known as the "Cape Ann Loop" by bicyclists)
- Route 3A in Cohasset and Scituate (from the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA) commuter rail station in Cohasset to Henry Turner Bailey Road in Scituate)

The section of Routes 127A/127 in Gloucester and Rockport is a part of the 90-mile state-designated Essex Coastal Scenic Byway. The Essex National Heritage Commission (ENHC) and the North Shore Task Force subregion proposed three roadway sections in the byway system for review and potential improvements—for all users, with emphasis on pedestrian and bicycle safety and accommodations. This corridor was regarded as the highest priority among the three proposed sections. (See Appendix A for a description of Essex Coastal Scenic Byway and a map of the designated byway system.)

# 1.3 Study Objectives

The objectives of this study are to:

- Identify the safety, mobility, access, and other transportation-related problems in the corridor
- Develop and evaluate potential multimodal—pedestrian, bicycle, trucks, and transit modes—transportation solutions to the problems

# 1.4 Study Area and Data Collection

The study corridor is about 16 miles long, and consists of three sections:

- Route 127A from Route 128 in Gloucester to Route 127 (Main Street) in Rockport
- Route 127 from Route 127A (Broadway) in Rockport to Route 128 (Grant Circle) in Gloucester
- Major Roadways in downtown Rockport:

<sup>4</sup> Selection of Study Locations: Addressing Safety, Mobility, and Access on Subregional Priority Roadways, Memorandum to Boston Region MPO, Chen-Yuan Wang, February 7, 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> The other two proposed roadways were Route 127 from Beverley to Gloucester and Route 133 from Gloucester to Ipswich.

- o Mount Pleasant Street from Broadway to Main Street
- Main Street from Mount Pleasant Street to Broadway<sup>6</sup>
- Beach Street from Main Street to Granite Street

The sections of Route 127A and Route 127 are under the jurisdiction of the City of Gloucester or the Town of Rockport, depending on their specific locations. The major roadways in downtown Rockport are under the jurisdiction of the Town. Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) Highway Division District 4 oversees the development and maintenance of the state routes in the area.

With the assistance of MassDOT, Gloucester, and Rockport, MPO staff collected roadway traffic counts, speed data, and intersection turning movement counts (including pedestrian crossings, bicycle movements, and heavy-vehicle counts) at a number of selected locations; they also gathered relevant transportation and land use data in the areas adjacent to the study corridor.

## 1.5 Study Advisory Meetings

During the course of the study, MPO staff conducted three meetings with representatives from Gloucester, Rockport, MassDOT, MAPC, and ENHC. The first two meetings—held in Gloucester on April 4, 2013 and Rockport on May 22, 2013—introduced and coordinated the study, and discussed the concerns about the study corridor. The third and final meeting—held in Rockport Town Hall on February 10, 2014—presented findings from data analyses and reviewed the proposed improvements.

On May 3, 2103, the Gloucester Community Development Department led a bicycle tour of the study corridor to examine roadway conditions for cycling and to discuss various transportation issues on site. (See Appendix B for a list of participants in the three advisory meetings and bicycle tour.)

## 2 EXISTING CONDITIONS AND ISSUES

This section examines the corridor's location; adjacent major transportation roadway configurations and facilities; adjacent land uses; and observed traffic, pedestrian, and bicycle conditions. It also summarizes issues and concerns raised in the study advisory meetings.

<sup>6</sup> Broadway is another major roadway in downtown Rockport and is included in the Route 127A section of this study.

# 2.1 Study Corridor and Major Transportation Facilities in the Area

Cape Ann—which includes the city of Gloucester, and the towns of Essex, Manchester-by-the-Sea, and Rockport—is located about 30 miles northeast of Boston on the Atlantic Ocean. The study corridor is basically a circular route, the Cape Ann Loop, around "The Island" of Cape Ann.<sup>7</sup>

Route 127 is a major state route in the North Shore area, which runs east along the shore from Beverley Harbor, through Manchester-by-the-Sea, to downtown Gloucester. It then turns north, away from the shore, crosses Route 128, and continues into Rockport. At the "Five-Corner" intersection<sup>8</sup>, Route 127 veers northwest near the shore, passes the MBTA commuter rail station, Rowe's Cove, Pigeon Cove, and Halibut Point State Park, and bends southward, reentering Gloucester. It then runs along Rowley Shore and the banks of the Annisquam and Mill Rivers and ends at Grant Circle (Route 128).

Route 127A is a north—south state route that runs from Route 127 (Eastern Avenue) in Gloucester to Route 127 (Main Street) in Rockport. It serves as a coastal alternative to the Route 127 inland section (from downtown Gloucester to the Five-Corner intersection in Rockport) on "The Island."

Figure 1 shows the location of the study corridor and major transportation facilities in the area. The 16-mile corridor consists of about 9.5 miles of Route 127, about 5.5 miles of Route 127A, and about 1.0 miles of major roadways in downtown Rockport. About half of the selected roadways are located in Gloucester and the other half in Rockport.

All of the study-corridor roadways are classified as urban minor arterials. Besides two principal arterials on the Island, Route 128 and the inland section of Route 127, these roadways are significant to the area's residents and businesses.

They all have two lanes and are undivided (one travel lane in each direction with no median). Each travel lane is about 12 feet wide, with a shoulder of two feet or less. Most of the roadways have sidewalks on one side (usually the coastal side) and some have sidewalks on both sides (such as the streets in downtown Rockport). However, a substantial section of Route127A (Thatcher Road) and another section of Route 127 (Granite Street/Washington Street) have no sidewalks on either side. No bike lanes exist on the study corridor roadways.

At the end of Cape Ann, the Annisquam River splits Gloucester into two parts: East and West Gloucester. Local residents refer to the land east of the Annisquam River (East Gloucester and Rockport) as "The Island."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> The intersection of Main Street, Broadway, Railroad Avenue, and Parker Street has five legs. It is the most traveled intersection in Rockport and locally known as the "Five-Corner" intersection.

The MBTA Rockport commuter rail line is the major regional transit service for commuters to and from Boston and communities along the line, and for people visiting the area. The commuter rail runs parallel to Route 127 in the middle of the "island" with two stops: Gloucester Station and Rockport Station.

Gloucester Station has 96 parking spaces, with a parking rate of \$4.00 per day. Rockport Station has 140 parking spaces, with no charge for parking.

Commuters usually can find a parking space at the two stations. In summer, the MBTA provides a "bicycle coach" on the line so that riders may carry their bikes with them.

Locally, the Cape Ann Transportation Authority (CATA) provides bus services along the major roadways in the area. Major bus routes that serve the study area include:

- Thatcher Road Route (Red Line): Downtown Gloucester and Rockport via East Gloucester, Rocky Neck, and Back Shore
- Rockport Express (Green Line): Downtown Gloucester and Rockport via Eastern Avenue
- Lanesville Route (Blue Line): Downtown Gloucester and Rockport via Lanesville
- Rockport Park & Ride Loop (seasonal): Blue Gate Meadows Parking Lot to Dock Square
- Gloucester Crossing and Business Express Loop (Orange Line):
   Gloucester Senior Center to Mill Pond Medical Center via Addison Gilbert Hospital and Blackburn Industrial Park

These routes run five to ten trips each way on weekdays and four-to-eight trips on Saturdays; except for the Rockport Park & Ride Loop, which operates daily in July and August, Saturday and Sundays in June and September, and on a few special days in May and October. (Please see Appendix C for details of CATA service routes and schedules.)

# 2.2 Adjacent Land Use and Developments

In general, adjacent land use on Route 127A and Route 127 is mainly residential; though mainly commercial and institutional in downtown Rockport. There are some variations of land use and development density given the roadway locations and surrounding natural environment. Existing land use and developments are summarized below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> CATA is a nonprofit transit service for the Cape Ann area, with additional service to the Danvers and Peabody Malls, and Ipswich, Essex, and Beverly.

#### Route 127A in Gloucester

 Bass Avenue: Medium-to-high density residential developments and extensive business developments

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- Thatcher Road: Low-to-medium density residential and a few business developments near Witham Street and Rockport Street
- Good Harbor Beach: Located on the south side between Barn Lane and Witham Street

## Route 127A in Rockport

- Thatcher Road: Low-density single-family residential developments and vacant woodlands
- South Street: Mostly single-family houses with scattered woodlands
- Mount Pleasant Street: Fully developed medium-density residential areas

## Major Roadways in Downtown Rockport

- Mt. Pleasant Street and Main Street: Souvenir shops, bakeries, restaurants, art galleries, and retail stores located on both sides
- *Broadway*: Mainly institutional developments (Town Hall, Town Library, Town Fire Station, and churches), with Rockport Market and a few stores
- Main Street (south of Beach Street): Medium-to-high density residential developments
- Beach Street: A number of small houses and a hotel
- Shalin Liu Performance Center. At the intersection of Main Street and School Street
- Bearskin Neck, adjacent to Dock Square (the junction of Mt. Pleasant Street and Main Street): A popular spot for viewing the ocean and coastal landscape
- Beach Street: Front and back beaches
- Barletts Park and Harvey Park (Broadway at Mt. Pleasant Street): Small town greens

# Route 127 in Rockport

- Railroad Avenue: Medium-density residential developments, with local businesses
- MBTA Rockport Station: South side near King Street

 Granite Street: Low-to-medium density residential developments (mostly single-family houses), with a few restaurants on the north side near the Gloucester city line

#### Route 127 in Gloucester

- Washington Street (from Rockport border to Langsford Street): Lowdensity single-family residential developments and woodlands
- Langsford Street: Mostly low-to-medium density residential developments and two cemeteries (near eastern leg of Washington Street)
- Lanesville Village Center. Local business and high-density residential districts
- Washington Street from Langsford Street to Holly Street: Mostly singlefamily houses, with scattered open spaces
- Washington Street from Holly Street to Route 128: Low-to-medium residential developments, with increasing density as roadway approaches Route 128

No major large-scale business developments are expected in the study corridor in the near future, as the city and town generally constrain these on Route 128 and the inland section of Route 127. The only anticipated major development is the old Cape Ann Tool Company on Granite Street (Route 127). The area's potential land use would be townhouses or multiple residential units with limited businesses. (See Appendices D and E for the current zoning maps for Gloucester and Rockport.)

Beyond the roadside developments, an abundance of open space—sandy beaches, inlets, rocky shores, swamplands, ponds, coastal woods, nature trails, hilly woods, tranquil quarries—flanks Routes 127A and 127. (See Appendix F, the Cape Ann Trail Map (produced by MAPC).)

# 2.3 Traffic Volumes, Pedestrians, and Bicycles

The study area is a popular tourist destination for beaches and sightseeing. Traffic, pedestrians, and bicycles increase significantly from May to October, especially on weekend days and holidays from late June to early September.

#### 2.3.1 Traffic Volumes

According to study advisory members, traffic at most locations in the study corridor generally moves well on weekdays, except at the Five-Corner intersection in the evening peak hour. However, during peak tourism hours on Saturdays and Sundays (usually around noontime), roadways are congested at popular destinations, such as the areas adjacent to Good Harbor Beach and

the roadways and intersections in downtown Rockport. The congestion start time and duration differ somewhat from location to location.

In order to estimate the effect of tourism on traffic, MPO staff requested MassDOT's assistance in collecting traffic counts for a series of weekend and weekdays in the summer peak season. The counts were performed from July 10 to 14, 2013, at 14 selected locations.

Figure 2 shows two sets of estimated traffic volumes, one for an average weekday and one for an average summer weekend day, by direction. <sup>10</sup> The figure also shows average daily traffic (total of both directions) on Route 128 and the inland section of Route 127—from the MassDOT Roadway Inventory database. <sup>11</sup>

Depending upon their locations, the roadways in the study corridor carry about 3,000-to-13,500 vehicles per average weekday, and about 3,500-to-14,000 vehicles per summer weekend day. Comparisons of the average weekday and summer weekend day traffic volumes indicate that summer weekend daily traffic increases about 20-to-30 percent at most locations in the corridor. Notably, summer daily traffic increases about 40-to-50 percent on the major roadways in downtown Rockport and nearly 100 percent on Route 127A at the Good Harbor Beach. <sup>12</sup> Appendix G summarizes the traffic volume estimations and comparisons at the count location.

Staff also analyzed traffic volumes by hours of the day. Figure 3 shows the peak-hour traffic volumes for average weekdays and summer weekend days.

The weekday peak hour occurs from 3:00 to 6:00 PM, and the summer weekend peak hour is generally between 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Analysis indicates that summer weekend daily traffic increases about 15-to-30 percent at most locations in the corridor. Notably, summer peak-hour traffic increases about 40-to-60 percent on Route 127 at the Good Harbor Beach and about 30-to-80 percent on the major roadways in downtown Rockport. (See Appendix G for a summary of estimated traffic volumes.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Staff estimated the average weekday traffic by averaging the counts on July 10 (Wednesday) to July 12 (Friday) and adjusting them with seasonal factors to represent average annual weekday traffic. Staff estimated the average weekend day traffic by averaging the counts on July 13 (Saturday) and July 14 (Sunday) to represent average weekend day traffic in the peak summer season.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Summer traffic data and directional information are not available from the database.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> The increase on Route 127A at Good Harbor Beach could be overestimated. Field observations indicated that during peak hours, visitors often queued on Route 127A waiting to enter the beach parking lot; or they drove back and forth looking for other places nearby to park their cars.

In addition to the roadway traffic counts, MassDOT collected turning movement counts at six selected intersections for this study, which are:

- 1. Route 127A (Thatcher Road/Bass Avenue) at Atlantic Road in Gloucester
- 2. Route 127A (Thatcher Road) at Barn Lane in Gloucester
- 3. Route 127A (Thatcher Road) at Witham Street in Gloucester
- 4. Route 127A (Mt. Pleasant Street/Broadway) at T-Wharf in Rockport
- 5. Dock Square (Mt. Pleasant St. at Main Street) in Rockport
- 6. Route 127 (Washington Street) at Stanwood Street in Gloucester

The counts were performed on Saturday, July 13, 2013 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Counts by various modes, including pedestrians, bicycles, and heavy vehicles, were collected. (Appendix H presents the data in 15-minute intervals at the six selected locations. Appendix I presents a summary of the counts by mode by hour, with the peak hour highlighted in yellow in the summary table.)

It is essential to examine the proportion of heavy-vehicle (truck and bus) traffic in a corridor, as an unusually high share of these may seriously affect roadway and intersection operations. The counts indicate that the corridor's heavy vehicles comprised about 1.0 to 1.5 percent of total traffic on the count date—a summertime weekend day. (See Appendix I for heavy-vehicle percentage summarized by hour.)

According to the study advisory members from Gloucester and Rockport, heavy-vehicle traffic may be slightly higher on weekdays than on weekend days. However, it is in the similar range of about two percent or less, as the area's heavy vehicles generally use Route 128 and the inland section of Route 127 as their major routes. This percentage is considered normal, or even slightly lower, than that of some urban minor arterials.

#### 2.3.2 Pedestrians

Based on the pedestrian crossing counts collected by MassDOT, Figure 4 shows the highest hourly pedestrian crossings at the major intersections between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM on Saturday, July 13, 2103. Tor contrast, the figure also shows traffic movement counts at the major intersections during the peak pedestrian crossing hour.

<sup>13</sup> In addition to the MassDOT counts, the figure includes counts at the Five-Corner intersection, which were taken from a recent MPO Study: *Rockport Five-Corner Intersection Improvement Study*, Community Transportation Technical Assistance Program, Boston Region MPO, May 2, 2011.

In general, the area adjacent to Dock Square in downtown Rockport has the most intensive pedestrian activity in the corridor. Pedestrian counts indicate that, during the peak hour, as many as nearly 1,000 pedestrians crossed the intersection of Mount Pleasant Street at Broadway/T-Wharf, and nearly 500 pedestrians crossed Dock Square. About 160 pedestrians crossed the Five-Corner intersection, located at the perimeter of downtown. At the same time, traffic volume approaching these intersections also was high.

Good Harbor Beach is another pedestrian-heavy area. A recent count conducted by volunteers from the city (see Appendix J) shows that on Route 127A (Thatcher Road) near the beach entrance, about 60-to-110 pedestrians per hour were observed from 10:30 AM to 2:30 PM, with the most active pedestrian hour defined as 10:30 to 11:30 AM. The counts also indicate that traffic on Route 127A was very congested during the noon hour in the area adjacent to the entrance.

Depending upon the location, the peak pedestrian-crossing hour is usually around noon. At popular tourist locations, such as the areas adjacent to Dock Square and Good Harbor Beach, peak pedestrian crossings can last as long as three-to-four hours. (See Appendix I for total pedestrian crossings summarized by hour at the major intersections.)

## 2.3.3 Bicycles

Based on the MassDOT turning movement counts, Figure 5 presents the highest hourly bicycle movement counts at the major intersections in the study corridor. The figure also shows directional bicycle counts on Route 127A and Route 127, estimated from the bicycle turning movement counts.

Approximately 40-to-50 bicycles per hour traveled at various locations in the corridor on July 13, 2013, an average summer weekend day. The bicycle peak hour is identified as 10:00 to 11:00 AM at most count locations. At Dock Square, the peak bicycle hour is identified as 10:30 to 11:30 AM, which indicates that cyclists might take a snack break or detour to Bearskin Neck for sightseeing. (See Appendix I for the hourly bicycle counts at selected locations.)

The directional bicycle counts indicate that most cyclists travel the Cape Ann Loop in a counter-clockwise direction (on the coastal side of the corridor). The directional spilt is about 80% on the coastal side and 20% on the inland side.

<sup>14</sup> The Gloucester Community Development Department also performed pedestrian and bicycle counts at the beach entrance on July 22, 2013, for this study. It was a very hot day and there was less-than-normal pedestrian and bicycle activity. The counts, therefore, were not used to represent normal summer weekend pedestrian activity.

#### 2.4 Issues and Concerns

In the scope meetings on April 4 and May 22, 2013, study advisory members from Gloucester, Rockport, MassDOT, and MAPC shared their concerns about the study corridor, which are summarized below.

- Discontinuous sidewalks at several locations
- Pedestrian safety—long crossing distance and poor view of traffic at intersections and busy roadway sections
- Lack of bicycle accommodations on Routes 127A/127
- No clear signage to identify Cape Ann Loop bike route
- High travel speeds in residential areas
- Summer traffic congestion in popular areas, such as Good Harbor Beach and downtown Rockport
- · Pedestrian safety and traffic issues in downtown Rockport
- Roadway maintenance issues
- Preservation of the area's character

The study advisory members also discussed safety and operational problems at specific locations in the corridor. These, along with the proposed improvements, are summarized by location in Section 4 of this memorandum.

## 3 SAFETY AND OPERATIONS ANALYSES

To explore potential improvements, this section examines recent five-year crash data, existing speed controls and prevailing travel speeds, and existing roadway cross-sections.

# 3.1 Crash Data Analysis

Crash data are essential for identifying safety and operational problems in a study area. Analysis of crash locations, collision types, time-of-day, roadway conditions, and other factors can help to develop improvement strategies.

Based on the 2006–10 MassDOT crash data, 202 crashes occurred in the study corridor in the five-year period. Figure 6 shows the crash locations and crash rates in different sections of the corridor.

In general, all the roadway sections have a crash rate lower than the state average of 3.63 crashes per million vehicle miles traveled on urban minor arterials. Most of them have a crash rate of less than 1.60 crashes per million vehicle miles traveled. A few sections of the study area have a slightly higher crash rate because of greater vehicle and pedestrian activity. These sections

are Bass Avenue from Route 128 to Thatcher Road in Gloucester and Mt. Pleasant Street, Broadway, and Railroad Avenue in Rockport. The section of Mt. Pleasant Street between Broadway and Prospect Street has the highest crash rate. It is a transition zone into downtown Rockport but already experiences intense roadway activity.

With one (or less) crash per year on average, most of the intersections in the corridor are low-crash locations, except for the following intersections:

- Five-Corner (Main Street at Broadway): 4.4 crashes per year
- Railroad Avenue at King Street: 2.2 crashes per year
- Mt. Pleasant Street at Broadway: 1.2 crashes per year
- Bass Avenue at Thatcher Road/Atlantic Road: 1.2 crashes per year

Figure 6 also shows that seven crashes involved a pedestrian and four involved a cyclist. Six of the seven pedestrian crashes occurred in downtown Rockport (three on Main Street, two on Bearskin Neck Road, and one at the Five-Corner intersection). One pedestrian crash occurred at the intersection of South Street at Jerdens Lane. (The Rockport School District is located further south of the intersection on Jerdens Lanes.)

Two of the bicycle crashes occurred near the downtown area, both on Mt. Pleasant Street northbound near Norwood Avenue. The other two bicycle crashes occurred near the intersection of Bass Avenue and Thatcher Road near the Good Harbor Beach.

According to Gloucester, Grant Circle is a tough location for pedestrians and cyclists to cross; thus, the city designated Cherry Street-Popular Street-Maplewood Avenue as an alternate bike route. The crash data indicate that one pedestrian crash occurred in 2008 and one bicycle crash in 2006, at this location.

In 2008, one fatal crash—a head-on collision that involved three vehicles—occurred on Washington Street just south of Stanwood Street in Gloucester. The day was clear and the cause is not identified in the database. This incident is considered to be a random case in the study corridor.

# 3.2 Travel Speeds and Speed Controls

Figure 7 shows the existing speed controls and observed 85th percentile travel speeds in the study corridor. The "85th percentile" is the principle value used for establishing speed controls. It is the speed at or below which 85 percent of vehicles passing a given point are traveling. The 85th percentile speeds at seven selected locations in the corridor were derived from spot speed studies performed by MassDOT in July 2013.

Speed limits in the corridor are regulated in five ranges: 15-, 20-, 25-, 30-, and 35 miles per hour (mph). Most sections on Route 127A are designated as 30- or 35-mph speed zones. Exceptions are Bass Avenue between Route 128 and Thatcher Road in Gloucester and Mt. Pleasant Street between Prospect Street and Broadway in Rockport, which are designated as 25-mph zones because of their dense business and residential districts.

All of the study roadways in downtown Rockport are designated as 20-mph zones, including Mt. Pleasant Street, Main Street, Broadway, and Beach Street. Drivers usually do not travel too fast on these roadways because they are narrow, with on-road traffic and roadside activities. However, drivers tend to travel somewhat faster on Broadway, as it is a straight and downhill path toward downtown.

Speed regulations on Route 127 from Five-Corner to Route 128, are variable, ranging between 15-and-30 mph. Most sections, however, are 25-mph zones, as they are thickly settled residential districts. A number sections scattered along Route 127 are designated as 20-mph zones. These usually are narrow, winding, and near a village center, or adjacent to a major intersection. The other sections are 30-mph zones, except for a small section of Granite Street just south of Beach Street, which is only about 600 feet long and is designated as a 15-mph zone. The section of Route 127 parallel to the Annisquam River is narrow and winding. Though it is mostly under a 20-mph speed-limit control, a third of the section, between Bennett Street and Bittersweet Road, is zoned for 30 mph.

As shown in Figure 7, the observed 85th percentile speeds are about two-tofive mph higher than the posted speed limits at most count locations. The following locations have a wider variation between the observed 85th percentile speed and its posted speed limit:

- Route 127 (Granite Street) north of Beach Street: About nine-to-ten mph higher than the posted 25-mph speed in both directions
- Route 127 (Granite Street) north of the Gloucester border: About eight mph higher than the posted 25-mph speed in both directions
- Route 127 (Washington) north of Stanwood Street: About 9-to-11 mph higher than the posted 20-mph speed in the southbound direction

<sup>15</sup> This section is straight, somewhat narrow, and downhill; no crash history or other strong reason may be found for why it is zoned at such a low speed. There are a few houses located very close to the roadway, whose residents would prefer a lower travel speed. However, such a regulation usually has little effect on speeds of drivers who do not live in the area.

A review of the regulated and observed speeds, and the roadway's adjacent land use, indicates that some speed-regulation adjustments could be considered at the following locations:

- Adjust regulation from 35-mph to 30-mph:
  - Route 127A (Thatcher Road) between Rockport Road and Briny Way
  - o Route 127A (South Street) between Eden Road and Briarstone Road
- Adjust regulation from 30-mph to 25-mph:
  - Route 127A (South Street) between Jerdens Lane and Prospect Street
  - Route 127 (Granite Street) between Wharf Road and Landmark Lane
  - Route 127 (Langsford Street) between Butman Avenue and Andrews Street
  - Route 127 (Washington Street) between Bennett Street and Bittersweet Road

Establishing or modifying speed regulations is a complicated procedure that requires careful engineering analyses. The proposed locations for modification were based on limited speed data collected as part of the recent traffic counts. <sup>16</sup> They should be further examined and validated according to the procedures required by MassDOT. <sup>17</sup>

# 3.3 Roadway Cross-section Analysis

To address two major concerns in the study corridor, this section examines the existing roadway cross-sections and explores those with the potential to accommodate pedestrians and bicycles (see Figure 8).

Currently most sections on Route 127A and Route 127 have a roadway surface of about 24-to-28 feet that contains two 12-foot travel lanes and outside shoulders generally less than two feet wide. In general, sidewalks are on the coastal side only; and a substantial section of Route127A (Thatcher Road) and another section on Route 127 (Granite Street/Washington Street) have no sidewalks at all. Cyclists need to travel with traffic on the 12-foot travel lanes.

<sup>16</sup> The 85th percentile speeds for this study were spot speeds derived from data collected from automatic traffic recorders. To establish or modify speed controls, MassDOT requires data to be collected using radar or laser guns at critical locations for an area not to exceed 0.25 miles, in addition to vehicle trial runs in the study area.

<sup>17</sup> Procedures for Speed Zoning on State and Municipal Roadways, MassDOT Highway Division, May 2012.

The corridor does not contain a separate lane or sufficient shoulder for bicycle travel. Although no pavement markings or traffic signs clearly indicate the corridor as a shared roadway, it is regarded as one since bicycles are not prohibited in any sections of the corridor. However, it is desirable to consider separate or clearly indicated shared-road bicycle accommodations, as the prevailing traffic speed is nearly 40 mph in many sections of the corridor.

The MassDOT Roadway Inventory file indicates that the roadways in the corridor generally have a right-of-way of about 36-to-50 feet (mostly 40 or 50 feet), except for a narrow section of Route 127A (Thatcher Road) from the Gloucester borderline to Briny Way in Rockport. However, the roadways appear much narrower than that, as most roadside areas are either developed or occupied by natural elements such as trees and boulders. In some residential districts, houses are built very close to the road with stone fences against the edges of sidewalks. This "narrow country road" charm surrounded by rich natural and man-made (with local materials) elements is a local trait that should be preserved. Meanwhile, the narrow-road appearance presumably should influence drivers not to travel too fast.

This study identifies a few potential cross-sections that could improve pedestrian and bicycle accommodations without major roadway expansions. The potential improvements include continuous sidewalks for pedestrians and five-foot wide shoulders for bicycles in as much of the corridor as possible, while preserving area's ambience.

The second graphic in Figure 8 shows an example of a potential shared-road cross-section that is confined by nature or developed surroundings with little space for expansion. Essential components these cross-sections include:

- Continuous standard five-foot sidewalks on the coastal side for pedestrians<sup>19</sup>
- 12-to-13 foot shared bicycle and vehicle travel lanes
- At least one foot outside shoulders for maintaining roads and keeping traffic away from sidewalks<sup>20</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Because it is legal for bicyclists to use nearly all roadways, most of them can be technically classified as shared roadways; except where bicycling has been expressly prohibited by ordinance or law, such as on city streets or access-controlled freeways in some states.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Sidewalks should be installed on the inland sides as well, wherever the right-of-way is available, especially in residential districts.

State-numbered routes are required to contain outside shoulder lines for guiding traffic and roadway maintenance.

The third graphic in Figure 8 shows a sample cross-section that contains five-foot shoulders to accommodate bicycles apart from vehicular traffic. This cross-section may be used where a right-of-way of about 42 feet is available to include standard five-foot sidewalks on both sides. Major elements of the proposed wide-shoulder cross-sections include:

- · Five-foot sidewalks on both sides for pedestrians
- Five-foot shoulders on both sides for bicycles
- Reduced 11-foot travel lanes<sup>21</sup>

It is important that wide shoulders for bicycle travel are continuous (preferably for at least half a mile); fragmented wide shoulders would cause bicycles to weave in and out of traffic, and create difficulties for roadway maintenance.

For areas with a tight right-of-way, but which also hold potential for wide-shoulder application, a four-foot shoulder may be considered. However, MassDOT requires a standard five-foot shoulder for bicycle travel, and a four-foot shoulder would require a design exemption, if federal or state funding is applied.<sup>22</sup>

Study advisory members from MAPC suggested a roadway cross-section without centerlines in order to accommodate bicycles (see Appendix K). This "no center-line" design would remove centerlines that delineate opposite traffic streams and provide wide shoulders on both sides for bicycle travel (also known as "advisory bicycle lanes") by using dashed lines to delineate vehicle and bicycle travels. The dashed lines would allow vehicles to travel on the shoulders while passing from opposite directions. The design is intended for narrow roadways with relatively low traffic volume and speed. See Appendix L for details about this design concept and its application.

Currently, staff does not propose such an application in the study corridor because:

- Routes 127 and 127A are minor principal arterials with relatively high traffic volumes.<sup>23</sup>
- The roads are steep and winding in many sections, with frequent horizontal and vertical transitions, where centerlines are essential for safety.

Though no extensive research indicates significant evidence in the reduction of travel speeds, narrowing travel lanes in an appropriate dimension is generally considered to have effects on the majority of drivers to slow down somewhat or at least not to travel too fast.

<sup>22</sup> MassDOT Project Development and Design Guide, January 2006, Massachusetts Department of Transportation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Except for the section of Route 127 between Halibut Point State Park and Lanesville, all of the roadways in the corridor carry about 5,000-to-10,000 vehicles per day.

- Limited application in the study corridor would be a sudden and drastic change from the rest of the corridor and likely would cause drivers' confusion.
- A major transition section to alert drivers the change would be required before and after the application section.

However, this no centerline application is effective in slowing traffic and providing bicycle and pedestrian accommodations and could be considered for local streets or low-volume collectors in areas adjacent to the study corridor.

Staff consulted with various bicycle advocates, MAPC transportation planners, and MassDOT design professionals about what elements to include and how to design bicycle, pedestrian, and vehicle accommodations that share a roadway with significant right-of-way constraints. These views are included in Appendix K. As some of the opinions are not consistent, we expect that, at the design stage and depending upon the funding source, all of these views would be taken into account and compared against the design standards. At that time, various existing design standards could also be contested by proceeding through the formal design exemption application process.

#### 4 PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

Based on the preceding analyses, this section proposes a series of safety and operational improvements for pedestrians, bicycles, and traffic in the study corridor and at a number of selected locations.

# 4.1 Pedestrian Accommodations and Safety Improvements

Figure 9 shows the locations of existing sidewalks and proposed locations for standard five-foot sidewalk installation. Major proposed improvements include:

- Install five-foot sidewalks on the coastal side to provide a continuous path
- Install five-foot sidewalks on the inland side in sections are thickly settled
- Upgrade existing substandard sidewalks, such as those on Langsford Street (Route 127) adjacent to Lanesville and Beach Streets on the inland side
- Designate Bearskin Neck Road as a pedestrian zone.<sup>24</sup>

Note that standard five-foot sidewalks on both sides of the roadways, especially in dense residential districts, are desirable in the corridor. However, some sections in the corridor likely would have a right-of-way only wide enough for

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Vehicle travels are prohibited on the roadway, except for residents and customers of hotels and restaurants located in the stretch, people with disabilities, and deliveries.

sidewalks on one side. The goal is to provide at least a continuous pedestrian path on the coastal side of the corridor. Based on the recently issued MassDOT Engineering Directive E-14-001 (see Appendix M), the sections with sidewalks on only one side would require a design exemption process, if federal or state funding is used for the improvements.

Also note that the proposed locations were based on field observations and reviews of online assessors' maps. Further investigation of right-of-way availabilities and roadside obstructions (such as utility poles) is required to determine exact locations for proposed improvements.

Although the roadways in the study corridor are narrow, the layouts of many intersections in the corridor are relatively wide. These intersections create long crossing distances for pedestrians; and it is difficult for drivers to observe pedestrians at the far corners. These intersections mostly could be reconfigured into tighter layouts with reduced curb radii in order to slow turning traffic. Sidewalk extensions and pedestrian bulb-outs could be installed—to compensate for lessened curb radii—to shorten pedestrian crossing distances and so drivers and pedestrians could see each other better. See Section 4.3 for further discussion of these improvements.

There are many crosswalks at intersections and at mid-blocks of the roadways in the corridor; and a large number of them are not equipped with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standard wheelchair ramps. Their locations and viability for enhancements, along with those of wide intersections, should be examined further to provide a systematic outcome for pedestrian safety improvements.

# 4.2 Bicycle Accommodation and Safety Improvements

Figure 10 shows the locations of the existing bicycle lanes and the proposed locations for the installation of wide shoulders and the designation of shared roads for bike travels. Major proposed improvements include:

- Designate the entire study corridor as the Cape Ann Loop bike route.
- Connect the Loop to the existing bike routes designated by Gloucester.
- Install five-foot shoulders on both sides for bicycle travels in sections
  where the potential wide shoulder cross-section is applicable (Figure 8).
  Potential locations for such applications include sections on Route 127A
  and Route 127 and Beach Street from King Street to Granite Street.

<sup>25</sup> Route 127 was built in the 1930s and Route 127A in early 1950s. The layout of these intersections probably has not changed much since then, when the area was relatively rural with much fewer residents than today.

- Install "share the road with bicycles" signs<sup>26</sup> or sharrow markings at selected locations, such as narrow, steep, or curved sections, or thickly settled areas.
- Install bike racks at the proposed rest stops.
- Regularly maintain the roadways clear of potholes and debris for safe bicycle travel.

The proposed locations were based on field observations and reviews of online assessors' and wetland maps. Further analyses of right-of-way and wetland constraints are required to determine exact locations for proposed improvements. For instance, the section of Route 127A in Rockport from Red Fox lane to Briny Way is located in an environmentally sensitive area and its wide-shoulder expansion should be examined further.

The section of Route 127A (Thatcher Road) from Witham Street in Gloucester to Eden Street in Rockport provides some scenic ocean views on the coastal side and is relatively narrow, so that wide-shoulders potentially may be applied only on one side. However, based on a number of context-sensitive factors (below), it may be feasible to consider the wide-shoulder accommodation on the coastal side as well:

- Unique roadway character with limited right-of-way
- High bicycle travel demand with 80% split on coastal side
- 35-mph posted speed
- Relatively low crash rate in the corridor

Study advisory members from MassDOT expressed their concerns about wideshoulder bicycle accommodation on only one side of roadways based on the principal of consistency in highway design (see Appendix K) and stressed that such application would require a design-exemption process, if federal or state funding is used for the roadway improvements.

# 4.3 Traffic Operations and Safety Improvements

The study corridor carries substantial numbers of pedestrians and bicycles, especially in the tourism season. The key to traffic operations in the corridor is how to maintain suitable low- to-medium travel speeds in order to accommodate all travel modes and enhance safety for all users, including

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> The standard Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) application consists of an assembly of the "bicycle" (W11-1) warning sign and "share the road" (W16-1P) warning plaque.

pedestrians, cyclists, and drivers. Major proposed improvements related to traffic operations include:

- Consider speed regulation adjustments in the roadway sections suggested in Section 3.2, with further engineering analyses.
- Install solar-powered "Your Speed" warning signs to calm traffic at three
  critical locations that enter downtown Rockport. The town currently is
  working with MassDOT to identify the exact location for Route 127 (Main
  Street) northbound approaching the Five-Corner intersection. This study
  suggests that the following two additional locations be considered for
  improvements.
  - Route 127A northbound before Jerdens Lane (Rockport School District): The vicinity is somewhat open and visitors may be not aware that they are about to enter the school district and dense residential area.
  - Route 127 northbound before Wharf Road (Keystone Bridge):
     Keystone Bridge is somewhat narrower than its adjacent roadway
     and the downhill section following the bridge is steep and curved. It is
     a 25-mph speed zone and the 85-percentile traffic speed is nearly 10
     MPH higher than the posted speed limit (see Section 3.2).
- Preserve roadside elements that have the effect of calming traffic, such as sidewalks, stone fences, trees, boulders, and a variation in natural landscape.
- Regularly maintain speed-limit signs and periodically enforce the posted speed limits.
- Redesign and reconstruct wide-layout intersections with reduced curb radii to slow turning vehicles; and add sidewalk extensions (pedestrian bulb-outs) to shorten pedestrian crossing distances. A review of aerial photos indicates that about 27 intersections in the corridor are suitable for these improvements (see Appendix N for a list of the identified intersections). Figure 11 shows an example of Route 127A (Bass Avenue/Thatcher Road) at Atlantic Road in Gloucester with these proposed improvements.
- Remove excessive warning signs and upgrade parking-regulation signs.
   On Route 127 in the study corridor, there are excessive warning (mostly Children at Play) and parking-regulation signs (most for beach goers in residential districts) that are not MUTCD<sup>27</sup> compliant. Excessive signs

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, Federal Highway Administration, Washington D.C., May 2012.

should be removed and parking signs should be consistent with MUTCD standards.

Update or install pedestrian warning signs at major crossing locations.
 Many of the existing pedestrian crossing warning signs are faded. They should be replaced with MUTCD-compliant reflective materials.

## 4.4 Proposed Improvements at Selected Locations

Based on discussions with study advisory members, the major locations of concern in the corridor are Good Harbor Beach in Gloucester and downtown Rockport.

#### 4.4.1 Good Harbor Beach

Good Harbor Beach is a popular destination in summers, especially on weekend days. Its parking lot that takes nearly 950 passenger cars is usually full around 11:00 AM on weekend days. Major issues and concerns include:

- The roadway section is narrow with no sidewalks or sufficient shoulders to accommodate pedestrians and bicycles.
- Route 127A between Barn Lane and Witham Street is highly congested during summer weekend days. Traffic congestion impedes pedestrian and bicycle movements.
- The roadway section is adjacent to wetlands and it may not be feasible to add sidewalks or bike lanes.
- Visitors do not have sufficient parking information before they enter the beach area. Some of them travel back and forth on Route 127A looking for parking spaces, which increases traffic in the area.

Proposed roadway improvements and traffic and parking management schemes for the beach area include:

- Install sidewalks on either side or on both sides of Route 127A between Barn Lane and Witham Street (depending upon an environmental evaluation of its potential effect on the adjacent wetlands). A pedestrian path with wood structure (boardwalk) could also be considered.
- Install five-foot shoulders for bicycle travel if the environmental evaluation permits.<sup>28</sup>
- Install an electronic sign stating "Parking Lot Full. No Stopping" in the vicinity of the parking entrance.

<sup>28</sup> Major roadway expansions affecting environmentally sensitive areas would require an extensive MEPA (Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act) review process.

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- In the long term, install advanced warning signs (electronic with remote controls) indicating parking availability at the following locations:
  - Route 128 eastbound before Grant Circle
  - Route 127 northbound after Flannagan Square and before Eastern Avenue
  - Route 127A southbound before Witham Street
- Install bike racks in the parking lot.
- Move the fee collection booth further into the parking lot (currently the space between the booth and Route 127A is limited, which results in queues on Route 127A during peak entry hours).
- Hire a consultant to redesign the entire parking system and space arrangement; and consider an automatic fee-collection system.
- Study seasonal traffic-management measures, such as one-way circulation or street closings, which should aim to improve pedestrian and bicycle movements.

## 4.4.2 Downtown Rockport

Downtown Rockport has many commercial and historical attractions, and is a very popular destination during the summer season. Streets are usually mixed with vehicles, pedestrians, and bicycles, especially on weekend days. Major issues and concerns of the area include:

- There is parking on most downtown streets and in municipal lots.
   However, more parking and transportation options for visitors in the tourism season are needed.
- To improve parking and transportation service for visitors, the town and CATA worked together to provide shuttles between a park-and-ride lot and Dock Square.<sup>29</sup> However, some visitors do not seem to know about the service, and they tend to circle the downtown area looking for parking spaces.
- There are no clearly defined walking paths or way-finding systems to guide visitors to historical and commercial attractions.

<sup>29</sup> The service is referred as "Rockport Park & Ride Loop" (see Section 2.1). The designated park-and-ride lot is located next to the town's transfer station on Blue Gate lane. All parking is free. The parking lot has 199 spaces and six accessible spaces. The shuttle fee is \$1.00 per person. The shuttles (with about 20-25 minute headway) will operate on most days of the season from May 18 to September 29, and on October 19 for the Rockport Harvest Festival.

 Sidewalks are usually about five-to-six feet wide, which is not sufficient in places where people tend to gather.

Proposed improvements for the area in general include:

- Increase visitor awareness of the park-and-ride service via the Internet and other media.
- Install electronic signs at the park-and-ride lot, and let visitors know the location and arrival time of shuttle buses via global positioning system and smart-phone applications.
- The town's Economic Development Committee has proposed constructing a walking trail modeled on Boston's Freedom Tail in order to promote downtown cultural and economic activities. The initial idea is to use an iconic image stenciled on the sidewalk to guide visitors from the commuter rail station to the downtown cultural district.
- Expand sidewalks at spots with intensive pedestrian activity.
- Extend sidewalks at major intersections to improve pedestrian crossing safety.

Improvements for pedestrian accommodation and safety are proposed at the following specific locations.

Intersection of Route 127A (Mt. Pleasant Street/Broadway) at T-Wharf There is intensive pedestrian activity at this intersection, which is relatively wide and undefined, and has a small traffic island holding a mini lighthouse that extends from Broadway. Crosswalks are located away from the intersection and create long crossing distances for pedestrians. Figure 12 shows the intersection's existing conditions and proposed improvements.

Dock Square (Mt. Pleasant Street at Main Street/Bearskin Neck Road)

Dock Square is located close to the T-Wharf intersection and also carries intensive pedestrian activity. Traffic splits at a central island. Through-town traffic is advised to use the left lane. There is a crosswalk from the east side of Mt. Pleasant Street to the central island but no crosswalks from the central island to the west side of Mt. Pleasant Street.

Figures 13 and 14 show the existing conditions and three proposed alternatives for the intersection, which are:

- Alternative 1: Install crosswalks and ADA-compliant ramps without modifying existing central island
- Alternative 2: Expand central island, expand sidewalk on north side of Main Street, and install crosswalks and ADA-compliant ramps

Alternative 3: Remove central island, and redesign and reconstruct the intersection

#### Bearskin Neck Road

Bearskin Neck Road—which leads to a grand ocean view—is relatively narrow with stores and shops located densely on both sides and is a popular walking area. There are no clear entry policies for traffic control. Two crashes occurred between 2006 and 2010; both involved a pedestrian being hit by a vehicle. Proposed improvements for this road include:

- · Convert entire stretch into a pedestrian zone.
- Prohibit vehicular traffic, except those driven by residents, customers to hotels and restaurants with reserved parking spaces, people with disabilities, and delivery vehicles.
- Pave the road with local cobblestones or other textured materials suitable for inclement weather.
- · Install pedestrian-scale street lighting.

Five-Corner (Intersection of Main Street/Railroad Avenue at Broadway and Parker Street)

MPO staff and MAPC jointly studied this intersection in 2011.<sup>30</sup> Signalization and modern roundabout options were reviewed but not preferred. The preferred options include modifying intersection layouts, extending sidewalks, and relocating crosswalks.

#### Intersection of Main Street at Beach Street

Beach Street and Main Street south of Beach Street are located in mostly residential districts; and residents expressed concern about pedestrian accessibility and safety at this intersection. Figure 15 shows the existing conditions and proposed improvements for this intersection. The existing crosswalk is located at the lower side of the intersection. Installing a pedestrian bulb-out and relocating the crosswalk to a higher position would significantly increase pedestrians' view of traffic and drivers' view of pedestrians.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Rockport Five-Corner Intersection Improvement Study, Community Transportation Technical Assistance Program, Boston Region MPO, May 2, 2011.

#### 5 SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

This study performed various analyses to identify safety and operational problems in the study corridor and proposed improvements to address the identified problems. Benefits of proposed improvements:

- Sidewalk additions and upgrades would provide continuous and safe access for pedestrians.
- Shoulder expansions and upgrades would accommodate bicycle travel and enhance cyclists' safety.
- Speed-limit adjustments would make speeds more consistent and smooth transitions, improving safety for all.
- Improvements at major locations, such as Good Harbor Beach and intersections in downtown Rockport, would improve traffic operations, enhancing safety, mobility, and access for all roadway users.
- Widening intersections would slow traffic and enhance safety and mobility for pedestrians and cyclists.
- Context-sensitive roadway reconstruction would preserve the character of this scenic area.

The study outlines transportation improvements that the city and town could consider for the corridor's long-term plan. In the near term, however, the following measures should be considered to enhance safety, mobility, and access for all:

- Update or install pedestrian warning signs at major crossing locations.
- Designate Bearskin Neck Road as a pedestrian zone.
- Upgrade substandard sidewalks wherever funds are available.
- Designate the entire study corridor as the Cape Ann Loop bike route.<sup>31</sup>
- Install Share the Road with Bike MUTCD signs or sharrow markings at critical locations, such as narrow, steep, or curved sections, or thickly settled areas to enhance cyclists' safety.
- Regularly keep roadways clear of potholes and debris for safe bicycle travel.

<sup>31</sup> ENHC is currently working with MassDOT to install scenic way-finding signs along the routes in the byway system. The comprehensive signage system will serve as the principal on-road method of directing travelers to the byway from the region's three arterial highways (I-95, Rt. 128, and Rt. 1); then once on the byway, guiding them along the entire route. In the study advisory meeting, the possibility of placing a plaque indicating the Cape Ann Loop bike route underneath the byway way-finding signs was mentioned.

- Install solar-powered Your Speed warning signs to calm traffic at proposed locations entering downtown Rockport.
- Regularly maintain speed-limit signs and periodically enforce speed limits.
- Remove excessive warning signs and upgrade parking signs on Route 127.
- Promote the information about MBTA and CATA services, especially the Rockport Park & Ride Loop shuttle, to reduce vehicular traffic in the corridor.

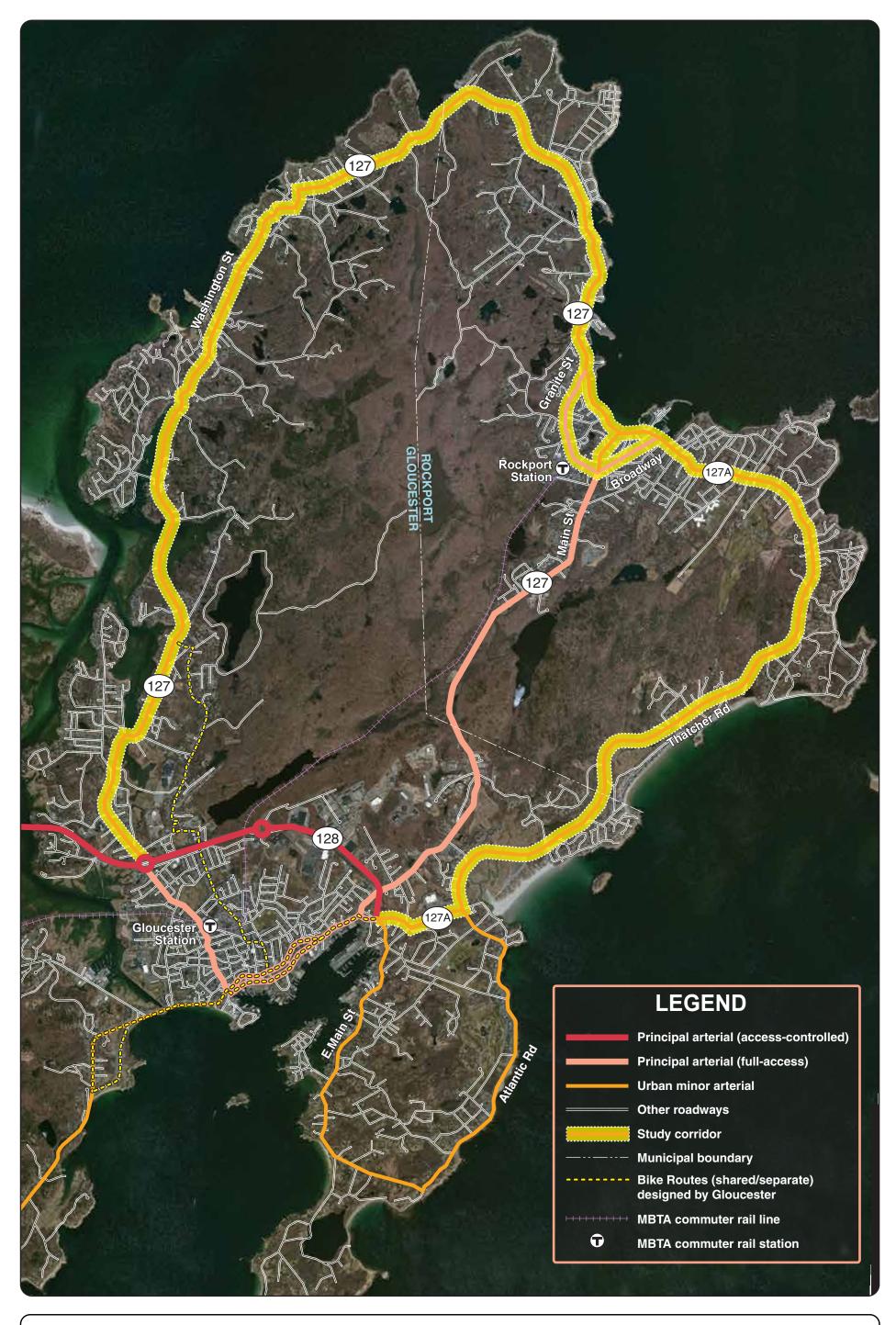
In the past few years, Gloucester has been promoting walking and cycling in the city through a number of projects, including "Get Fit Gloucester!" and a series of Compete Streets Community Forums based on a draft complete streets plan. <sup>32</sup> A master plan for downtown Rockport (2011) addresses the pedestrian safety and access issues. More significantly, MassDOT recently issued an engineering directive E 14-001 (Appendix M) containing new design criteria for pedestrian and bicycle accommodations that support healthy transportation alternatives.

These initiatives indicate that the city, the town, and MassDOT are moving toward a consensus vision of complete streets and context-sensitive roadway design and reconstruction. Implementing the proposed improvements, however, would require sufficient resources and cooperation from the city, the town, and related agencies (such as MassDOT and ENHC), as well as residents, business owners, and citizen groups.

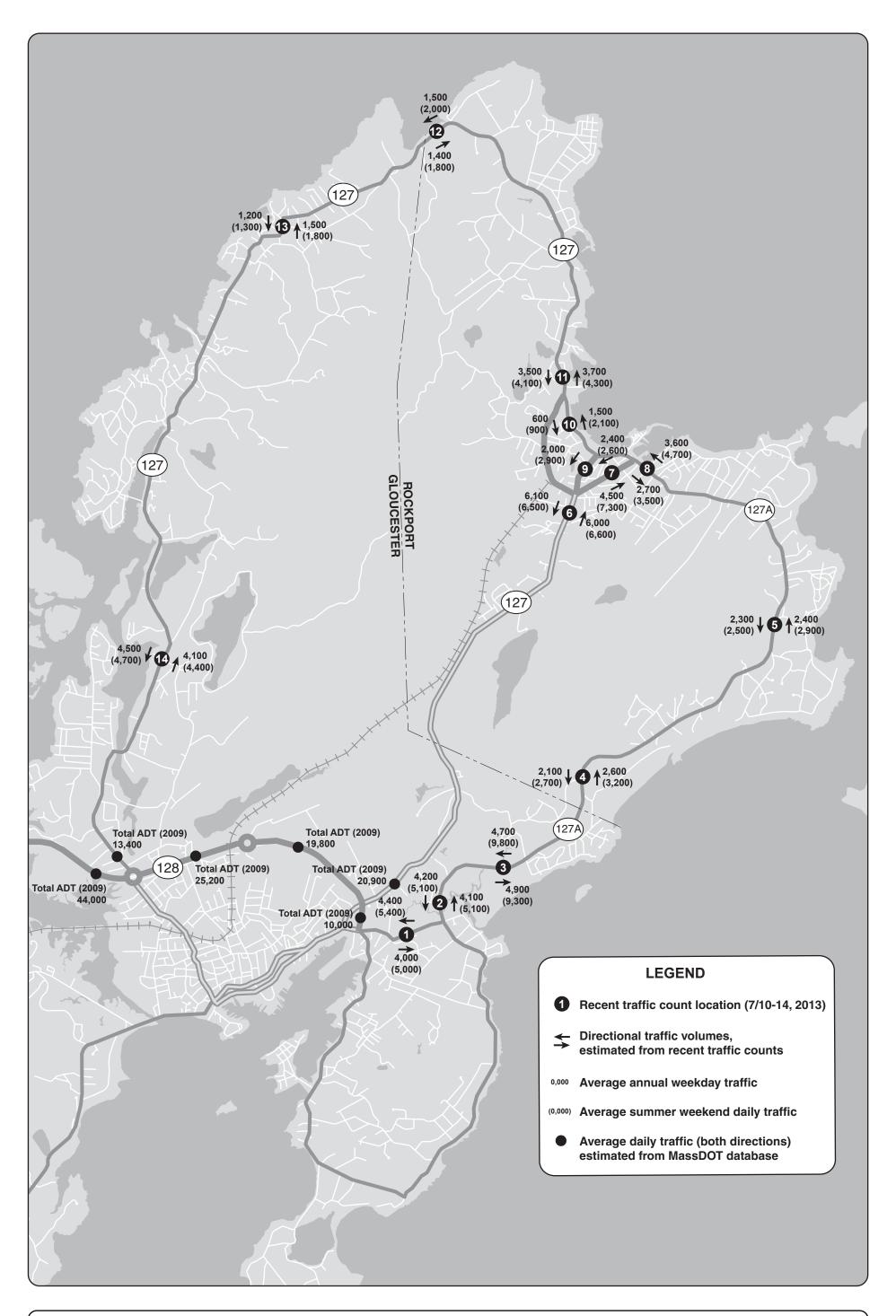
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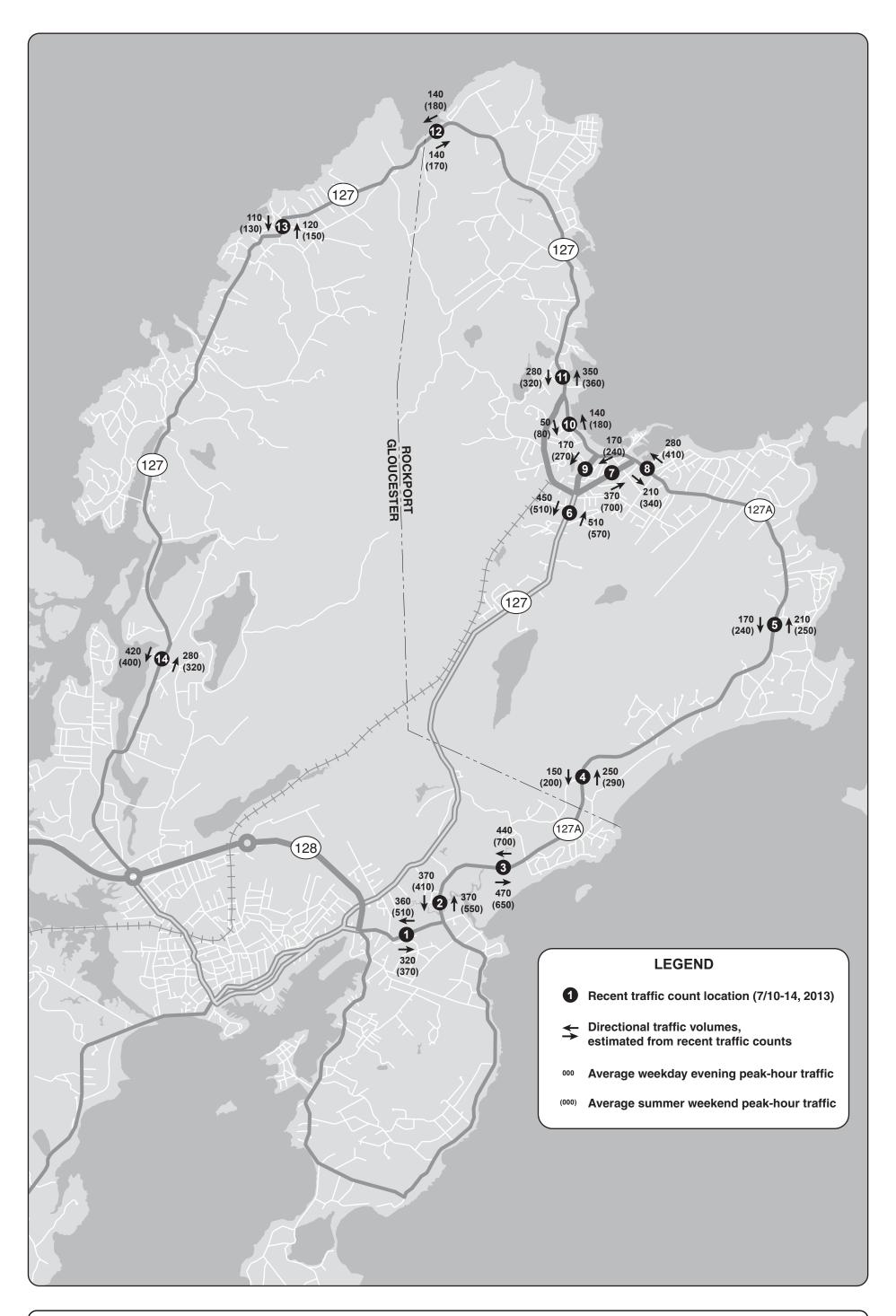


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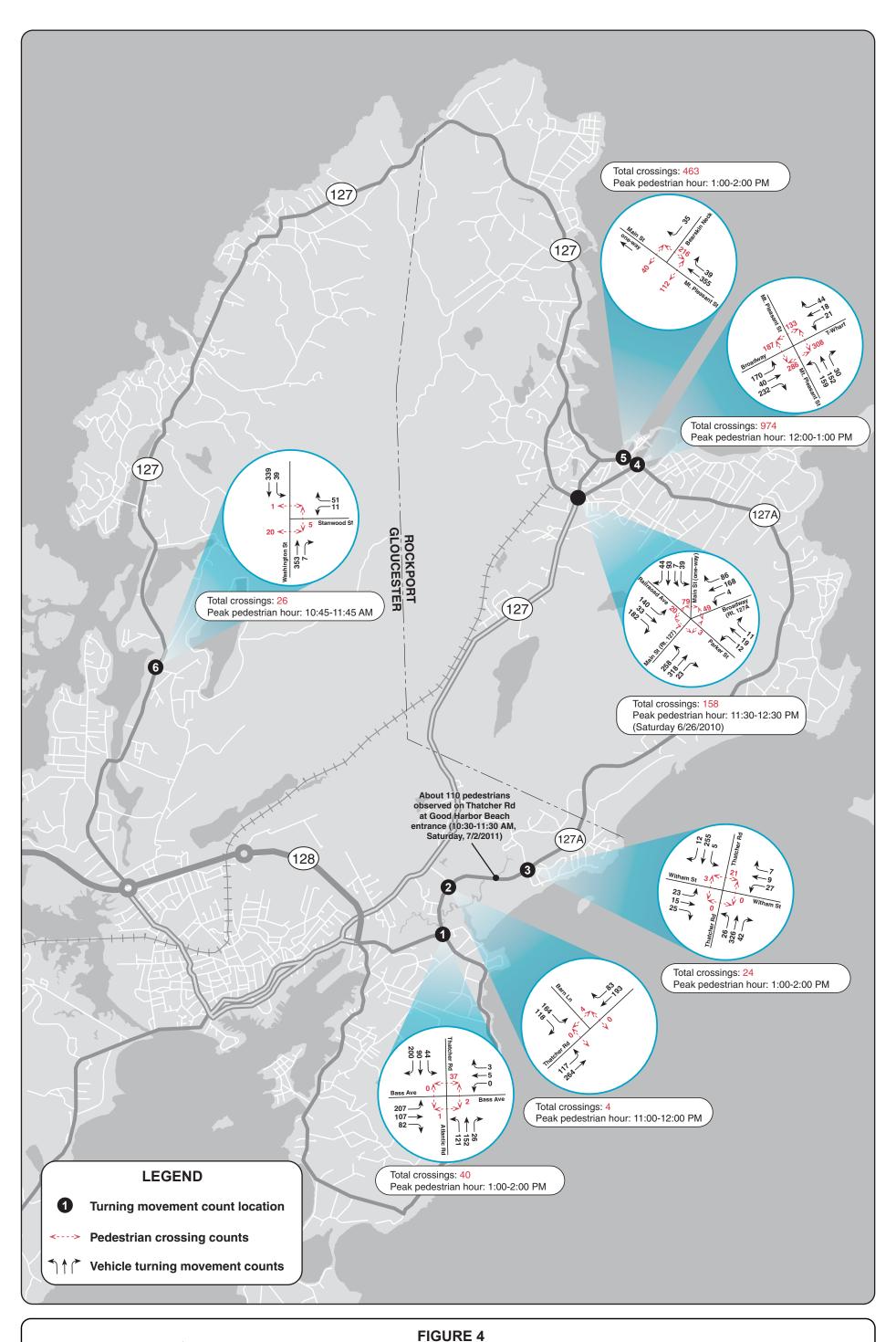
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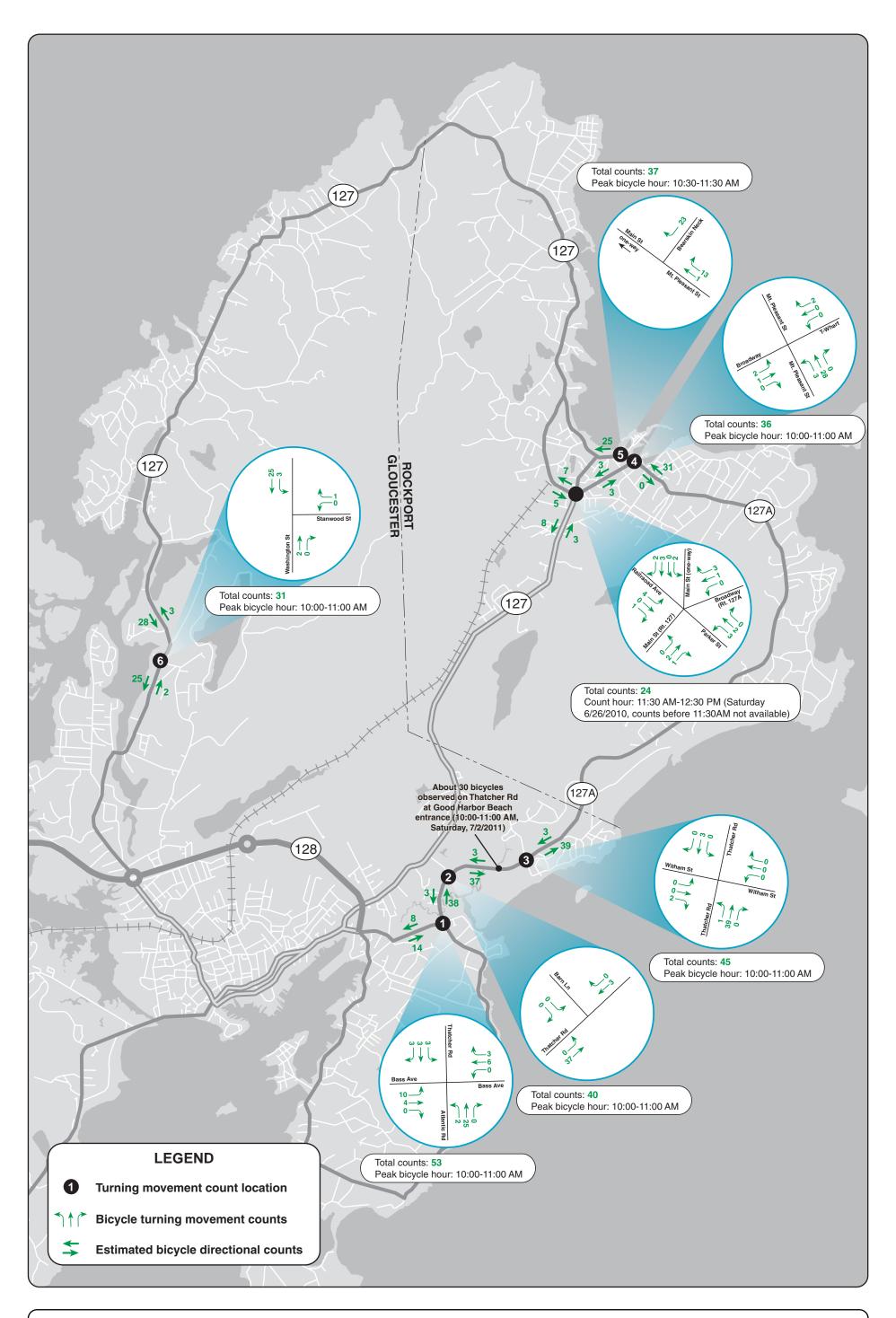
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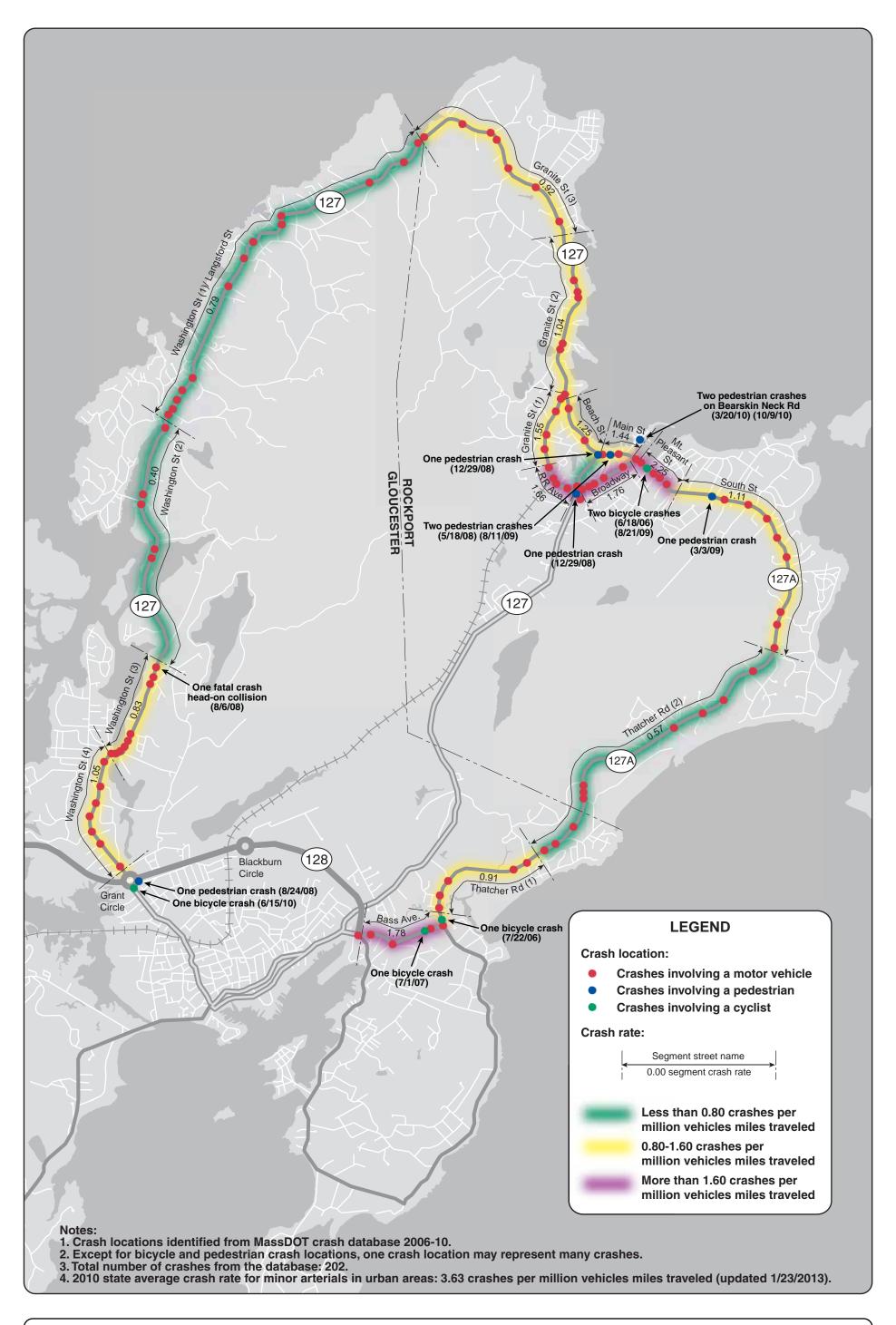
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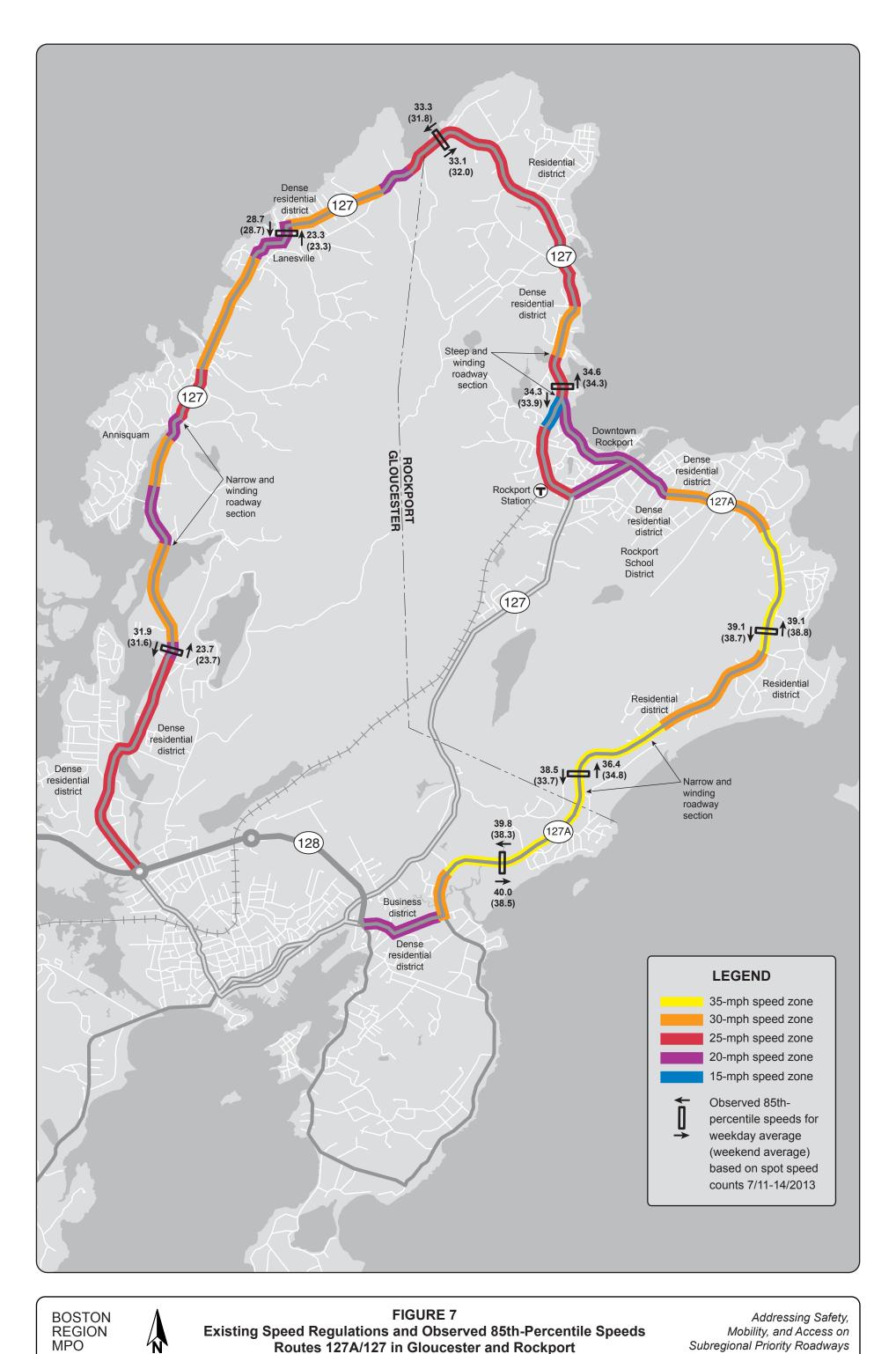
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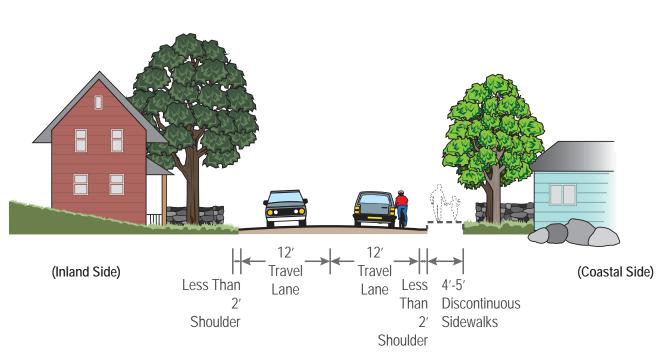
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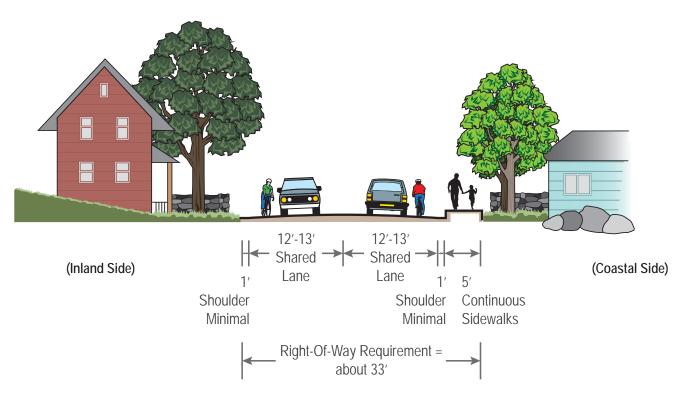
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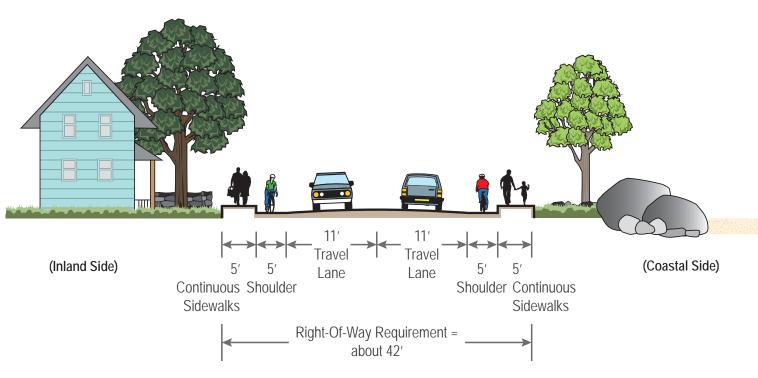




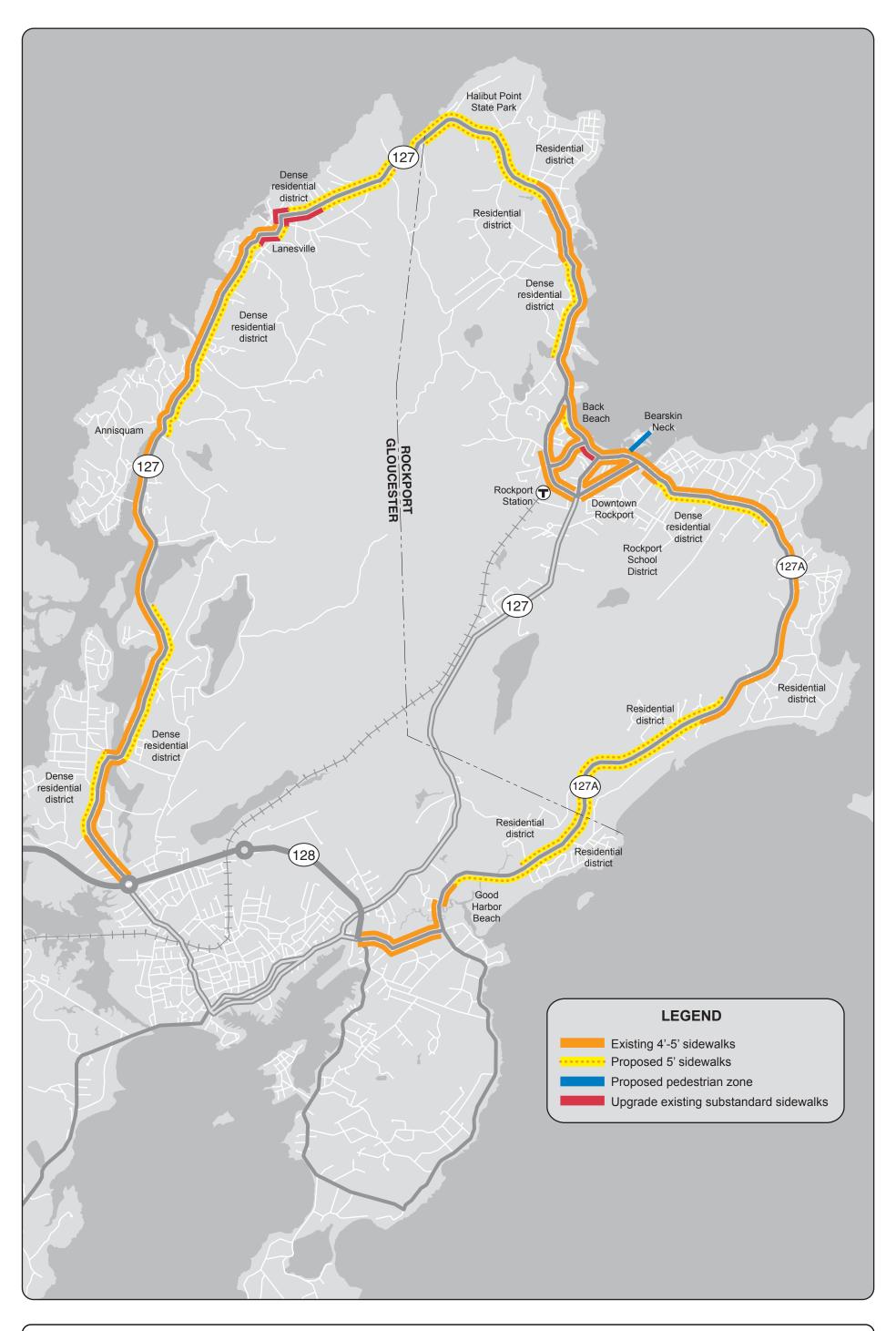
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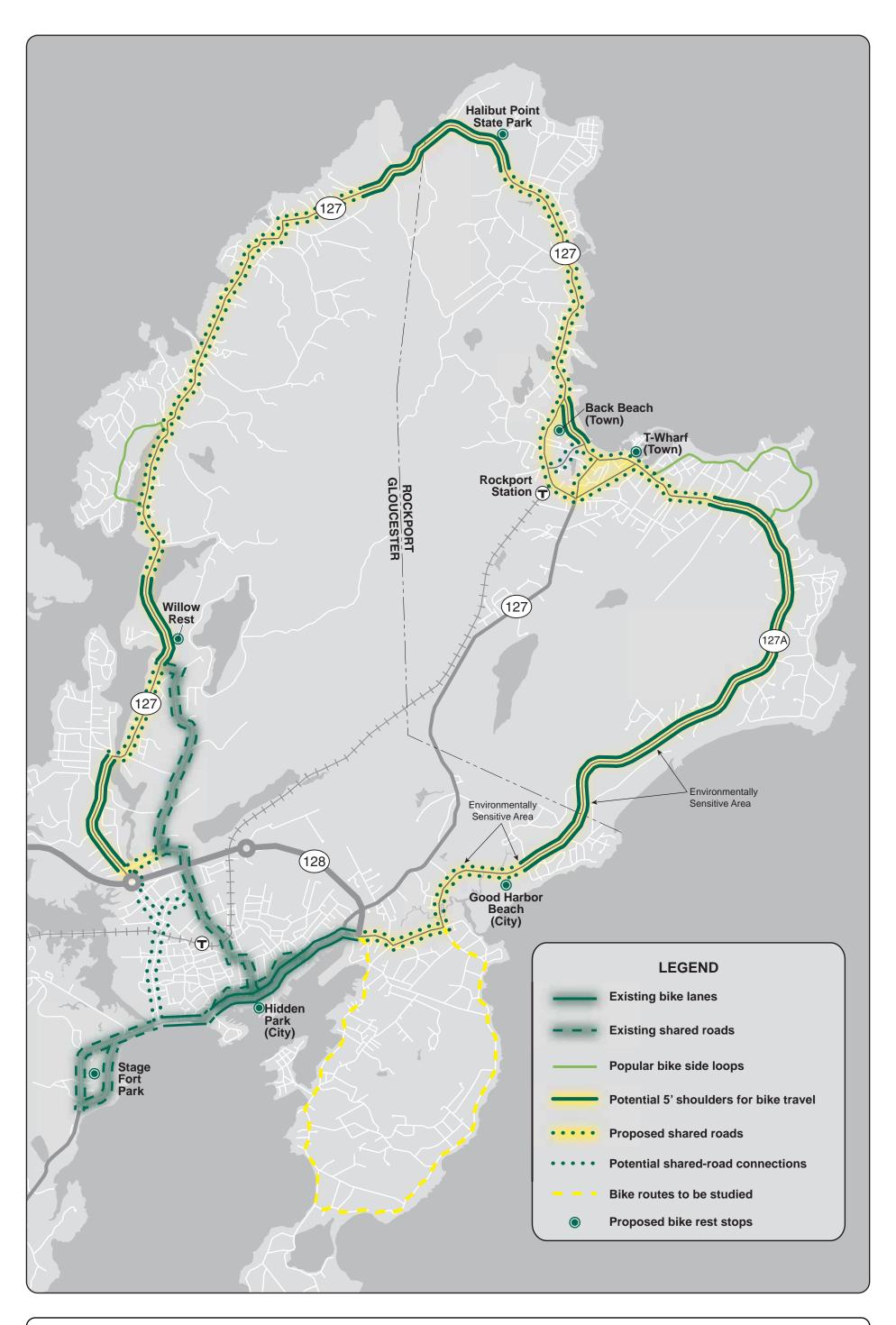
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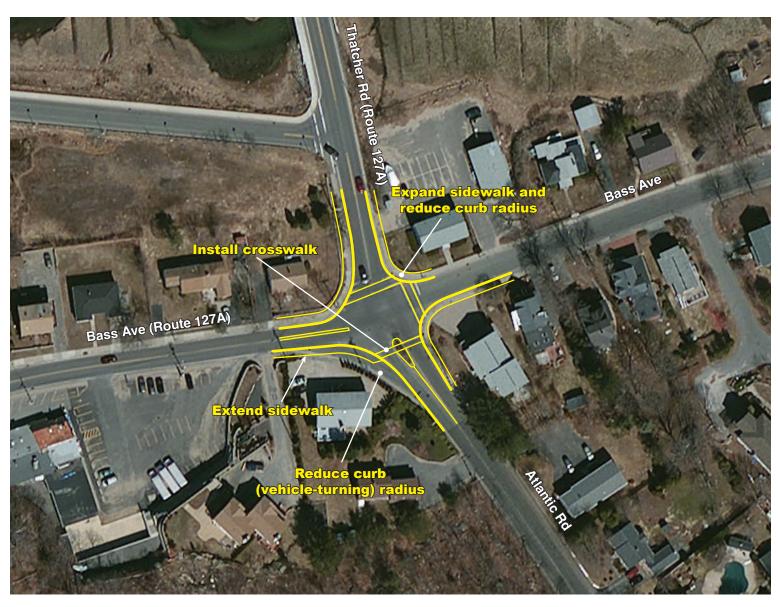


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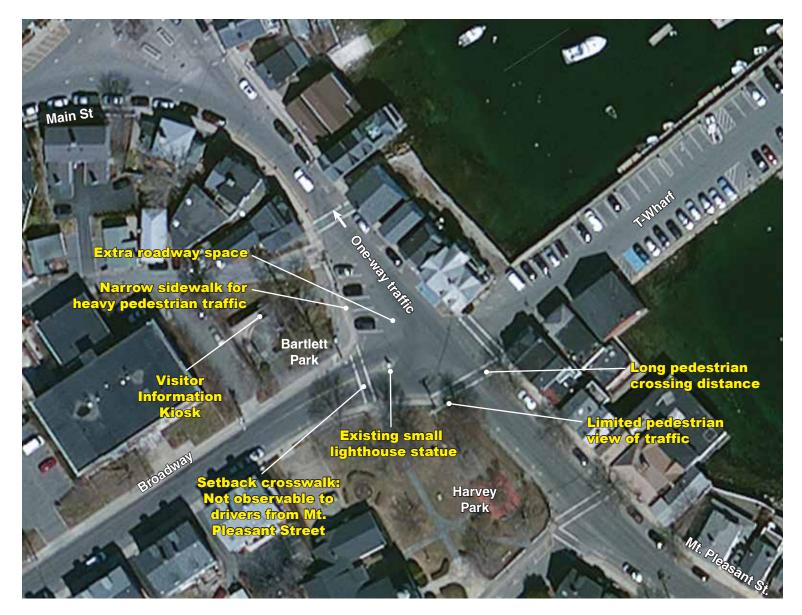




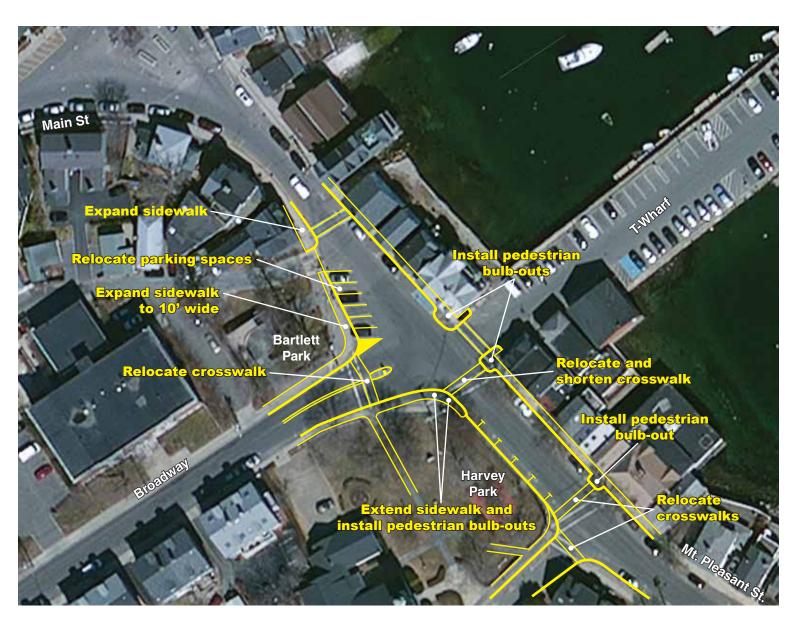
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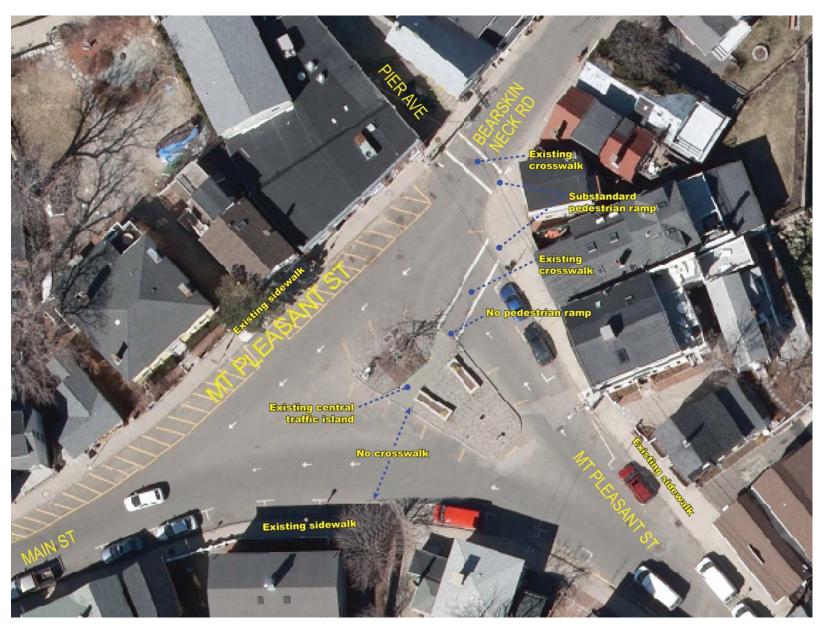
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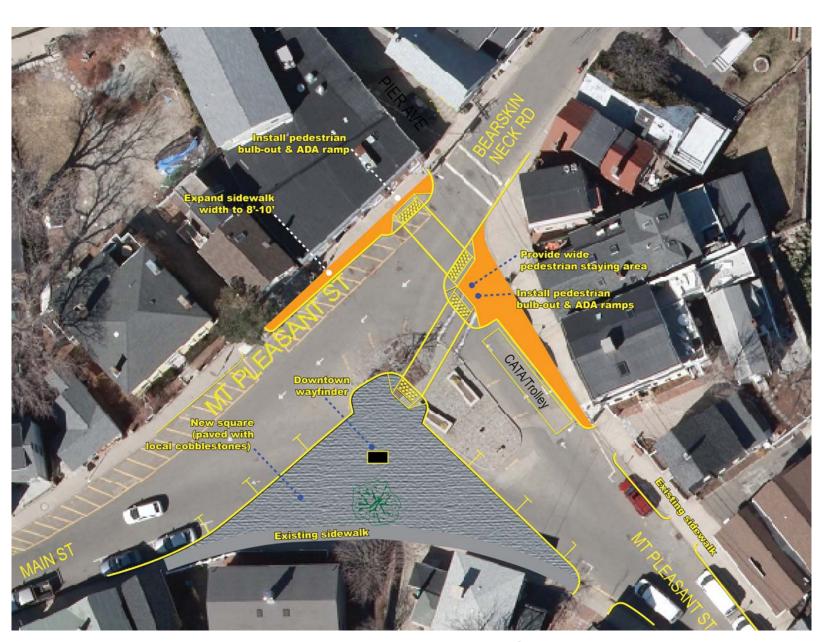
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Proposed Improvements Alternative 1: Install Crosswalks and ADA Ramps



Proposed Improvements Alternative 2: Expand Central Island and Install Crosswalks and ADA Ramps



Proposed Improvements Alternative 3: Redesign and Reconstruct the Intersection



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# APPENDIX A Essex Coastal Scenic Byway Region

Essex Coastal Scenic Byway Corridor Management Plan

Map 1: Essex Coastal Scenic Byway Region IEWBURYPOR A Essex Coastal Scenic Byway Interstate U.S. Highway State Route NEWBURY? Map created by Brown Walker Planners, Inc. Source: MassGIS ROWLEY IPSWICH ROCKPORT **ESSEX** GLOUCESTER MANCHESTER-BY-THE-SEA BEVERLY ARBLEHEA LYNN 129A SWAMPSCOTT

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#### **APPENDIX B**

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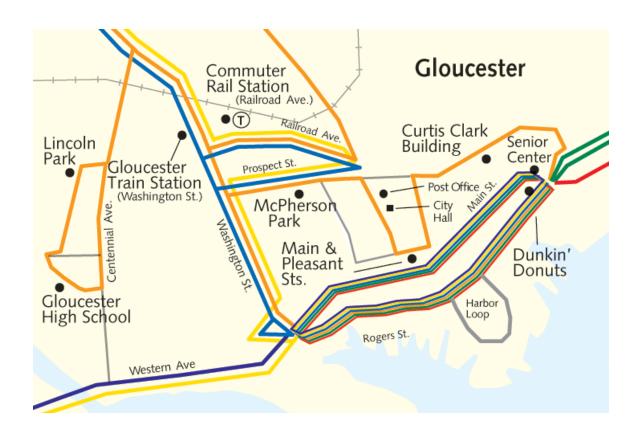
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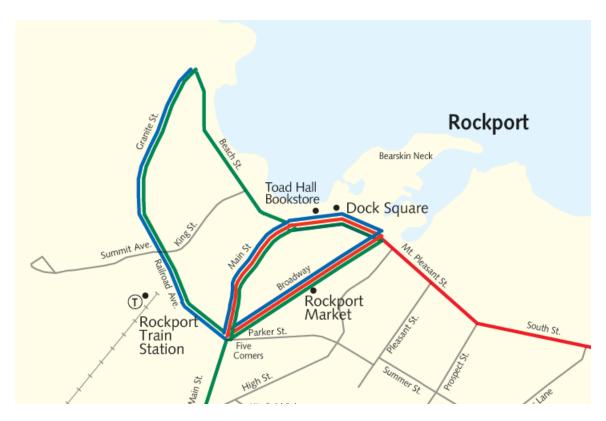
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#### **APPENDIX C**

Cape Ann Transportation Authority Bus Services in the Study Area









#### **Cape Ann Transportation Authority**

FARES	disabled									
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zone	regular	seniors*	5–12 <sup>†</sup>							
1: Gloucester	1.00	.50	1.00							
2: Rockport	1.25	.60	1.25							

West Gloucester (west of Route 128)

Magnolia (south of Western and

Hesperus Avenues)

\*A senior is anyone 60 or older. Verification of age may be required. †Children under five (5) ride free of charge.

Danvers and Peabody Malls:

round-trip	5.00	2.50	2.00
one-way	3.00	1.50	1.00

#### STUDENT PASS OPTIONS

The Unlimited Pass: An annual or semester pass that allows the holder unlimited use of the CATA system at no additional cost per ride.

The Pass Plus: An annual pass that allows the holder to ride at a reduced fare of 50 cents per trip.

Note: Student passes are not valid for Danvers and Peabody Malls.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

- For your safety, do not cross in front of the bus. Let the bus pass and look both ways before crossing street.
- No smoking, eating or drinking.
- No loud talking, noise or radios.
- Offensive behavior will not be tolerated.
   The offender will be subject to ejection from the bus.
- Pay or show pass upon boarding exact change is required.
- Appropriate dress, shirt and shoes required
- No rollerblades.
- Only caged or service animals allowed.

#### WAVE-A-BUS

Anywhere along the route, as well as at designated bus stops, passengers wishing to board the bus may wave to the driver, and the driver will stop at the first safe location. Passengers must stand on the same side of the road as the bus. During school pick-up and drop-off, Wave-A-Bus is not in effect.

#### HOLIDAYS

No bus service on Sundays or the following New Year's Day • Martin Luther King Day Presidents Day • Patriots Day Memorial Day • July 4th • Labor Day Columbus Day • Veterans Day Thanksgiving • Christmas Day

#### **SNOW EMERGENCIES**

Reports of bus service interruption due to weather or other emergencies will be broadcast on WBOQ 104.9 FM.

#### PARATRANSIT SERVICE

Special transportation services are available for elderly and disabled persons. For more information call CATA.

#### CATA INFORMATION

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#### NON DISCRIMINATION

CATA is committed to operating its transit services without regard to race, color and national origin. For further information contact CATA Administrator, 3 Pond Road, Rear, Gloucester, Mass., 978 283 1886.

Round-trip service from downtown Gloucester except ■

Rockport via East Gloucester · Rocky Neck · Back Shore

Rockport via Eastern Avenue

Blackburn Industrial Park

Gloucester Crossing & Business Express

Cruiseport Trolley

Rockport via Lanesville

Magnolia

Danvers & Peabody Malls

Beverly Shuttle

West Gloucester

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#### Key to Maps

Service to and from Rockport; West Gloucester (west of Route 128); and Magnolia (south of Western and Hesperus Avenues), is an additional zone.

To show service more clearly, geography is modified.

#### **Key to Timetables**

Gray columns are shown for readability.

Times in bus-line color indicate service that operates on school days only.

Times in bus-line color shaded columns indicate service that operates on non-school days only.

#### **Transfers**

For Travel in one direction, no additional fare is required for transfers from the Red, Red/Blue, Blue, Yellow or Purple lines to lines of another color except the Orange line. No free transfers are allowed from the Orange line (Gloucester Crossing & Business Express) to lines of another color.

For MBTA commuter rail station connections, see schedule below for Rockport, Gloucester, and West Gloucester departures and arrivals (for Beverly, see yellow line, Beverly Shuttle; for Ipswich, see purple line, Ipswich · Essex). Schedule is effective November 20, 2010. For holiday service consult MBTA printed schedule, or (and for any changes) go to:

http://mbta.com/schedules\_and\_maps/rail/lines/

MBTA: 800 392 6100 or 617 222 3200

http://www.mbta.com/

MBTA Newburyport / Rockport Commuter Rail Line

#### INBOUND ROCKPORT · NORTH STATION / BOSTON

	MO	NDAY	THR	OUG	H FR	IDAY						
Rockport	5 05	6 05	6 44	7 25	9 07	10 00	12 00	2 00	4 00	5 25	6 45	7 50 10 45
Gloucester	5 13	6 13	6 52	7 33	9 15	10 08	12 08	2 08	4 08	5 33	6 53	7 58 <b>10 53</b>
West Glou.	5 18	6 18	6 57	7 38	9 20	10 13	12 13	2 13	4 13	5 38		8 03 10 58
SATURDAY & SUNDAY												
Rockport				7 00		10 00	12 00	2 00		5 10		7 30 10 00
Gloucester				7 08		10 08	12 08	2 08		5 18		7 38 10 08
West Glou.				7 13		10 13	12 13	2 13		5 23		7 43 10 13
OUTBOUND NORTH STATION / BOSTON · ROCKPORT												

#### MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

West Glou.	8 36 9 30 11 14 1 14 3 16	4 59	5 52 6 20 7 09 <b>7 57 9 24 11 36</b>	1 02
${\sf Gloucester*}$	8 41 9 35 11 19 1 19 3 21	5 04	5 57 6 25 7 14 8 02 9 29 11 41	1 07
Rockport	8 51 9 43 11 27 1 27 3 29	5 12	6 06 6 35 7 22 8 10 9 37 11 49	1 16

#### **SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

West Glou.	 9 25 11 12 1 10 3 08	 6 25 ·	 9 23 12 22	
Gloucester	 9 30 11 17 1 15 3 13	 —— 6 30 —	 9 28 12 27	
Rockport	 9 40 11 27 1 25 3 22	 —— 6 39 —	 9 37 12 36	

<sup>\*</sup>Trains may leave ahead of schedule.

# ROCKPORT · GLOUCESTER · GHS / GHS · GLOUCESTER · ROCKPORT

AM		SCHOOL SERVICE	PM		
_		Dock Square	2 58	_	
_		South Street & Jerdens Lane	2 55	—	
		South Street & Eden Road	2 53		
		Cape Hedge Inn	2 51	—	
_		South & Frank Streets	2 50	_	
6 49		Long Beach Dairy Maid	2 47	_	
6 50		Thatcher Road & Witham Street	2 46	_	
6 50		Good Harbor Beach			
		Thatcher Road & Marina Drive	2 45		
6 53		Atlantic & Beach Roads	2 37		
6 55		Beach & Moorland Roads			
6 56		Atlantic & Moorland Roads	2 34		
6 57		Atlantic & High Popples Roads	2 33		
6 58		Atlantic & Grapevine Roads	2 32		
7 01		Niles Beach	2 29		
7 02		Eastern Point & Grapevine Roads	2 28		
7 03	7 03	East Main St. & Rocky Neck Avenue	2 27	2 38	3 06
7 05	7 05	East Gloucester Square	2 25	2 36	
	7 06	East Main & Haskell Streets			
		Bass Avenue & East Main Street	2 22	2 33	
		Bass Avenue & Hartz Street		2 32	
	7 07	Sayward Street & Bass Avenue			
	7 08	Thatcher Road & Marina Drive		2 31	
_	7 09	Thatcher Road & Barn Lane		2 30	
_		Eastern Avenue & Barn Lane		2 29	
		Eastern Avenue & Hartz Street		2 27	
_	7 11	Eastern & Harrison Avenues			
_	7 13	Eastern Avenue & Webster Street		2 26	
_		depart Dunkin' Donuts® / Rogers St.			3 00
_	7 15	arrive Dunkin' Donuts / Rogers St.	2 20		2 45
7 10		Dunkin' Donuts			
7 11		Main & Pleasant Streets			_
_		Prospect & Rogers Streets		2 23	_
7 15		Commuter Rail Station			_
7 20	7 20	GLOUCESTER HIGH SCHOOL	2 15	2 15	2 41



### GLOUCESTER · ROCKPORT via Thatcher Road

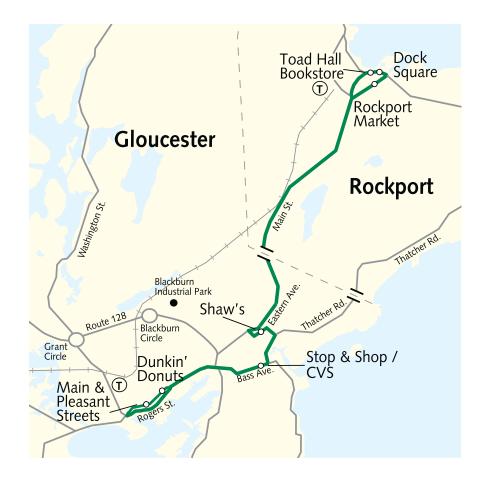
	MON	IDAY T	HROU	GH FR	IDAY			
Commuter Rail Station	_			_	_	_	5 57	6 22
ar Dunkin' Donuts / Rogers St					2 45			
dp Dunkin' Donuts / Rogers St				2 20	3 00		6 01	6 26
Dunkin' Donuts	8 25		12 25			4 20		
Main & Pleasant Streets	8 26		12 26			4 21		
E. Main St & Rocky Neck Ave	8 35		12 35	2 27	3 06	4 30	6 09	6 34
Niles Beach	8 37		12 37	2 29		4 32	6 11	6 36
Atlantic & Moorland Roads	8 40		12 40	2 34		4 35		6 39
Stop & Shop® / CVS®	8 43		12 43	2 43		4 38		
Good Harbor Beach	8 45		12 45	2 45		4 40		
Cape Hedge Inn	8 51		12 51	2 51		4 46		
arrive Dock Square	8 56		12 56	2 58		4 51		
depart Dock Square	9 00		1 00	3 00		4 51		
Toad Hall Bookstore	9 01		1 01	3 01		4 52		

	SATU	IRDAY				
Dunkin' Donuts	_	10 25	12 25	2 25		4 25
Main & Pleasant Streets		10 26	12 26	2 26		4 26
E. Main St. & Rocky Neck Ave.		10 35	12 35	2 35		4 35
Niles Beach		10 37	12 37	2 37	—	4 37
Atlantic & Moorland Roads		10 40	12 40	2 40	—	4 40
Stop & Shop / CVS		10 43	12 43	2 43		4 43
Good Harbor Beach		10 45	12 45	2 45		4 45
Cape Hedge Inn		10 51	12 51	2 51		4 51
arrive Dock Square		10 56	12 56	2 56		4 56
depart Dock Square		11 00	1 00	3 00		5 00
Toad Hall Bookstore		11 01	1 01	3 01		5 01

# ROCKPORT · GLOUCESTER via Thatcher Road

	MON	NDAY	THRO	DUGH	FRIDA'	Y	
Rockport Market	_	_	8 55	10 55	12 55	2 55	4 55
Cape Hedge Inn			9 00	11 00	1 00	3 00	5 00
Good Harbor Beach		6 50	9 06	11 06	1 06	3 06	5 06
Stop & Shop / CVS			9 08	11 08	1 08	3 08	5 08
Atlantic & Moorland Roads	6 16	6 55	9 11	11 11	1 11	3 11	5 11
Niles Beach	6 19	6 58	9 14	11 14	1 14	3 14	5 14
E. Main St & Rocky Neck Ave	6 21	7 00	9 16	11 16	1 16	3 16	5 16
arrive Dunkin' Donuts	6 29	7 08	9 24	11 24	1 24	3 24	5 24
depart Dunkin Donuts	6 29	7 10	9 30	11 30	1 30	3 30	5 25
Main & Pleasant Streets	6 30	7 11	9 31	11 31	1 31	3 31	5 26
Commuter Rail Station	6 34	7 15					
Addison Gilbert Hospital	6 37						
Blackburn Industrial Park	6 42	—	—				

SATURDAY											
Rockport Market	_	_	_	10 55	12 55	2 55					
Cape Hedge Inn		—		11 00	1 00	3 00					
Good Harbor Beach		—		11 06	1 06	3 06					
Stop & Shop / CVS		—		11 08	1 08	3 08					
Atlantic & Moorland Roads		—		11 11	1 11	3 11					
Niles Beach		—		11 14	1 14	3 14					
E. Main St & Rocky Neck Ave		—		11 16	1 16	3 16					
arrive Dunkin' Donuts		—		11 24	1 24	3 24					
depart Dunkin' Donuts		—		11 30	1 30	3 30					
Main & Pleasant Streets		—		11 31	1 31	3 31					





#### GLOUCESTER · ROCKPORT via Eastern Avenue

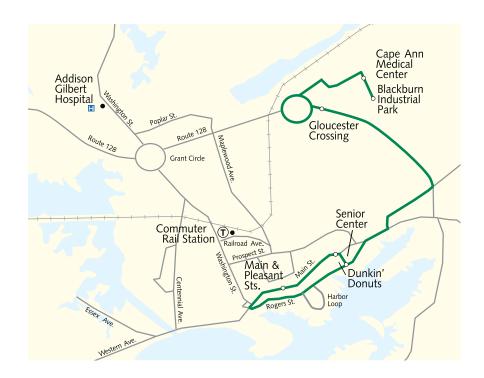
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY											
Dunkin' Donuts	7 30	8 30	9 30	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	_	_	5 20	
Main & Pleasant Sts.	7 31	8 31	9 31	10 31	11 31	12 31	1 31			5 21	
Stop & Shop / CVS	7 40	8 40	9 40	10 40	11 40	12 40	1 40			5 30	
Shaw's Supermarket	7 41	8 41	9 41	10 41	11 41	12 41	1 41			5 31	
arr Rockport Market	7 47	8 47	9 47	10 47	11 47	12 47	1 47			5 37	
dp Rockport Market	7 50	8 55	9 50	10 55	11 50	12 55	1 50			5 40	
Dock Sq/Toad Hall Bks	t 7 51		9 51		11 51		1 51			5 41	

SATURDAY											
Dunkin' Donuts	_	_	9 30	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	2 30	3 30		
Main & Pleasant Sts.			9 31	10 31	11 31	12 31	1 31	2 31	3 31		
Stop & Shop / CVS			9 40	10 40	11 40	12 40	1 40	2 40	3 40		
Shaw's Supermarket			9 41	10 41	11 41	12 41	1 41	2 41	3 41		
ar Rockport Market			9 47	10 47	11 47	12 47	1 47	2 47	3 47		
dp Rockport Market		_	9 55	10 55	11 55	12 55	1 55	2 55	3 55		
Dock Sq/Toad Hall Bkst	: —		9 56		11 56		1 56		3 56		

# ROCKPORT · GLOUCESTER via Eastern Avenue

	MON	NDAY	THRO	UGH F	RIDAY						
Rockport Market	7 55	_	10 00	_	12 00	_	2 00	_	4 00	4 55	5 40
Dock Square	7 56	9 00	10 01		12 01	1 00	2 01	3 00	4 01	4 56	5 41
Toad Hall Bookstore	7 56	9 01	10 01		12 01	1 01	2 01	3 01	4 01	4 56	5 41
Commuter Rail Sta.							_		_		5 57
Shaw's Supermarket	8 04	9 09	10 09		12 09	1 09	2 09	3 09	4 09	5 04	
Stop & Shop / CVS	8 05	9 10	10 10		12 10	1 10	2 10	3 10	4 10	5 05	
Blackburn Ind. Park						_	_		_	5 11	
arr Dunkin' Donuts	8 10	9 15	10 15		12 15	1 15	2 15	3 15	4 15	5 16	
dep Dunkin' Donuts	8 10	9 25	10 25		12 25	1 20	2 20	3 20	4 20	5 20	
Main & Pleasant Sts.	8 11	9 26	10 26		12 26	1 21	2 21	3 21	4 21	5 21	

	SATU	JRDA	Y							
Rockport Market		_	10 00	_	12 00	_	2 00	_	4 00	
Dock Square			10 01	11 00	12 01	1 00	2 01	3 00	4 01	5 00
Toad Hall Bookstore		_	10 01	11 01	12 01	1 01	2 01	3 01	4 01	5 01
Shaw's Supermarket			10 09	11 09	12 09	1 09	2 09	3 09	4 09	5 09
Stop & Shop / CVS			10 10	11 10	12 10	1 10	2 10	3 10	4 10	5 10
arr Dunkin' Donuts			10 15	11 15	12 15	1 15	2 15	3 15	4 15	5 15
dep Dunkin' Donuts			10 25	11 25	12 25	1 20	2 25	3 25	4 25	5 20
Main & Pleasant Sts.			10 26	11 26	12 26	1 21	2 26	3 26	4 26	5 21



# GLOUCESTER · Blackburn Industrial Park

	MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
Dunkin' Donuts	6 29
Main & Pleasant Sts.	6 30
Commuter Rail Sta.	6 34
Addison Gilbert Hosp.	637
Blackburn Ind. Park	6 42

Additional service via Gloucester Crossing & Business Express, **on request**, see below and/or orange-line timetable:

# via Business Express · Blackburn Industrial Park

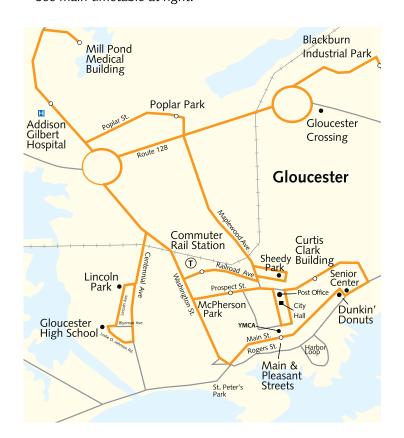
BLACKBURN ON REQUEST: MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY											
			10 00		12 00						
Main & Pleasant Sts. —											
ar Gloucester Crossing —	8 16	9 16	10 16	11 16	12 16	1 16	2 16	3 16	4 16	5 16	
dp Gloucester Crossing —	8 21	9 21	10 21	11 21	12 21	1 21	2 21	3 21	4 21	5 21	
Blackburn (on request) —	8 24	9 24	10 24	11 24	12 24	1 24	2 24	3 24	4 24	5 24	

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ΑМ			SCHOOL SERVICE	PM
	7 32	7 33	O'MALEY MIDDLE SCHOOL*	2 15
6:58		_ ′	Washington & Poplar Streets	
6 59		_	Poplar St. & Maplewood Avenue	—
7 00		_	Maplewood & Gloucester Avenues	2 19
7 01		7 31	Maplewood Avenue & Grove St.	2 20
7 02		7 30	Maplewood Ave. & Cleveland St.	2 21
7 04	7 25		McDonald's®	2 22
	_		Commuter Rail Station	2 23
7 06		_	Maplewood Avenue & Prospect St.	
	_	7 26	McPherson Park	—
	_	7 25	Washington & Prospect Streets	2 25
		7 24	Commuter Rail Station	
	_	_	McPherson Park	2 26
7 07	_	7 22	Prospect & Pleasant Streets	2 27
7 08		7 21	Prospect & Warner Streets	2 28
7 09	_		Destino's	2 29
7 10	_	7 19	Dunkin' Donuts / Rogers Street	
		_	Dunkin' Donuts	2 30
7 15	_	_	GLOUCESTER HIGH SCHOOL*	

<sup>\*</sup>Additional stops hourly at Mill Pond Medical Building at 2:27, 3:27 and 4:27 p.m.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Additional service hourly from 8:07 a.m. until 5:07 p.m. See main timetable at right.



	MON	IDAY	THRO	JGH FF	RIDAY					
Dunkin' Donuts	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	1 00	2 00	3 00	4 00	5 00
Main & Pleasant Streets	8 01	9 01	10 01	11 01	12 01	1 01	2 01	3 01	4 01	5 01
Lincoln Park	8 06	9 06	10 06	11 06	12 06	1 06	2 06	3 06	4 06	5 06
GLOU. HIGH SCHOOL	8 07	9 07	10 07	11 07	12 07	1 07	2 07	3 07	4 07	5 07
arr Gloucester Crossing	8 16	9 16	10 16	11 16	12 16	1 16	2 16	3 16	4 16	5 16
dep Glou. Crossing	8 21	9 21	10 21	11 21	12 21	1 21	2 21	3 21	4 21	5 21
Blackburn (on request)	8 24	9 24	10 24	11 24	12 24	1 24	2 24	3 24	4 24	5 24
Mill Pond Medical Bldg.	8 27	9 27	10 27	11 27	12 27	1 27	2 27	3 27	4 27	5 27
Addison Gilbert Hosp.	8 29	9 29	10 29	11 29	12 29	1 29	2 29	3 29	4 29	5 29
Poplar Park	8 31	9 31	10 31	11 31	12 31	1 31	2 31	3 31	4 31	5 31
Sheedy Park	8 37	9 37	10 37	11 37	12 37	1 37	2 37	3 37	4 37	5 37
Commuter Rail Station	8 41	9 41	10 41	11 41	12 41	1 41	2 41	3 41	4 41	5 41
McPherson Park	8 43	9 43	10 43	11 43	12 43	1 43	2 43	3 43	4 43	
Post Office / City Hall	8 44	9 44	10 44	11 44	12 44	1 44	2 44	3 44	4 44	
YMCA Dale Ave & Middle St	. 8 45	9 45	10 45	11 45	12 45	1 45	2 45	3 45	4 45	
Curtis B. Clark Building	8 48	9 48	10 48	11 48	12 48	1 48	2 48	3 48	4 48	
Dunkin' Donuts/Sr. Ctr.	8 50	9 50	10 50	11 50	12 50	1 50	2 50	3 50	4 50	

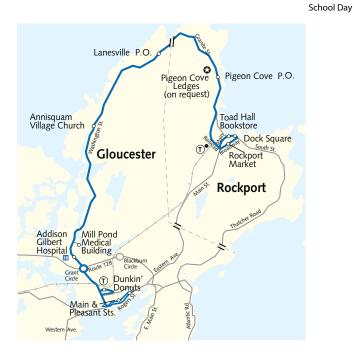
SATURDAY												
Dunkin' Donuts		9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	1 00	2 00	3 00				
Main & Pleasant Streets		9 01	10 01	11 01	12 01	1 01	2 01	3 01				
Lincoln Park		9 06	10 06	11 06	12 06	1 06	2 06	3 06				
GLOU. HIGH SCHOOL		9 07	10 07	11 07	12 07	1 07	2 07	3 07				
arr Gloucester Crossing		9 16	10 16	11 16	12 16	1 16	2 16	3 16				
depart Glou. Crossing		9 21	10 21	11 21	12 21	1 21	2 21	3 21				
Mill Pond Medical Bldg.		9 27	10 27	11 27	12 27	1 27	2 27	3 27				
Addison Gilbert Hosp.		9 29	10 29	11 29	12 29	1 29	2 29	3 29				
Poplar Park		9 31	10 31	11 31	12 31	1 31	2 31	3 31				
Sheedy Park		9 37	10 37	11 37	12 37	1 37	2 37	3 37				
Commuter Rail Station		9 41	10 41	11 41	12 41	1 41	2 41	3 41				
McPherson Park		9 43	10 43	11 43	12 43	1 43	2 43	3 43				
Post Office / City Hall	—	9 44	10 44	11 44	12 44	1 44	2 44	3 44				
YMCA Dale Ave & Middle St.		9 45	10 45	11 45	12 45	1 45	2 45	3 45				
Curtis B. Clark Building		9 48	10 48	11 48	12 48	1 48	2 48	3 48				
Dunkin' Donuts/Sr. Ctr.		9 50	10 50	11 50	12 50	1 50	2 50	3 50				

**Cruiseship Trolley Route** Seasonal - April through October Frequency: every 15 minutes (see map supplement)

Cruiseport Gloucester Main & Pleasant Streets Main & Hancock Streets Washington & Rogers Streets Middle Street & Western Avenue Rogers & Hancock Streets Rogers Street & Harbor Loop Cruiseport Gloucester

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AM			SCHOOL SERVICE	PM			
_	_		Dock Sq. / Toad Hall Bookstore			3 01	4 01
6 45	_		Rockport Market	2 46		3 00	4 00
6 46			Dock Sq. / Toad Hall Bookstore				—
6 49	—		Commuter Rail Station	2 43	_	2 57	3 58
6 52			Pigeon Cove Post Office	2 40		2 54	3 55
6 55			Washington & Woodbury Streets	2 37	2 39		3 53
6 56	—		Langsford St. & Rockwood Lane				
6 57	—		Langsford St. & Norseman Ave.				
			Washington St. & Munsey Lane	2 35			
			Langsford & Andrews Streets		2 37		3 51
6 58			Lanesville Post Office	2 33		2 48	3 51
7 00	—		Bay View Fire Station	2 30	2 34		3 48
	6 58		Washington & Colburn Streets				
	7 00		Washington & Revere Streets				
7 02	7 02		Annisquam Village Church	2 29	2 33	2 44	3 47
7 03			Annisquam Wooden Bridge	2 28	2 32		3 46
7 04			Washington & Dennison Streets	2 26	2 30		3 44
	7 05		Willow Rest	2 25	2 29		3 43
		7:21	Centennial & Commonwealth Av				
		7:23	Centennial Ave. & Exchange St.				
		7 24	Washington & Grove Streets				
		7 25	Washington St. & Madison Ave.				
		7 25	Washington St & Gloucester Ave				
	7 06	7 29	Washington & Stanwood Streets			2 41	
		7 29	Stanwood Street & Gee Avenue		2 28		3 42
	7 07		Gee Avenue & Cherry Street			2 40	
	7 08		Cherry Street & Cherry Hill Road		2 27	2 39	3 41
	7 09	7 31	Cherry Street & Finch Lane		2 26	2 38	3 40
	7 11		Cherry & Reynard Streets		2 24	2 36	3 39
		7 33	O'MALEY MIDDLE SCHOOL			2 32	
7 08			Washington & Hodgkins Streets				
7 09			Washington & Wheeler Streets	2 22	2 22	2 29	3 36
7 10			Addison Gilbert Hospital	2 21	2 21	2 28	3 35
7 11			Washington & Poplar Streets	2 20	2 20		3 34
7 13			Commuter Rail Station				
7 18	7 18		GLOUCESTER HIGH SCHOOL	2 15	2 15		3 30
			Commuter Rail Station		—	2 25	3 25
	—		Main & Pleasant Streets			2 21	3 21
7 23	—		arrive Dunkin' Donuts				
7 25	—		depart Dunkin' Donuts			2 20	3 20
7 26			Main & Pleasant Streets				



# Rockport via Lanesville

## GLOUCESTER · ROCKPORT via Lanesville

MONDAY	THRO	UGH F	RIDAY	,	NON-S	CHOOL				
Dunkin' Donuts	7 25	9 25	11 25	1 20	2 20	3 30	4 25	5 25	_	
Main & Pleasant Streets	7 26	9 26	11 26	1 21	2 21	3 31	4 26	5 26		
Commuter Rail Station	7 30	9 30	11 30	1 25	2 25	3 35	4 30	5 30	5 57	6 22
Addison Gilbert Hospital	7 33	9 33	11 33	1 28	2 28	3 38	4 33	5 33	6 00	6 25
Annisquam Village Church	7 39	9 39	11 39	1 34	2 34	3 44	4 39	5 39	6 06	6 31
Lanesville Post Office	7 42	9 42	11 42	1 37	2 37	3 47	4 42	5 42	6 09	6 34
Pigeon Cove Post Office	7 48	9 48	11 48	1 43	2 43	3 53	4 48	5 48	6 15	6 40
Commuter Rail Station	7 51	9 51	11 51	1 46	2 46	3 56	4 51	5 51	6 18	6 43
arrive Rockport Market	7 54	9 54	11 54	1 49	2 49	3 59	4 54	5 54	6 21	6 46
depart Rockport Market	7 55	10 00	12 00	2 00	2 49	4 00	4 55	5 55	6 21	6 46
Dock Square	7 56	10 01	12 01	2 01	2 50	4 01	4 56	5 56	6 22	6 47
Toad Hall Bookstore	7 56	10 01	12 01	2 01	2 50	4 01	4 56	5 56	6 22	6 47

	SATU	JRDAY				
Dunkin' Donuts		9 30	11 25	1 25	 3 25	 5 20
Main & Pleasant Streets		9 31	11 26	1 26	 3 26	 5 21
Commuter Rail Station		9 35	11 30	1 30	 3 30	 5 25
Addison Gilbert Hospital		9 38	11 33	1 33	 3 33	 5 28
Annisquam Village Church		9 44	11 39	1 39	 3 39	 5 34
Lanesville Post Office		9 47	11 42	1 42	 3 42	 5 37
Pigeon Cove Post Office		9 53	11 48	1 48	 3 48	 5 43
Commuter Rail Station		9 56	11 51	1 51	 3 51	 5 46
arrive Rockport Market		9 59	11 54	1 54	 3 54	 5 49
depart Rockport Market		10 00	12 00	2 00	 4 00	 5 49
Dock Square		10 01	12 01	2 01	 4 01	 5 50
Toad Hall Bookstore		10 01	12 01	2 01	 4 01	 5 50

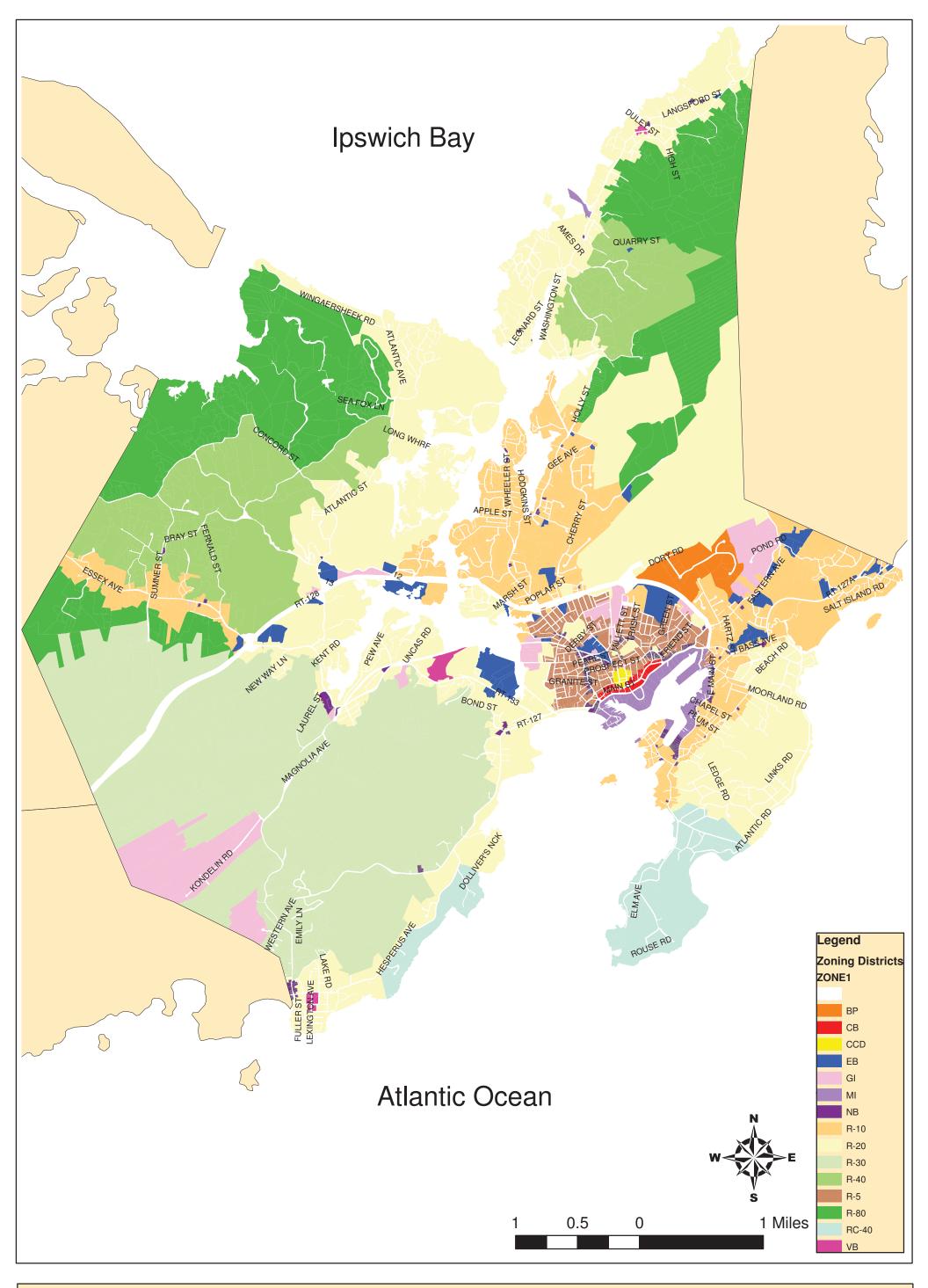
## ROCKPORT · GLOUCESTER via Lanesville

MONDAY THROUGH FRI	DAY	NON - SCHOOL					
Rockport Market	6 20	6 45	7 50	9 50	11 50	1 50	 5 55
Dock Square	6 21	6 46	7 51	9 51	11 51	1 51	 5 56
Toad Hall Bookstore	6 21	6 46	7 51	9 51	11 51	1 51	 5 56
Commuter Rail Station	6 24	6 49	7 54	9 54	11 54	1 54	 5 59
Pigeon Cove Post Office	6 27	6 52	7 57	9 57	11 57	1 57	 6 02
Lanesville Post Office	6 33	6 58	8 03	10 03	12 03	2 03	 6 08
Annisquam Village Church	6 36	7 01	8 06	10 06	12 06	2 06	 6 11
Addison Gilbert Hospital	6 42	7 07	8 12	10 12	12 12	2 12	 6 17
Commuter Rail Station	6 45	7 10	8 15	10 15	12 15	2 15	 6 22
Dunkin' Donuts/Rogers St							 6 26
arrive Dunkin' Donuts		7 15	8 20	10 20	12 20	2 20	
depart Dunkin' Donuts		7 25	8 30	10 30	12 30		
Main & Pleasant Streets		7 26	8 31	10 31	12 31		

SATURDAY							
Rockport Market			8 25	9 55	11 55	1 55	3 55
Dock Square			8 26	9 56	11 56	1 56	3 56
Toad Hall Bookstore			8 26	9 56	11 56	1 56	3 56
Commuter Rail Station			8 29	9 56	11 56	1 56	3 56
Pigeon Cove Post Office			8 32	9 59	11 59	1 59	3 59
Lanesville Post Office			8 38	10 02	12 02	2 02	4 02
Annisquam Village Church			8 41	10 11	12 11	2 11	4 11
Addison Gilbert Hospital			8 47	10 17	12 17	2 17	4 17
Commuter Rail Station			8 50	10 20	12 20	2 20	4 20
arrive Dunkin' Donuts			8 55	10 25	12 25	2 25	4 25
depart Dunkin' Donuts			9 00	10 30		2 30	4 30
Main & Pleasant Streets			9 01	10 31		2 31	4 31

### **APPENDIX D**

Zoning Map City of Gloucester



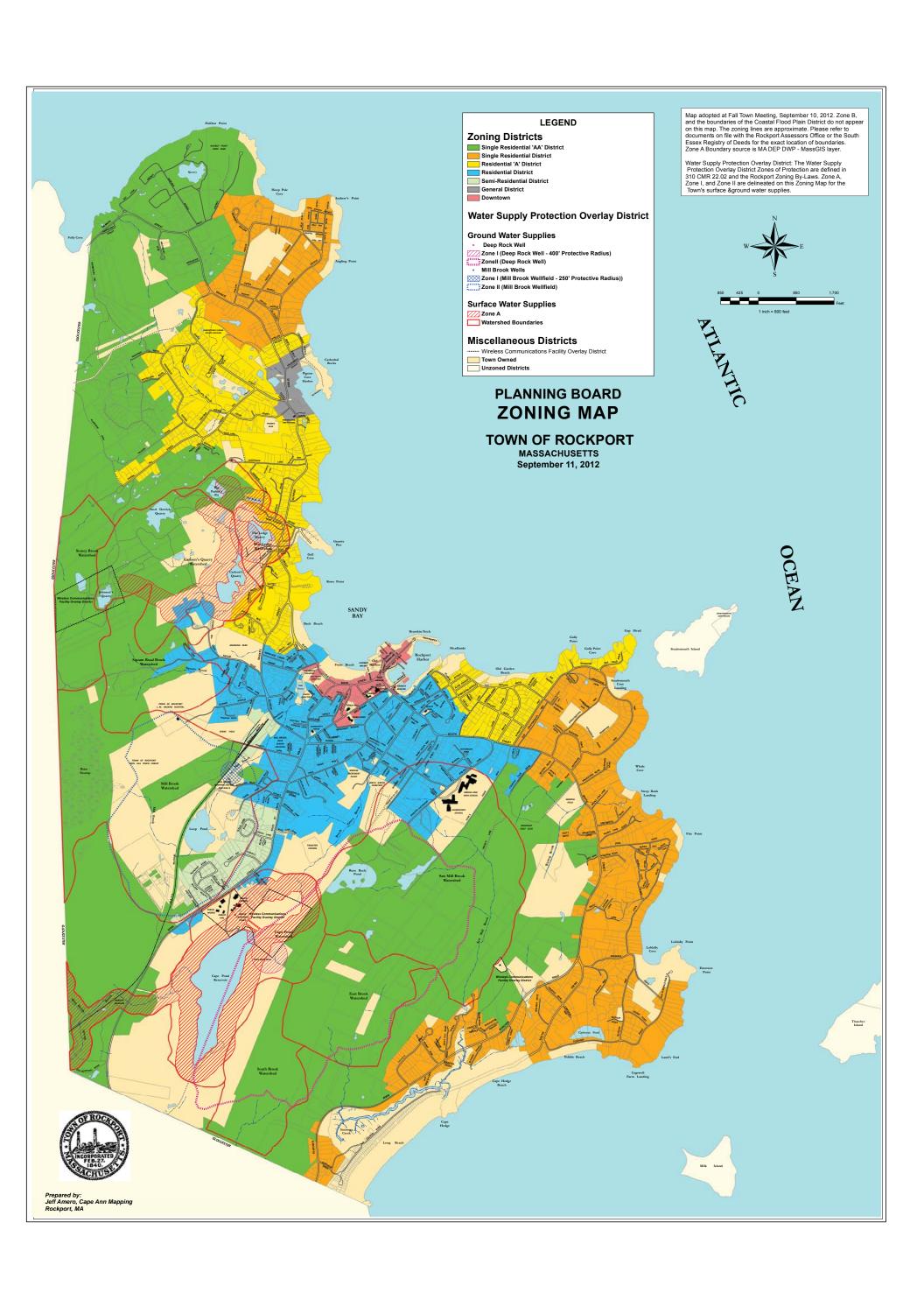


**Zoning Map** 

Figure 7

### **APPENDIX E**

Zoning Map Town of Rockport



#### **APPENDIX F**

# Cape Ann Trail Map Metropolitan Area Planning Council

# **Cape Ann** Trail Map

Regional facilities

Regional Greenway (proposed)

Proposed Existing Shared-use paths Improved path Unimproved path Bicycle facilities (on-road) Cycle track

Bike lane

Shared lane

Walking facilities Walking path or trail Water facilities

Proposed Existing

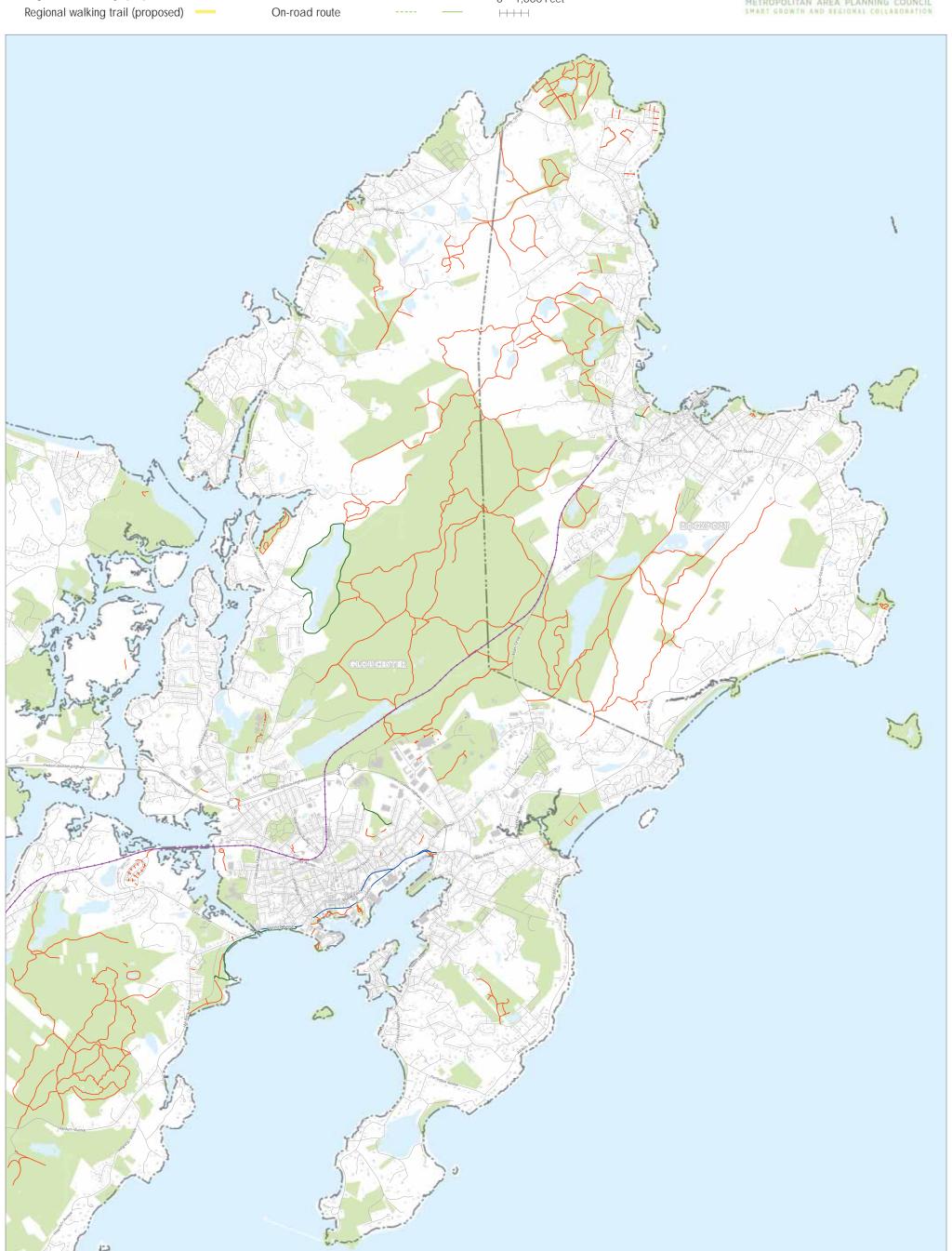
Water trail

0 1,000 Feet ++++

Fairmount Greenway Building Municipal boundary Water body Open space

Data Sources: MAPC, MassGIS, MassDOT January, 2014

MAPC 50 YEARS



#### **APPENDIX G**

**Average Weekday and Summer Weekend Day Traffic Volume Estimates** 

#### STA 1: Route 127A (Bass Ave) W. of Atlantic Rd

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr		
NB	4423	4000	320	0.08		
SB	4904	4400	360	0.08		
Sum	9327	8400	680	0.08		

Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic

	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	4599	5478	5000	370	0.07
SB	5206	5608	5400	515	0.10
Sum	9805	11086	10400	885	0.09

Summer Weekend /Average Weekday						
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic					
125%	116%					
123%	143%					
124%	130%					

#### STA 2: Route 127A (Thatcher Rd) W. of Bass Ave

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	4550	4100	370	0.09
SB	4610	4200	370	0.09
Sum	9160	8300	740	0.09

#### Average Summer

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r Weekend Day Traffic								
13 Sat 7/14 Sun Average Peak Hour PH/24-Hr								
4994	5304	5100	550	0.11				
4908	5275	5100	410	0.08				
0002	10570	10200	060	0.00				

9300

9800

19100

Average

#### Summer Weekend / Average Weekday Daily Traffic Peak Hour Traffic 124% 149%

111% 130%

159% 148%

121%

209%

199%

#### STA 3: Route 127A(Thatcher Rd) at Good Harbor Beach

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	5410	4900	470	0.10
SB	5185	4700	440	0.09
Sum	10595	9600	910	0.09

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic 7/13 Sat

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7/14 Sun

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Summer Weekend /Average Weekday					
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic				
190%	138%				

#### STA 4: Route 127A (Thatcher Rd) N. of Glenmere Rd

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted Peak-Hour		PH/24-Hr	
NB	2850	2600	250	0.10	
SB	2327	2100	150	0.07	
Sum	5177	4700	400	0.09	

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic

Summer Weekend /Average Weekday						
	Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic				
	123%	116%				
	129%	133%				

	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr	
NB	3381	3097	3200	290	0.09	
SB	2689	2634	2700	200	0.07	
Sum	6070	5731	5900	490	0.08	

	Peak Hour Traffic
123%	116%
129%	133%
126%	123%
	123% 129%

#### STA 5: Route 127A (Thatcher Rd) S. of Oakes Lane

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	2653	2400	210	0.09
SB	2512	2300	170	0.07
Sum	5165	4700	380	0.08

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic

Summer Weekend /Average Weekday					
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic				
121%	119%				
109%	141%				
115%	129%				

	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	2969	2868	2900	250	0.09
SB	2420	2555	2500	240	0.10
Sum	5389	5423	5400	490	0.09

STA 6: Route 127	(Main St) S. of	Parker St
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Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	6688	6000	510	0.09
SB	6784	6100	420	0.07
Sum	13472	12100	930	0.08
	•			

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic 7/13 Sat

7012

6674 13686

2904

7522

10426

2157

7125

9282

	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr	Daily Traffic
2	6254	6600	570	0.09	
4	6315	6500	510	0.08	
6	12569	13100	1080	0.08	

240

700

940

PH/24-Hr

Peak Hour

Peak Hour PH/24-Hr

0.07

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0.07

650

700

1350

## Summer Weekend / Average Weekday

Daily Traffic		Peak Hour Traffic
	110%	112%
	107%	121%
	108%	116%

#### STA 7: Route 127 (Broadway) N. of School St

Average Weekday Traffic

		Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB		2637	2400	170	0.07
SB		5028	4500	370	0.08
Sun	1	7665	6900	540	0.08

Average Sum	mer	Weeken	d Day Traffic
	7/13	Sat	7/14 Sun

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Hr		Daily Traffic	F
0.09		108%	
0.10		162%	
0.09		143%	

Summer Weekend /Average Weekday				
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic			
108%	141%			
162%	189%			
143%	174%			

#### STA 8: Route 127 (Mt. Pleasant St) S. of Broadway

Average Weekday Traffic

		Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
Ν	В	3994	3600	280	0.08
SI	В	2948	2700	210	0.08
Sı	um	6942	6300	490	0.08

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic

	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	4815	4478	4700	410	0.09
SB	3543	3446	3500	340	0.10
Sum	8358	7924	8200	750	0.09

Average

2600

7300

9900

Summer Weekend /Average Weekday				
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic			
131%	146%			
130%	162%			
130%	153%			

#### STA 9: Main St E. of Beach St (One-way WB only)

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
WB	2211	2000	170	0.09

#### Ave

erage Summer Weekend Day Traffic							
	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr		
	2692	3082	2900	270	0.09		

Summer Weekend / Average Weekday				
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic			
145%	159%			

#### STA 10: Beach St E. of Route 127 (Granite St)

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Aajustea	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	1703	1500	140	0.09
SB	643	600	50	0.08
Sum	2346	2100	190	0.09

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traf 7/13 Sat 7/14 Sun

1935

834

2769

affic				
	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr	
218	2100	180	0.09	

Peak Hour

170

180

350

PH/24-Hr

0.09

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900

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2000

3800

Summer weekend /Average weekday				
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic			
140%	129%			
150%	160%			
143%	137%			

#### STA 11: Route 127 (Granite St) N. of Beach St

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	4113	3700	350	0.09
SB	3911	3500	280	0.08
Sum	8024	7200	630	0.09

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic

Daily Traffic		Peak Hour Traffic
	140%	129%
	150%	160%
	143%	137%
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	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	4366	4327	4300	360	0.08
SB	4153	3981	4100	320	0.08
Sum	8519	8308	8400	680	0.08

1773

2069

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1063 3281

## Summer Weekend / Average Weekday

Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic
116%	103%
117%	114%
117%	108%

#### STA 12: Route 127 (Granite St) N. of Woodbury Hill

Average Weekday Traffic

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	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr							
NB	1501	1400	140	0.10							
SB	1639	1500	140	0.09							
Sum	3140	2900	280	0.10							

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic 7/14 Sun Average

1745

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3655

11/%	1149
117%	108%
Summer Weekend /	Average Weekday

Daily Traffic

Peak Hour Traffic

121%

129%

STA 13: Route 127 (Langsford St) S. of Andrews St Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr
NB	1634	1500	120	0.08
SB	1327	1200	110	0.09
Sum	2961	2700	230	0.09

age Summer Weekend Day Traffic										
	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr					
	1768	1808	1800	150	0.08					
	1274	1132	1500	130	0.09					
	3042	2940	3300	280	0.08					

#### 131% 125%

129%

133%

Summer Weekend /Average Weekday							
Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic						
120%	125%						
125%	118%						

#### STA 14: Route 127 (Washington St) S. of Stanwood St

Average Weekday Traffic

	Average	Adjusted	Peak-Hour	PH/24-Hr	
NB	4526	4100	280	0.07	
SB	4991	4500	420	0.09	
Sum	9517	8600	700	0.08	

	7/13 Sat   7/14 Sun		Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr		
NB	1768	1808	1800	150	0.08		
SB	1274	1132	1500	130	0.09		
Sum	3042	2940	3300	280	0.08		
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Daily Traffic		Peak Hour Traffic
	120%	125%
	125%	118%
	122%	122%

#### Average Summer Weekend Day Traffic

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	7/13 Sat	7/14 Sun	Average	Peak Hour	PH/24-Hr	Daily Traffic	Peak Hour Traffic
	4507	4275	4400	320	0.07	107%	114%
	4916	4538	4700	400	0.09	104%	95%
	9423	8813	9100	720	0.08	106%	103%

## Summer Weekend / Average Weekday

Daily Traffic		Peak Hour Traffic
	107%	114%
	104%	95%
	106%	103%

#### APPENDIX H

#### Turning Movement Counts Saturday, July 13, 2013, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Location 1
Rt127A (Thatcher Rd./Bass Ave.) at Atlantic Rd., Gloucester

Location 2 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd.) at Barn Ln., Gloucester

Location 3 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd.) at Witham St., Gloucester

Location 4
Rt127A (Mt. Pleasant St./Broadway) at T-Wharf, Rockport

Location 5
Dock Square (Mt. Pleasant St. at Main St.), Rockport

Location 6: Route 127 (Washington St.) at Stanwood St., Gloucester

# Massachusetts Department of Transportation Highway Division Statewide Traffic Data Collection

Gloucester

Bass Ave. @ Thatcher & Atlantic Rds.

Counted by Miovision S13-037 TMC # 1

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Start Date : 7/13/2013 Page No : 1

Groups Printed- Car - Truck

	Route	127A T		r Road			Avenue	s r mileu-	Oui II	Atlant	ic Road		Rout	e 127A		venue	
		From				From	East			From	South			From	West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	39	21	8	68	0	1	0	1	2	24	31	57	16	27	36	79	205
10:15 AM	42	21	8	71	1	2	0	3	4	35	40	79	10	18	39	67	220
10:30 AM	38	31.	14	83	0	0	1	1	8	33	31	72	13	17	47	77	233
10:45 AM	52	30	7	89	1	1	0	2	4	27	31	62	22	19	47	88	241
Total	171	103	37	311	2	4	1	7	18	119	133	270	61	81	169	311	899
11:00 AM	47	23	17	87	0	1	0	1	3	30	31	64	17	29	50	96	248
11:15 AM	50	19	8	77	2	0	0	2	7	30	52	89	15	23	55	93	261
11:30 AM	33	36	16	85	4	2	0	6	3	43	33	79	20	23	53	96	266
11:45 AM	49	21	13	83	4	2	0	6	3	45	28	76	22	35	51	108	273
Total	179	99	54	332	10	5	0	15	16	148	144	308	74	110	209	393	1048
12:00 PM	46	24	16	86	1	0	0	1	14	36	32	82	23	31	43	97	266
12:15 PM	39	18	12	69	0	0	1	1	10	33	50	93	19	26	38	83	246
12:30 PM	39	25	9	73	1	1	0	2	4	28	28	60	23	30	45	98	233
12:45 PM	30	22	10	62	0	2	0	2	6	48	22	76	18	35	68	121	261
Total	154	89	47	290	2	3	1	6	34	145	132	311	83	122	194	399	1006
01:00 PM	50	29	11	90	0	0	0	0	5	27	29	61	17	31	54	102	253
01:15 PM	57	20	16	93	0	0	0	0	7	40	31	78	22	27	56	105	276
01:30 PM	41	22	10	73	2	3	0	5	8	37	24	69	25	21	52	98	245
01:45 PM	52	19	7	78	1_	2	0	3	6	48	37	91	18	28	45	91	263
Total	200	90	44	334	3	5	0	8	26	152	121	299	82	107	207	396	1037
Grand Total	704	381	182	1267	17	17	2	36	94	564	530	1188	300	420	779	1499	3990
Apprch %	55.6	30.1	14.4		47.2	47.2	5.6		7.9	47.5	44.6		20	28	52		
Total %	17.6	9.5	4.6	31.8	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.9	2.4	14.1	13.3	29.8	7.5	10.5	19.5	37.6	
Car	692	379	178	1249	17	17	2	36	94	557	526	1177	298	415	771	1484	3946
% Car	98.3	99.5	97.8	98.6	100	100	100	100	100	98.8	99.2	99.1	99.3	98.8	99	99	98.9
Truck	12	2	4	18	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	11	2	5	8	15	44
% Truck	1.7	0.5	2.2	1.4	0	0	0	0	0	1.2	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.2	1	1	1.1

# Massachusetts Department of Transportation

**Highway Division**Statewide Traffic Data Collection

Gloucester

Thatcher Rd (Rte 127A) & Barn Lane

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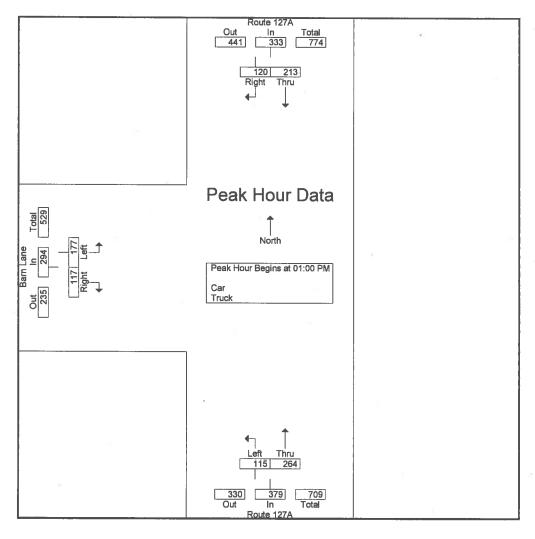
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	From North			From South			From West			
Start Time	Right	Thru	App. Total	Thru	Left	App. Total		Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM							Right			
	30	40	70	33	31	64	34	37	71	205
10:15 AM	30	53	83	51	25	76	22	33	55	214
10:30 AM	22	48	70	57	26	83	20	46	66	219
10:45 AM	22	72	94	53	38	91	35	31	66	251
Total	104	213	317	194	120	314	111	147	258	889
11:00 AM	22	44	66	61	32	93	33	36	69	228
11:15 AM	16	44	60	66	26	92	29	42	71	223
11:30 AM	23	48	71	62	30	92	28	52	80	243
11:45 AM	22	57	79	75	29	104	20	36	56	239
Total	83	193	276	264	117	381	110	166	276	933
12:00 PM	23	54	77	58	32	90	30	38	68	235
12:15 PM	24	45	69	59	23	82	36	40	76	227
12:30 PM	23	40	63	47	29	76	28	48	76	215
12:45 PM	17	39	56	88	38	126	24	38	62	244
Total	87	178	265	252	122	374	118	164	282	921
01:00 PM	17	53	70	62	29	91	35	43	78	239
01:15 PM	32	55	87	63	33	96	35	40	75	258
01:30 PM	42	46	88	78	25	103	24	45	69	260
01:45 PM	29	59	88	61	28	89	23	49	72	249
Total	120	213	333	264	115	379	117	177	294	1006
Grand Total	394	797	1191	974	474	1448	456	654	1110	3749
Apprch %	33.1	66.9		67.3	32.7		41.1	58.9		01.10
Total %	10.5	21.3	31.8	26	12.6	38.6	12.2	17.4	29.6	
Car	392	790	1182	966	463	1429	448	653	1101	3712
% Car	99.5	99.1	99.2	99.2	97.7	98.7	98.2	99.8	99.2	99
Truck	2	7	9	8	11	19	8	1	9	37
% Truck	0.5	0.9	0.8	0.8	2.3	1.3	1.8	0.2	0.8	1

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		Route 127A			Route 127A			Barn Lane		
		From North			From South			From West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	App. Total	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
Peak Hour Analysis From	n 10:00 AM to	01:45 PM -	Peak 1 of 1							
Peak Hour for Entire Inte	ersection Begi	ns at 01:00 I	PM							
01:00 PM	17	53	70	62	29	91	35	43	78	239
01:15 PM	32	55	87	63	33	96	35	40	75	258
01:30 PM	42	46	88	78	25	103	24	45	69	260
01:45 PM	29	59	88	61	28	89	23	49	72	249
Total Volume	120	213	333	264	115	379	117	177	294	1006
% App. Total	36	64		69.7	30.3		39.8	60.2		
PHF	.714	.903	.946	.846	.871	.920	.836	.903	.942	.967



Gloucester

Thatcher Rd (Rte 127A) & Barn Lane

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Groups Printed- Car

		Barn Lane	E		Route 127A	F		Route 127A	F	
		rom West	F		rom South			From North		
Int. Total	App. Total	Left	Right	App. Total	Left	Thru	App. Total	Thru	Right	Start Time
202	70	37	33	63	30	33	69	40	29	10:00 AM
213	55	33	22	75	25	50	83	53	30	10:15 AM
217	65	45	20	82	25	57	70	48	22	10:30 AM
248	66	31	35	89	37	52	93	71	22	10:45 AM
880	256	146	110	309	117	192	315	212	103	Total
225	68	36	32	92	31	61 -	65	43	22	11:00 AM
220	70	42	28	90	24	66	60	44	16	11:15 AM
242	80	52	28	91	29	62	71	48	23	11:30 AM
237	55	36	19	104	29	75	78	56	22	11:45 AM
924	273	166	107	377	113	264	274	191	83	Total
234	67	38	29	90	32	58	77	54	23	12:00 PM
223	75	40	35	80	23	57	68	44	24	12:15 PM
212	76	48	28	74	27	47	62	39	23	12:30 PM
243	62	38	24	125	38	87	56	39	17	12:45 PM
912	280	164	116	369	120	249	263	176	87	Total
234	77	43	34	89	28	61	68	52	16	01:00 PM
256	75	40	35	94	33	61	87	55	32	01:15 PM
257	68	45	23	102	24	78	87	45	42	01:30 PM
249	72	49	23	89	28	61	88	59	29	01:45 PM
996	292	177	115	374	113	261	330	211	119	Total
3712	1101	653	448	1429	463	966	1182	790	392	Grand Total
		59.3	40.7		32.4	67.6		66.8	33.2	Apprch %
	29.7	17.6	12.1	38.5	12.5	26	31.8	21.3	10.6	Total %

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Groups Printed- Truck

		Route 127A			1000 1100		1	I		
					loute 127A			Barn Lane		
		rom North			rom South			rom West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	App. Total	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	3
10:15 AM	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
10:30 AM	0	0	0	. 0	1	1	0	1	1	2
10:45 AM	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	3
Total	1	1	2	2	3	5	1	1	2	9
11:00 AM	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	٥	4	3
11:15 AM	Ö	'n	ń l	ñ	2	2	1	0	41	3
11:30 AM	ñ	ñ	ñ	ŏ	1	1	'n	0	,	3
11:45 AM	Ö	1	1	ő	'n	0	1	0	1	1
Total	0	2	2	0	4	4	3	0	3	9
T Ottal	J	_	2	U	7	7	3	U	3	9
12:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
12:15 PM	0	1	1	2	0	2	1	0	1	4
12:30 PM	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	3
12:45 PM	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	0	2	2	3	2	5	2	0	2	9
01:00 PM	1	. 1	2  -	1	1	2	1	0	1 !	5
01:15 PM	0	0	õ	2	'n	2	'n	ñ	i	2
01:30 PM	0	1	1	ō	· 1	1	1	ŏ	1	3
Total	1	2	3	3	2	5	2	0	2	10
·		_	<b>J</b>	•	-	0	**	•	2	.0
Grand Total	2	7	9	8	11	19	8	1	9	37
Apprch %	22.2	77.8		42.1	57.9	İ	88.9	11.1		- *
Total %	5.4	18.9	24.3	21.6	29.7	51.4	21.6	2.7	24.3	
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Groups Printed- Pedal Bike (Road)

	F	Route 127A		R	loute 127A	(Itoda)	E	Barn Lane		
		rom North			rom South			rom West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	App. Total	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	0	1	1	4	0	4	0	0	0	5
10:15 AM	0	1	1	8	0	8	0	0	0	9
10:30 AM	0	0	0	20	0	20	0	0	0	20
10:45 AM	0	1	1	5	0	5	0	0	0	6
Total	0	3	3	37	0	37	0	0	0	40
11:00 AM	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2
11:15 AM	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	3
= 11:30 AM	0	2	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	5
11:45 AM	0	1	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	4
Total	0	5	5	9	0	9	0	0	0	14
12:00 PM	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
12:30 PM	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
12:45 PM	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	. 0	2
Total	0	5	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	6
01:00 PM	0	1	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	4
01:15 PM	0	1	1	7	0	7	0	1	1	9
01:30 PM	1	1	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	5
01:45 PM	0	2	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	4
Total	1	5	6	15	0	15	0	1	1	. 22
Grand Total	1	18	19	62	0	62	. 0	1	11	. 82
Apprch %	5.3	94.7		. 100	0		0	100		
Total %	1.2	22	23.2	75.6	0	75.6	0	1.2	1.2	

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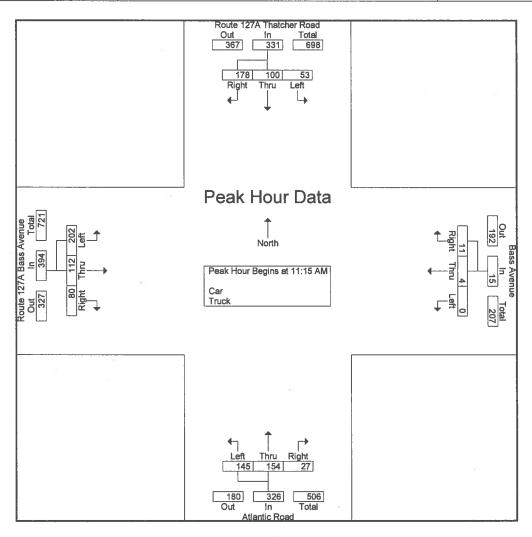
			Groups Printed	- reu			
	Route 1			127A	Barr	Lane	
	From N		From	South	From	n West	
Start Time	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Int. Total
10:15 AM	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
Total	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
11:15 AM 11:30 AM 11:45 AM	0 0 0	0 0	0 0 0	0   0   0	2 1 1	2   1   1	2 1 1
Total	0	0	0	0	4	4	4
Grand Total   Apprch %   Total %	0 0 0	0	0 0 0	0	5 100 100	5	5

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	Route	127A T	hatche	r Road		Bass /	Avenue			Atlant	ic Road		Rout	e 127A	Bass A	venue	
		From	North			From	n East			From	South			From	West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App, Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
Peak Hour Anal	ysis Fron	n 10:00	AM to (	1:45 PM	- Peak 1	of 1								·			
Peak Hour for E	ntire Inte	rsection	Begins	s at 11:15	AM												
11:15 AM	50	19	8	77	2	. 0	0	2	7	30	52	89	15	23	55	93	261
11:30 AM	33	36	16	85	4	2	0	6	3	43	33	79	20	23	53	96	266
11:45 AM	49	21	13	83	4	2	0	6	3	45	28	76	22	35	51	108	273
12:00 PM	46	24	16	86	1	0	0	1	14	36	32	82	23	31	43	97	266
Total Volume	178	100	53	331	11	4	0	15	27	154	145	326	80	112	202	394	1066
% App. Total	53.8	30.2	16		73.3	26.7	0		8.3	47.2	44.5		20.3	28.4	51.3		
PHF	.890	.694	.828	.962	.688	.500	.000	.625	.482	.856	.697	.916	.870	.800	.918	.912	.976



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								oups Print	ted- Car								
	Route	: 127A 1	Thatche	r Road		Bass A	₹venue			Atlanti	c Road		Rout	e 127A	Bass A	venue	
		From	North			From	East			From	South			From	West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	39	21	8	68	0	1	0	1	2	24	31	57	16	27	35	78	204
10:15 AM	40	21	8	69	1	2	0	3	4	35	39	78	10	17	38	65	215
10:30 AM	. 38	31	14	83	0	0	1	1	8	32	31	71	13	17	46	76	231
10:45 AM	52	29	7	88	1	1	0	2	4	27	31	62	22	19	47	88	240
Total	169	102	37	308	2	4	1	7	18	118	132	268	61	80	166	307	890
11:00 AM	47	23	16	86	0	1	0	1	3	30	30	63	17	29	50	96	246
11:15 AM	49	19	8	76	2	0	0	2	7	29	51	87	15	23	55	93	258
11:30 AM	33	36	16	85	4	2	0	6	3	43	33	79	20	22	52	94	264
11:45 AM	48	21	12	81	4	2	0	6	3	45	27	75	22	35	51	108	270
Total	177	99	52	328	10	5	0	15	16	147	141	304	74	109	208	391	1038
12:00 PM	45	24	16	85	1	0	0	1	14	36	32	82	23	31	43	97	265
12:15 PM	37	17	12	66	0	0	1	1	10	31	50	91	19	25	38	82	240
12:30 PM	37	25	9	71	1	1	0	2	4	28	28	60	23	30	43	96	229
12:45 PM	30	22	10	62	0	2	0	2	6	47	22	75	17	35	68	120	259
Total	149	88	47	284	2	3	1	6	34	142	132	308	82	121	192	395	993
01:00 PM	50	29	10	89	0	0	0	0	5	26	29	60	17	31	53	101	250
01:15 PM	56	20	16	92	0	0	0	0	7	39	31	77	21	27	56	104	273
01:30 PM	40	22	9	71	2	3	0	5	8	37	24	69	25	20	51	96	241
01:45 PM	51	19	7	77	1	2	0	3	6	48	37	91	18	27	45	90	261
Total	197	90	42	329	3	5	0	8	26	150	121	297	81	105	205	391	1025
Grand Total	692	379	178	1249	17	17	2	36	94	557	526	1177	298	415	771	1484	3946
Apprch %	55.4	30.3	14.3	-	47.2	47.2	5.6		8	47.3	44.7		20.1	28	52		
Total %	17.5	9.6	4.5	31.7	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.9	2.4	14.1	13.3	29.8	7.6	10.5	19.5	37.6	

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Groups	Printed-	Truck

	Route	127A T	hatche North	r Road		Bass A					ic Road		Rout		Bass A	venue	ľ
01 17											South				1 West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	- 0	0	0	0	. 1	1	1
10:15 AM	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	2	5
10:30 AM	0	0	0,	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	2
10:45 AM	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	3	4	9
11:00 AM	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
11:15 AM	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	3
11:30 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2
11:45 AM	1	0	- 1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
Total	2	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	4	0	1	1	2	10
12:00 PM	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
12:15 PM	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	6
12:30 PM	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	4
12:45 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	2
Total	5	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	1	1	2	4	13
01:00 PM	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	3
01:15 PM	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	3
01:30 PM	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	4
01:45 PM	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Total	3	0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	2	2	5	12
Grand Total	12	2	4	18	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	11	2	5	8	15	44
Apprch %	66.7	11.1	22.2		0	0	0		0	63.6	36.4		13.3	33.3	53.3		
Total %	27.3	4.5	9.1	40.9	0	0	0	0	0	15.9	9.1	25	4.5	11.4	18.2	34.1	

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Groups Printed- Pedal Bike (Road)

	Route	127A T From	hatche North	r Road			venue East				ic Road South		Rout	e 127A	Bass A	venue	
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	5
10:15 AM	0	0	2	2	0	6	Ō	6	ō	7	Ó	7	0	1	1	2	17
10:30 AM	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	Ô	18	1	19	Ô	i 1	2	3	23
10:45 AM	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	Ŏ	0	0	0	Ö	2	5	7	8
Total	0	- 0	3	3	3	6	0	9	0	25	2	27	0	4	10	14	53
								'				i.					,
11:00 AM	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	0	4	6
11:15 AM	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
11:30 AM	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
11:45 AM	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
Total	0	0	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	2	2	0	4	16
12:15 PM	l o	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		18			
12:30 PM	٥	1	Ó	- 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	3
12:45 PM	1	Ó	0	- 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	-0	0	0	0	0	2	- 0	3	6
10001				9	•	·	U	•	U	U	U	U	U	2	'	3	0
01:00 PM	0	0	. 0	0	3	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
01:15 PM	0	1	0	1	1	2	0		0	Ō	3	3	Ö			6	13
01:30 PM	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	Ō	Ō	Ö	0	Ö	0	6 2	2	3
		31										- 1		_	_	_	,
Total	0	1	0	1	4	4	0	8	0	0	3	3	0	0	8	8	20
		_		1													
Grand Total	1	2	13	16	7	10	0	17	0	28	5	33	2	8	19	29	95
Apprch %	6.2	12.5	81.2		41.2	58.8	0		0	84.8	15.2		6.9	27.6	65.5		
Total %	1.1	2.1	13.7	16.8	7.4	10.5	0	17.9	0	29.5	5.3	34:7	2.1	8.4	20	30.5	

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Groups Printed- Ped

		Route 127A B From V		Atlantic From S		Bass A From	ad	Route 127A Roa From	
Int. Total	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	Start Time
9	0	0	1	1	2	2	6	6	10:00 AM
10	1	= 1	2	2	0	0	7	7	10:15 AM
2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	. 1	10:30 AM
2	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	10:45 AM
23	2	2	4	4	2	2	15	15	Total
2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	11:00 AM
11	1	1	0	0	4	4	6	6	11:15 AM
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8	11:30 AM
14	0	0	3	3	2	2	9	9	11:45 AM
35	2	2	3	3	6	6	24	24	Total
4	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	3	12:00 PM
12	O	0	ó	Ó	o l	0	12	12	12:15 PM
2	0	0	ō	0	0	0	2	2	12:30 PM
3	o l	0	2	2	0	0	1	. 1	12:45 PM
_ 21	0	0	3	3	0	0	18	18	Total
9	1.	1	0	0	0	0	8	8	01:00 PM
11	1	1	1	* * 1	0	0	9	9	01:15 PM
16	o l	0	o	0	. 0	0	16	16	01:30 PM
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	01:45 PM
40	2	2	1	1	0	0	37	37	Total
119	6	6	11	11	8	8	94	94	Grand Total
		100		100	2	100		100	Apprch %
	5	5	9.2	9.2	6.7	6.7	79	79	Total %

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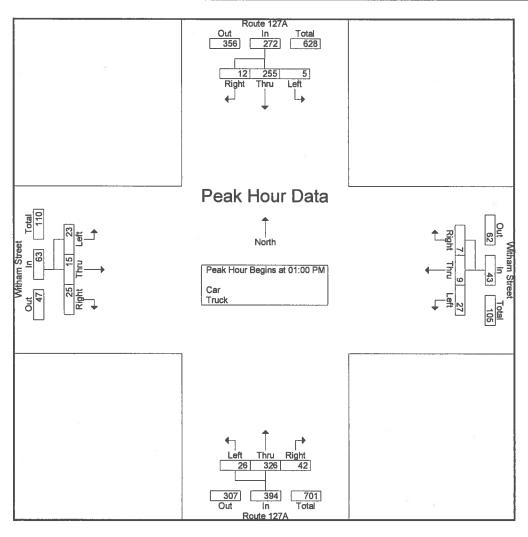
Groups Printed- Car - Truck

			127A		Witham Street					Route	e 127A			Withar	n Stree	t	
		From	North			From	East			From	South			From	West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	5	62	2	69	2	1	3	6	2	57	2	61	8	2	12	22	158
10:15 AM	3	59	1	63	1	1	. 7	9	6	55	6	67	11	5	5	21	160
10:30 AM	6	56	2	64	1	5	12	18	13	60	9	82	8	4	9	21	185
10:45 AM	4	71	2	77	2	1	13	16	5	52	7	64	7	4	15	26	183
Total	18	248	7	273	6	8	35	49	26	224	24	274	34	15	41	90	686
11:00 AM	6	59	1	66	1	1	7	9	11	57	6	74	4	3	16	23	172
11:15 AM	6	41	0	47	0	0	6	6	6	81	6	93	6	1	9	16	162
11:30 AM	1	57	1	59	0	0	9	9	8	75	8	91	5	1	7	13	172
11:45 AM	5	60	0	65	0	3	6	9	7	83	4	94	6	2	7	15	183
Total	18	217	2	237	1	4	28	33	32	296	24	352	21	7	39	67	689
12:00 PM	2	64	2	68	1	1	9	11	10	64	6	80	13	1	5	19	178
12:15 PM	3	51	2	56	0	1	5	6	7	82	4	93	3	3	2	8	163
12:30 PM	3	55	3	61	1	2	6	9	5	76	9	90	3	1	10	14	174
12:45 PM	6	51	3	60	1	1	7	9	13	83	8	104	1	3	7	11	184
Total	14	221	10	245	3	5	27	35	35	305	27	367	20	8	24	52	699
01:00 PM	1	54	0	55	1	2	2	5	7	89	6	102	5	4	7	16	178
01:15 PM	4	69	1	74	1	3	5	9	14	69	3	86	6	0	3	9	178
01:30 PM	3	70	3	76	2	3	11	16	11	80	9	100	6	4	7	17	209
01:45 PM	4	62	1	67	3	1	9	13	10	88	8	106	8	7	6	21	207
Total	12	255	5	272	7	9	27	43	42	326	26	394	25	15	23	63	772
Grand Total	62	941	24	1027	17	26	117	160	135	1151	101	1387	100	45	127	272	2846
Apprch %	6	91.6	2.3		10.6	16.2	73.1		9.7	83	7.3		36.8	16.5	46.7		
Total %	2.2	33.1	0.8	36.1	0.6	0.9	4.1	5.6	4.7	40.4	3.5	48.7	3.5	1.6	4.5	9.6	
Car	61	938	23	1022	17	26	116	159	135	1144	99	1378	98	45	127	270	2829
% Car	98.4	99.7	95.8	99.5	100	100	99.1	99.4	100	99.4	98	99.4	98	100	100	99.3	99.4
Truck	1	3	1	5	0	0	1	1	0	7	2	9	2	0	0	2	17
% Truck	1.6	0.3	4.2	0.5	0	0	0.9	0.6	0	0.6	2	0.6	2	0	0	0.7	0.6

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		Route	127A			Withan	n Street	t		Route	127A			Withar	n Street	t	
		From	North			From	East			From	South			From	West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
Peak Hour Analy	ysis Fron	n 10:00	AM to 0	1:45 PM -	- Peak 1	of 1											
Peak Hour for E	ntire Inte	ersection	Begins	at 01:00	PM												
01:00 PM	1	54	0	55	1	2	2	5	7	89	6	102	5	4	7	16	178
01:15 PM	4	69	1	74	1	3	5	9	14	69	3	86	6	0	3	9	178
01:30 PM	3	70	3	76	2	3	11	16	11	80	9	100	6	4	7	17	209
01:45 PM	4	62	1	67	3	1	9	13	10	88	8	106	8	7	6	21	207
Total Volume	12	255	5	272	7	9	27	43	42	326	26	394	25	15	23	63	772
% App. Total	4.4	93.8	1.8		16.3	20.9	62.8		10.7	82.7	6.6		39.7	23.8	36.5		
PHF	.750	.911	.417	.895	.583	.750	.614	.672	.750	.916	.722	.929	.781	.536	.821	.750	.923



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		Route	127A			Witham	Stree	t		Route	127A			Withan	n Stree	t	
		From	North			From	East			From	South			From	West		
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	5	62	2	69	2	1	3	6	2	56	2	60	8	2	12	22	157
10:15 AM	3	59	1	63	1	1	7	9	6	55	5	66	11	5	5	21	159
10:30 AM	6	56	2	64	1	5	12	18	13	60	9	82	8	4	9	21	185
10:45 AM	4 ·	70	2	76	2	1	13	16	5	51	7	63	7	4	15	26	181
Total	18	247	7	272	6	8	35	49	26	222	23	271	34	15	41	90	682
11:00 AM	6	58	1	65	1	1	7	9	11	57	6	74	4	3	16	23	171
11:15 AM	6	41	0	47	0	0	6	6	6	81	6	93	6	1	9	16	162
11:30 AM	1	57	1	59	0	0	9	9	8	75	8	91	5	1	7	13	172
11:45 AM	5	60	0	65	0	3	6	9	7	83	4	94	6	2	7	15	183
Total	18	216	2	236	1	4	28	33	32	296	24	352	21	7	39	67	688
12:00 PM	2	64	2	68	1	1	9	11	10	63	6	79	13	1	5	19	177
12:15 PM	3	51	2	56	0	1	4	5	7	82	3	92	3	3	2	8	161
12:30 PM	3	55	2	60	1	2	6	9	5	76	9	90	2	1	10	13	172
12:45 PM	6	51	3	60	1	1	7	9	13	82	8	103	1	3	7	11	183
Total	14	221	9	244	3	5	26	34	35	303	26	364	19	8	24	51	693
01:00 PM	1	53	0	54	1	2	2	5	7	88	6	101	5	4	7	16	176
01:15 PM	4	69	1	74	1	3	5	9	14	69	3	86	6	.0	3	9	178
01:30 PM	2	70	3	75	2	3	11	16	11	78	9	98	5	4	7	16	205
01:45 PM	4	62	1	67	3	1	9	13	10	88	8	106	8	7	6	21	207
Total	11	254	5	270	7	9	27	43	42	323	26	391	24	15	23	62	766
Grand Total	61	938	23	1022	17	26	116	159	135	1144	99	1378	98	45	127	270	2829
Apprch %	6	91.8	2.3		10.7	16.4	73		9.8	83	7.2		36.3	16.7	47		
Total %	2.2	33.2	0.8	36.1	0.6	0.9	4.1	5.6	4.8	40.4	3.5	48.7	3.5	1.6	4.5	9.5	

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		Route From				Withan	Stree	t			≥ 127A South		·		n Stree West	t	
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	Ann Total	Right	Thru	Left	Ann Tatal	Right	Thru	Left	Ann Total	Int. Total
										TINU		App. Total					int. Total
10:00 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
10:15 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
10:45 AM	0	1:	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Total	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	4
11:00 AM	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
12:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
12:15 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
12:30 PM	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
12:45 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Total	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	3	1	0	0	1	6
01:00 PM	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
01:30 PM	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	4
Total	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	1	0	0	1	6
Grand Total	1	3	1	5	0	0	1	1	0	7	2	9	2	0	0	2	17
Apprch %	20	60	20		0	0	100		0	77.8	22.2		100	0	0		}
Total %	5.9	17.6	5.9	29.4	0	0	5.9	5.9	0	41.2	11.8	52.9	11.8	0	0	11.8	

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			127A North			Witham	Stree	t		Route	e 127A South				n Stree	t	
Start Time	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App, Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	4
10:15 AM	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	7
10:30 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	26	0	0	0	0	26
10:45 AM	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	8
Total	0	3	0	3	2	0	0	2	0	39	1	40	0	0	0	0	45
11:00 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	3
11:15 AM	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
11:30 AM	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	5
11:45 AM	0	1_	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Total	0	4	0	4	0	0	1	1	0	6	0	6	1	0	0	1	12
12:00 PM	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	. 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
12:30 PM	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	. 0	0	0	4
12:45 PM	0	1	0	1	0	1_	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Total	0	6	0	6	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	1	10
01:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
01:15 PM	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	. 0	2	0	0	0	0	3
01:30 PM	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	7
01:45 PM	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	1	1	6
Total	0	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	12	0	0	1	1	18
Grand Total	0	18	0	18	2	1	1	4	0	59	1	60	1	0	2	3	85
Apprch %	0	100	0		50	25	25		0	98.3	1.7		33.3	0	66.7		
Total %	0	21.2	0	21.2	2.4	1.2	1.2	4.7	0	69.4	1.2	70.6	1.2	0	2.4	3.5	

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	Route From		Witham From		Route From		Witham From		
Start Time	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Int. Total
10:15 AM	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	2
10:30 AM	5	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	6
10:45 AM	4	3	0	0	1	o	0	ŏ	4
Total	11	11	0	0	1	1	0	0	12
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11:00 AM	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
11:15 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
11:30 AM	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
11:45 AM	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Total	8	8	0	0	0	0	1	1	9
12:00 PM	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
12:15 PM	3	3	Ö	ō	Ŏ	o l	Ö	0	3
12:30 PM	2	2	Ö	o l	ō	o l	Ö	0	2
12:45 PM	1 **	1	Ö	ō	Ö	o l	Ö	0	1
Total	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
01:00 PM	2	2	0	0.1	0	0	0	0.1	2
01:15 PM	6	6	Ô	o l	Ô	o l	2	2	8
01:30 PM	7	7	Ô	o l	ő	o l	0	0	7
01:45 PM	6	6	Ŏ	O	ō	o	1	1	7
Total	21	21	0	0	0	0	3	3	24
Grand Total	47	47	0	0	1	1	4	4	52
Apprch %	100		0	•	100	,	100	.	
Total %	90.4	90.4	ŏ	О	1.9	1.9	7.7	7.7	

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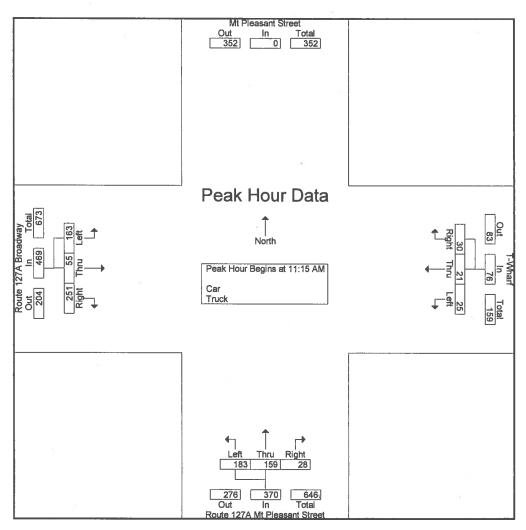
Groups Printed- Car - Truck

					Gro	oups Printe	ed- Car - 1	ruck						
	From North		T-WI From			Route	127A Mt I From S		t Street	Ro	oute 127A From		/ay	
Start Time	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	0	3	5	6	14	1	34	47	82	47	8	50	105	201
10:15 AM	0	6	2	5	13	8	44	41	93	55	8	.39	102	208
10:30 AM	0	12	2	2	16	4	27	50	81	62	10	38	110	207
10:45 AM	0	4	2	6	12	10	36	38	84	52	8	33	93	189
Total	0	25	11	19	55	23	141	176	340	216	34	160	410	805
11:00 AM	0 1	8	4	1	13	5	00	4.4			_			
11:15 AM	ő	9	3	6	18	9	33 37	41	79	71	5	45	121	213
11:30 AM	ŏ	8	1 4	5	17	8	43	39	85	62	11	46	119	222
11:45 AM	ŏ	10	8	8	26	6	43 40	49	100	48	17	36	101	218
Total	0	35	19	20	74	28	153	55	101	69	11	39_	119	246
	•		13	20	77	20	153	184	365	250	44	166	460	899
12:00 PM	0	3	6	6	15	5	39	40	84	72	16	42	130	229
12:15 PM	0	5	4	6	15	4	33	44	81	68	13	38	119	215
12:30 PM	0	6	4	2	12	6	46	31	83	56	9	35	100	195
12:45 PM	0	7	2	7	16	15	34	44	93	63	9	50	122	231
Total	0	21	16	21	58	30	152	159	341	259	47	165	471	870
04.00.714	- 1								,		-		,	0.0
01:00 PM	0	11	5	3	19	5	47	39	91	61	9	47	117	227
01:15 PM	0	13	4	6	23	7	34	44	85	67	13	42	122	230
01:30 PM	0	12	5	5	22	4	. 38	43	85	57	10	36	103	210
01:45 PM	0	8	4	7	19	6	41	44	91	47	8	45	100	210
Total	0	44	18	21	83	22	160	170	352	232	40	170	442	877
Grand Total	0	125	64	81	270	103	606	689	1398 i	957	165	661	4700	0.454
Apprch %	ĺ	46.3	23.7	30	2.0	7.4	43.3	49.3	1390	53.7	9.3	37.1	1783	3451
Total %	ol	3.6	1.9	2.3	7.8	3	17.6	20	40.5	27.7	9.3 4.8		54 7	
Car	0	124	64	81	269	102	601	681	1384	952	165	19.2 646	51.7	2440
% Car	0	99.2	100	100	99.6	99	99.2	98.8	99	99.5	100	97.7	1763 98.9	3416
Truck	0	1	0	0	1	1	5	8	14	5 5	0	15	20	99 35
% Truck	0	0.8	Ö	ő	0.4	i	0.8	1.2	1	0.5	0	2.3	1.1	33
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	From North			Vharf n East		Route	127A Mt I From S		t Street	Ro	oute 127/ From	A Broadv West	vay	
Start Time	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
Peak Hour Analysis					of 1									
Peak Hour for Entir	re Intersection	on Begins	at 11:15	AM										
11:15 AM	0	9	3	6	18	9	37	39	85	62	11	46	119	222
11:30 AM	0	8	4	5	17	8	43	49	100	48	17	36	101	218
11:45 AM	0	10	8	8	26	6	40	55	101	69	11	39	119	246
12:00 PM	0	3	6	6	15	5	39	40	84	72	16	42	130	229
Total Volume	0	30	21	25	76	28	159	183	370	251	55	163	469	915
% App. Total		39.5	27.6	32.9		7.6	43	49.5	1	53.5	11.7	34.8		
PHF	.000	.750	.656	.781	.731	.778	.924	.832	.916	.872	.809	.886	.902	.930



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	From North		T-W From			Route	127A Mt I From S		t Street	Ro	oute 127A From		vay	
Start Time	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Tot
10:00 AM	0	3	5	6	14	1	34	47	82	47	8	49	104	20
10:15 AM	0	6	2	5	13	7	44	40	91	54	8	39	101	20
10:30 AM	0	11	2	2	15	4	27	50	81	61	10	37	108	2
10:45 AM	0	4	2	6	12	. 10	35	37	82	50	8	33	91	18
Total	0	24	11	19	54	22	140	174	336	212	34	158	404	79
11:00 AM	0	8	4	1	13	5	33	41	79	71	5	45	121	2
11:15 AM	0	9	3	6	18	9	37	36	82	62	11	44	117	2
11:30 AM	0	8	4	5	17	8	43	48	99	48	17	35	100	2
11:45 AM	0	10	8	8	26	6	40	55	101	69	11	38	118	2
Total	0	35	19	20	74	28	153	180	361	250	44	162	456	8
12:00 PM	0	3	6	6	15	5	39	40	84	72	16	39	127	2
12:15 PM	0	5	4	6	15	4	33	44	81	68	13	37	118	2
12:30 PM	0	6	4	2	12	6	45	31	82	56	9	34	99	1
12:45 PM	0	7	2	7	16	15	33	44	92	62	9	50	121	2
Total	0	21	16	21	58	30	150	159	339	258	47	160	465	8
01:00 PM	0	11	5	3	19	5	47	38	90	61	9	47	117	2
01:15 PM	0	13	4	6	23	7	34	44	85	67	13	41	121	2
01:30 PM	0	12	5	5	22	4	37	42	83	57	10	35	102	2
01:45 PM	0	8	4	7	19	6	40	44	90	47	8	43	98	2
Total	0	44	18	21	83	22	158	168	348	232	40	166	438	8
Grand Total	0	124	64	81	269	102	601	681	1384	952	165	646	1763	34
Apprch %		46.1	23.8	30.1		7.4	43.4	49.2		54	9.4	36.6		
Total %	0	3.6	1.9	2.4	7.9	3	17.6	19.9	40.5	27.9	4.8	18.9	51.6	

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	From North		T-Wi From			Route	127A Mt From S		Street	Ro	oute 127A From		vay	
Start Time	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Tota
10:00 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
10:15 AM	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	
10:30 AM	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	
10:45 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	2	
Total	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	2	4	4	0	2	6	1
11:15 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	2	2	
11:30 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	= 1	1	0	0	1	1	
11:45 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	4	
12:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	
12:15 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
12:30 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1,:	1	
12:45 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	5	6	
01:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
01:15 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
01:30 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	ş; 1	
01:45 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	2	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	4	0	0	4	4	
Grand Total	0	1	0	0	1	1	5	8	14	5	0	15	20	3
Apprch %		100	0	0		7.1	35.7	57.1		25	0	75		
Total %	0	2.9	0	0	2.9	2.9	14.3	22.9	40	14.3	0	42.9	57.1	

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	From North	,	T-Wh From			Route	127A Mt I From S		t Street	, Re	oute 127A From	A Broadwa West	зу	
Start Time	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	Left	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
10:15 AM	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	4	0	0	Ō	0	5
10:30 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	9	0	0	2	2	11
10:45 AM	. 0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	17	0	1	0	1	18
Total	0	2	0	0	2	0	28	3	31	0	1	2	- 3	36
									'					
11:00 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	5	0	1	0	1	6
11:15 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
11:30 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	1	4
11:45 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	6
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	2	15	0	2	0	2	17
													'	
12:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	4
12:15 PM	0	3	0	0	3	0	2	0	2	0	1	5	6	11
12:45 PM	0	00	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	_ 1	1	0	2	6
Total	0	3	0	0	3	5	5	0	10	1	2	5	8	21
04.00 014		_	_						- 1				100	
01:00 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	1	0	1	4
01:15 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
01:30 PM	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
01:45 PM	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Total	0	2	0	0	2	0	6	1	7	Ô	1	0	1	10
Grand Total	l ol	7	0	0	7	-	50		00.1			7	441	0.4
Apprch %	"	100	0	0	<b>'</b>	5	52	6	63	7	6	7	14	84
Total %	0		0	0	ا م	7.9	82.5	9.5		7.1	42.9	50	40-	
i otai %	0	8.3	U	0	8.3	6	61.9	7.1	75	1.2	7.1	8.3	16.7	

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	Mt Pleasa From	North	T-W From	harf East	Route 127A Str From	eet	Route 127A From	Broadway West	
Start Time	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	8	8	64	64	48	48	51	51	171
10:15 AM	2	2	62	62	75	75	40	40	179
10:30 AM	. 4	4	72	72	67	67	53	53	196
10:45 AM	7	7	71	71	59	59	45	45	182
Total	21	21	269	269	249	249	189	189	728
11:00 AM	3	3	84	84	22	22	. 29	29	138
11:15 AM	6	6	46	46	52	52	52	52	= 156
11:30 AM	4	4	65	65	41	41	63	63	173
11:45 AM	9	9	80	80	68	68	73	73	230
Total	22	22	275	275	183	183	217	217	697
12:00 PM	37	37	94	94	84	84	38	38	253
12:15 PM	36	36	100	100	82	82	53	53	271
12:30 PM	37	37	83	83	68	68	47	47	235
12:45 PM	23	23	91	91	52	52	49	49	215
Total	133	133	368	368	286	286	187	187	974
01:00 PM	8	8	90	90	44	44	15	15	157
01:15 PM	10	10	96	96	48	48	39	39	193
01:30 PM	6	6	113	113	43	43	33	33	195
01:45 PM	15	15	72	72	46	46	34	34	167
Total	39	39	371	371	181	181	121	121	712
Grand Total	215	215	1283	1283	899	899	714	714	3111
Apprch %	100		100		100	i	100		
Total %	6.9	6.9	41.2	41.2	28.9	28.9	23	23	

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Mt Pleasant & Main St & Bearskin Neck

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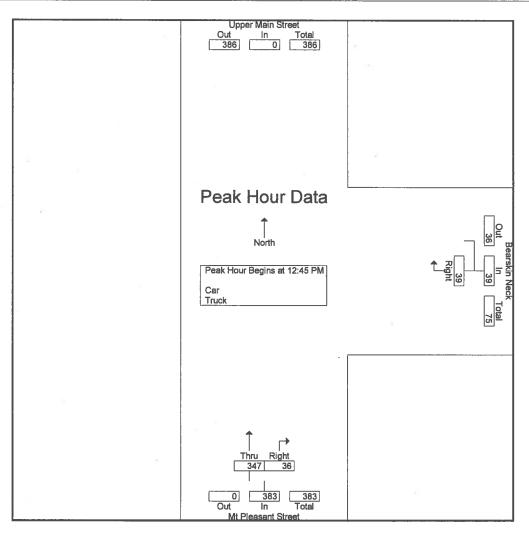
Groups Printed- Car - Truck

	'	Pleasant Street	Mt F	Neck	Bearskin		
		From South			From E	From North	
Int. Total	App. Total	Thru	Right	App. Total	Right	App. Total	Start Time
99	89	68	21	10	10	0	10:00 AM
95	80	65	15	15	15	0	10:15 AM
90	79	62	17	11	11	0	10:30 AM
88	73	59	14	15	15	0	10:45 AM
372	321	254	67	51	51	0	Total
92	81	64	17	11	11	0	11:00 AM
98	82	65	17	16	16	0	11:15 AM
87	79	69	10	8	8	0	11:30 AM
89	77	66	11	12	12	0	11:45 AM
366	319	264	55	47	47	0	Total
94	87	75	12	7	7	0	12:00 PM
87	72	63	9	15	15	0	12:15 PM
94	86	81	5	8	8	0	12:30 PM
104	95	88	7	9	9	0	12:45 PM
379	340	307	33	39	39	0	Total
114	104	91	13	10	10	0	01:00 PM
101	92	79	13	9	9	0	01:15 PM
103	92	89	3	11	11	0	01:30 PM
91	86	76	10	5	5	0	01:45 PM
409	374	335	39	35	35	0	Total
1526	1354	1160	194	172	172	0	Grand Total
		85.7	14.3		100		Apprch %
	88.7	76	12.7	11.3	11.3	0	Total %
1499	1329	1137	192	170	170	0	Car
98.2	98.2	98	99	98.8	98.8	0	% Car
27	25	23	2	2	2	0	Truck
1.8	1.8	2	1	1.2	1.2	0	% Truck

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,	From North	Bearski From	n Neck East		Mt Pleasant Stre From South	eet	
Start Time	App. Total	Right	App. Total	Right	Thru	App. Total	Int. Total
Peak Hour Analysis From 10:00	AM to 01:45 PM - I	Peak 1 of 1					
Peak Hour for Entire Intersection	n Begins at 12:45 P	M s					
12:45 PM		9	9	7	88	95	104
01:00 PM	0	10	10	13	91	104	114
01:15 PM	0	9	9	13	79	92	101
01:30 PM	0	11	11	3	89	92	103
Total Volume	0	39	39	36	347	383	422
% App. Total		100		9.4	90.6		
PHF	.000	.886	.886	692	.953	.921	.925



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Groups Printed- Car

	Pleasant Street	Mt F	leck			
	From South	*	st		From North	
App. Total	Thru	Right	App. Total	Right	App. Total	Start Time
88	67	21	10	10	0	10:00 AM
80	65	15		15	0	10:15 AM
77		16	11	11	0	10:30 AM
73		14	15	15	0	10:45 AM
318	252	66	51	51	0	Total
80	63	17	11	11	0	11:00 AM
80	63	17	15	15	0	11:15 AM
	68	10	8	8	0	11:30 AM
77	66	11	12	12	0	11:45 AM
315	260	55	46	46	0	Total
83	72	11	7	7	0	12:00 PM
71	62	9	15	15	0	12:15 PM
84	79	5	8	8	0	12:30 PM
92	85	7	8	8	0	12:45 PM
330	298	32	38	38	0	Total
103	90	13	10	10	0	01:00 PM
89	76	13			0	01:15 PM
90	87	3	11	11	0	01:30 PM
84	74	10	5		0	01:45 PM
366	327	39	35	35	0	Total
1329	1137 85.6	192	170	170 100	0	Grand Total Apprch %
88.7	75.9	12.8	11.3	11.3	0	Total %
	80 77 73 318 80 80 80 78 77 315 83 71 84 92 330 103 89 90 84 366	From South           Thru         App. Total           67         88           65         80           61         77           59         73           252         318           63         80           63         80           63         80           68         78           66         77           260         315           72         83           62         71           79         84           85         92           298         330           90         103           76         89           87         90           74         84           327         366           1137         1329           85.6         1329	21       67       88         15       65       80         16       61       77         14       59       73         66       252       318         17       63       80         17       63       80         10       68       78         11       66       77         55       260       315         11       72       83         9       62       71         5       79       84         7       85       92         32       298       330         13       90       103         13       76       89         3       87       90         10       74       84         39       327       366         192       1137       1329         14.4       85.6	Neck ast   Street   From South   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   10   21   67   88   15   15   65   80   11   16   61   77   15   14   59   73   73   51   66   252   318	Bearskin Neck From East         Mt Pleasant Street From South           Right         App. Total         Right         Thru         App. Total           10         10         21         67         88           15         15         15         65         80           11         11         16         61         77           15         15         14         59         73           51         51         66         252         318           11         11         17         63         80           15         15         17         63         80           15         15         17         63         80           8         8         10         68         78           12         12         11         66         77           46         46         55         260         315           7         7         11         72         83           15         15         9         62         71           8         8         5         79         84           8         8         7         85         92	From North         Bearskin Neck From East         Mt Pleasant Street From South           App. Total         Right         Thru         App. Total           0         10         10         21         67         88           0         15         15         15         65         80           0         11         11         16         61         77           0         15         15         14         59         73           0         11         11         17         63         80           0         11         11         17         63         80           0         15         15         17         63         80           0         15         15         17         63         80           0         12         12         11         66         77           0         46         46         55         260         315           0         7         7         11         72         83           0         15         15         9         62         71           0         8         8         5         79         84

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**Groups Printed-Truck** 

		Pleasant Street From South	F	ast	Bearskin From E	From North	
Int. Total	App. Total	Thru	Right	App. Total	Right	App. Total	Start Time
1	1	1	0	0	0	0	10:00 AM
2	2	1	1	0	0	0	10:30 AM
3	3	2	1	0	0	0 =	Total
1	1	1	0	0	0	0	11:00 AM
3	2	2	0	1	1	0	11:15 AM
1	1	1	0	0	0	0	11:30 AM
5	4	4	0	1	1	0	Total
						0.1	42:00 DM
4	4	3	1 =	0	0	0	12:00 PM 12:15 PM
1	1	1	0	0	U	0	12:30 PM
2	2	2	Ü	0	0	0	
4	3	3	0	1		0	12:45 PM
11	10	9	1	1	7	0	Total
1	. 1	1	0	. 0	0	0	01:00 PM
3	3	3	0	0	0	0	01:15 PM
2	2	2	0	0	0	0	01:30 PM
2	2	2	0	0	0	0	01:45 PM
8	8	8	0	0	0	0	Total
27	25	23	2	2	2	0	Grand Total
		92	8		100		Apprch %
	92.6	85.2	7.4	7.4	7.4	0	Total %

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		Pleasant Street	Mt I	Neck	Bearskin I		
		From South			From Ea	From North	
Int. Total	App. Total	Thru	Right	App. Total	Right	App. Total	Start Time
2	0	0	0	2	2	0	10:00 AM
4	4	0	4	0	0	0	10:15 AM
10	7	7	0	3	3	0	10:30 AM
14	14	<b>1</b>	13	0	0	0	10:45 AM
30	25	8	17	5	5	0	Total
6	3	1	2	3	3	0	11:00 AM
20	3	0	3	17	17	0	11:15 AM
3	2	0	2	1	1	0	11:30 AM
7	6	0	6	1	1	0	11:45 AM
36	14	1	13	22	22	0	Total
3	3   6	1	2	0	0	0	12:00 PM
6	6	3	3	0	0	0	12:15 PM
4	4	2	2	0	- 0	0	12:45 PM
13	13	6	7	0	0	0	Total
	**			8			
3	1	1	0	2	2	0	01:15 PM
3	1	1	0	2	2	0	Total
82	53	16	37	29	. 29	0	Grand Total
		30.2	69.8		100		Apprch %
	64.6	19.5	45.1	35.4	35.4	0	Total %

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	Upper Main Street Bearskin Neck Mt Pleasant Street						
		From Sc		From E		From North	*
Int. Total	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	Start Time
27	11	11	11	11	5	5	10:00 AM
52	29	29	23	23	0	0	10:15 AM
31	8	8	17	17	6	6	10:30 AM
26	7	7	15	15	4	4	10:45 AM
136	55	55	66	66	15	15	Total
57	20	20	28	28	9	9	11:00 AM
57	27	27	23	23	7	7	11:15 AM
84	20	20	54	54	10	10	11:30 AM
87	38	38	44	44	5	5	11:45 AM
285	105	105	149	149	31	31	Total
76	25	25	50	50	1	1	12:00 PM
91	17	17	57	57	17	17	12:15 PM
89	32	32	47	47	10	10	12:30 PM
106	38	38	62	62	6	6	12:45 PM
362	112	112	216	216	34	34	Total
108	65	65	33	33	10	10	01:00 PM
134	57	57	67	67	10	10	01:15 PM
115	55	55	53	53	7	7	01:30 PM
106	38	38	55	55	13	13	01:45 PM
463	215	215	208	208	40	40	Total
1246	487	487	639	639	120	120	Grand Total
		100		100		100	Apprch %
	39.1	39.1	51.3	51.3	9.6	9.6	Total %

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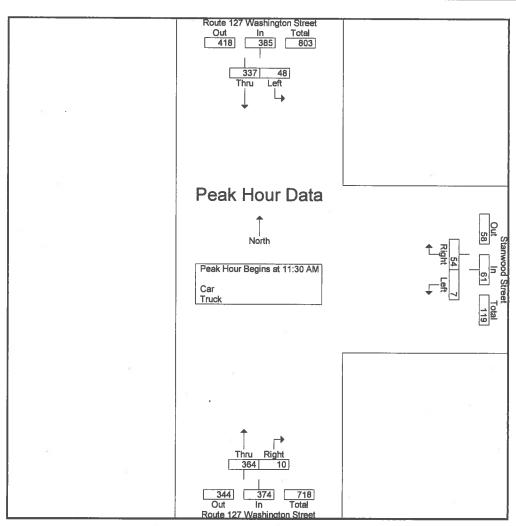
Groups Printed- Car - Truck

D 1 107									
					eet	Route 127	' Washingt	on Street	
						F	rom South		
				Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	App. Total	Int. Total
				0	13	0	66	66	179
			13	2	15	2	74	76	207
			9	5	14	3	60		176
		89	9	3	12	2			189
366	38	404	44	10	54	7	286	293	751
89	7	96	14	2	16	1	81	82	194
74	7	81	14	3		1			187
90	22	112	14			3			230
82	8	90				3			186
335	44	379	59	11	70	8	340	348	797
92	7	99	13	.1	14	2	93	95	208
73	11	84	10	0					196
64	4			1		1			177
67	6			2		i			202
296	28	324	55	4	59	6	394	400	783
80	13	93	16	2	18	0	74	74	185
81	12	93		3		2			178
86	6	92		2		1			197
73	12	85		2		i			196
320	43	363	48	9	57	4	332	336	756
1317	153	1470	206	. 34	240	25	1352	1377	3087
89.6	10.4							1077	3007
42.7	5	47.6	6.7		7.8			44.6	
1298	153	1451	205	32					3047
98.6	100	98.7	99.5						98.7
19	0	19	1	2	3				40
1.4	0	1.3	0.5	5.9	1.2	12	1.1	1.3	1.3
	Thru 87 102 91 86 366 89 74 90 82 335 92 73 64 67 296 80 81 86 73 320 1317 89.6 42.7 1298 98.6 19	From North Thru   Left   87	Route 127 Washington Street   From North	Route 127 Washington Street   From North     Thru   Left   App. Total   Right   87   13   100   13   102   14   116   13   91   8   99   9   9   86   3   89   9   9   366   38   404   44   44   89   7   96   14   74   7   81   14   14   90   22   112   14   82   8   90   17   335   44   379   59   59   13   73   11   84   10   64   4   68   18   67   6   73   14   296   28   324   55   80   13   93   16   81   12   93   6   86   6   92   9   73   12   85   17   320   43   363   48   1317   153   1470   206   89.6   10.4   85.8   42.7   5   47.6   6.7   1298   153   1451   205   98.6   100   98.7   99.5   19   0   19   1	Route 127 Washington Street   From North   Thru   Left   App. Total   Right   Left   87   13   100   13   0   102   14   116   13   2   91   8   99   9   5   86   3   89   9   3   366   38   404   44   10   89   7   96   14   2   74   7   81   14   3   3   90   22   112   14   3   3   335   44   379   59   11   335   44   379   59   11   335   44   379   59   11   3   335   44   379   59   11   3   3   3   3   3   3   3   3	From North         From East           Thru         Left         App. Total         Right         Left         App. Total           87         13         100         13         0         13           102         14         116         13         2         15           91         8         99         9         5         14           86         3         89         9         3         12           366         38         404         44         10         54           89         7         96         14         2         16           74         7         81         14         3         17           90         22         112         14         3         17           82         8         90         17         3         20           335         44         379         59         11         70           92         7         99         13         1         14           73         11         84         10         0         10           64         4         68         18         1         19 <td>  Route   127   Washington Street   From North   Stanwood Street   From East   /td> <td>  Route 127 Washington Street From North   From East   From East   From South   From South   From South   From South   Thru   Left   App. Total   Right   Left   App. Total   Right   Thru   Right   Thru   See   Thr</td> <td>  Route 127 Washington Street   From North   From East   From South   From South   From South   From South   Right   Left   App. Total   Right   App. Total   Right   Right   Thru   App. Total   Right   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   Thru   App. Total   Thru   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   Thru   Thru   App. Total   Thru   Thru   App. Total   Thru   /td>	Route   127   Washington Street   From North   Stanwood Street   From East   From East	Route 127 Washington Street From North   From East   From East   From South   From South   From South   From South   Thru   Left   App. Total   Right   Left   App. Total   Right   Thru   Right   Thru   See   Thr	Route 127 Washington Street   From North   From East   From South   From South   From South   From South   Right   Left   App. Total   Right   App. Total   Right   Right   Thru   App. Total   Right   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   Thru   App. Total   Thru   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   Right   Thru   App. Total   Thru   Thru   App. Total   Thru   Thru   App. Total   Thru   Thru

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		Washingto			Stanwood Street Route 127 Washington Street From East From South					
Start Time	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	App. Total	Int. Total
Peak Hour Analysis Fron	10:00 AM to	01:45 PM -	Peak 1 of 1		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		V			
Peak Hour for Entire Inte	rsection Begin	s at 11:30	AM							
11:30 AM	90	22	112	14	3	17	3	98	101	230
11:45 AM	82	8	90	17	3	20	3	73	76	186
12:00 PM	92	7	99	13	1	14	2	93	95	208
12:15 PM	73	11	84	10	0	10	2	100	102	196
Total Volume	337	48	385	54	7	61	10	364	374	820
% App. Total	87.5	12.5		88.5	11.5		2.7	97.3		
PHF	.916	.545	.859	.794	.583	.763	.833	.910	.917	.891



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	n Street	Washingto					Street	Washington	Route 127	
		om South			From East			rom North	F	
Int. Tota	App. Total	Thru	Right	App. Total	Left	Right	App. Total	Left	Thru	Start Time
177	65	65	0	13	0	13	99	13	86	10:00 AM
204	75	73	2	14	2	12	115	14	101	10:15 AM
174	63	60	3	14	5	9	97	8	89	10:30 AM
188	87	85	2	12	3	9	89	3	86	10:45 AM
743	290	283	7	53	10	43	400	38	362	Total
188	78	78	0	16	2	14	94	7	87	11:00 AM
186	89	88	1	17	3	14	80	7	73	11:15 AM
228	100	97	3	17	3	14	111	22	89	11:30 AM
182	74	71	3	19	7 2	17	89	8	81	11:45 AM
784	341	334	7	69	10	59	374	44	330	Total
206	95	93	2	14	1	13	97	7	90	12:00 PM
195	102	100	2	10	0	10	83	11	72	12:15 PM
174	88	88	0	18	0	18	68	4	64	12:30 PM
202	113	112	1	16	2	14	73	6	67	12:45 PM
777	398	393	5	58	3	55	321	28	293	Total
183	74	74	0	18	2	16	91	13	78	01:00 PM
175	73	72	1	9	3	6	93	12	81	01:15 PM
195	94	93	1	11	2	9	90	6	84	01:30 PM
190	89	88	1	19	2	17	82	12	70	01:45 PM
743	330	327	3	57	9	48	356	43	313	Total
3047	1359	1337	22	237	32	205	1451	153	1298	Grand Total
		98.4	1.6		13.5	86.5		10.5	89.5	Apprch %
	44.6	43.9	0.7	7.8	1.1	6.7	47.6	5	42.6	Total %

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Rte 127(Washington St) & Stanwood Street

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Groups Printed- Truck

						on Street	7 Washingto	Route 127		
		rom South			From East			From North		
Int. Total	App. Total	Thru	Right	App. Total	Left	Right	App. Total	Left	Thru	Start Time
2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	10:00 AM
3	1	1	.0	1	0	1	1	0	1	10:15 AM
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	10:30 AM
1	1	1	0	0	.0	0	0	0	0	10:45 AM
8	3	3	0	1	0	1	4	0	4	Total
6	4	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	11:00 AM
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	11:15 AM
2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	11:30 AM
4	2	2	0	1	1	0	_ 1	0	1	11:45 AM
13	7	6	1	1	1	0	5	0	5	Total
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	12:00 PM
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	- 1	0	1	12:15 PM
3	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	12:30 PM
6	2	_ 1	1	1	1	0	3	0	3	Total
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	01:00 PM
3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	01:15 PM
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	01:30 PM
6	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	01:45 PM
13	6	5	1	0	0	0	7	0	7	Total
40	18	15	3	3	2	1	19	0	19	Grand Total
		83.3	16.7		66.7	33.3		0	100	Apprch %
	45	37.5	7.5	7.5	5	2.5	47.5	0	47.5	Total %

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Groups Printed- Pedal Bike (Road)

-		7 Washingto					n Street			
		From North			From East			rom South		
Start Time	Thru	Left	App. Total	Right	Left	App. Total	Right	Thru	App. Total	Int. Total
10:00 AM	1	. 0	1	0	0	0	0.	1	1	2
10:15 AM	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
10:30 AM	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	3
10:45 AM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
Total	2	2	4	2	0	2	0	3	3	9
11:00 AM	8	2	10	1	0	1	0	0	0	11
11:15 AM	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
11:30 AM	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	1	1	16
11:45 AM	0	1	1	0	0	0	Ô	0	0	1
Total	25	3	28	1	0	1	0	2	2	31
40:00 PM			3	•					- 1	
12:00 PM	1	1	2	0	Ü	0	0	0	0	2
12:15 PM	3	3	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	7
12:30 PM	2	0	2	0	0	· 0	0	0	0	2
12:45 PM	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1_
Total	6	5	11	1	0	1	0	0	0	12
01:15 PM	1	.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
01:30 PM	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
01:45 PM	1	0	1	0	0	0	. 0	0	0	1
Total	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Grand Total	35	11	46	4	0	4	0	6	6	56
Apprch %	76.1	23.9		100	0		0	100		
Total %	62.5	19.6	82.1	7.1	0	7.1	0	10.7	10.7	

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Groups Printed- Ped

	Route 127 Washi From No		Stanwood From E		Route 127 Wash From So		
Start Time	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Peds	App. Total	Int. Total
10:15 AM	0	0	0	0	2	2	2
10:45 AM	0	0	5	5	2	2	7
Total	0	0	5	5	4	4	9
11:00 AM   11:15 AM	1 0	1 0	0	0	3 2	3   2	4
11:30 AM	0	0	0	ō	7	7	7
Total	1	1	0	0	12	12	13
12:00 PM   12:15 PM	0	0	0	. 0	1 2	1   2	1 2
12:45 PM	2	2	0	0	1	1	3
Total	2	2	0	0	4	4	6
01:00 PM   01:15 PM	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
01:30 PM	0	2	0	0	1	2	4
01:45 PM Total	2	2	0 _1	1	1 4	1 4	<u>1</u>
Grand Total   Apprch %   Total %	5 100 14.3	5	6 100 17.1	6	24 100 68.6	24   68.6	35

#### APPENDIX I

### Summary of Turning Movement Counts by Modes Saturday, July 13, 2013, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Location 1
Rt127A (Thatcher Rd./Bass Ave.) at Atlantic Rd., Gloucester

Location 2 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd.) at Barn Ln., Gloucester

Location 3 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd.) at Witham St., Gloucester

Location 4
Rt127A (Mt. Pleasant St./Broadway) at T-Wharf, Rockport

Location 5
Dock Square (Mt. Pleasant St. at Main St.), Rockport

Location 6
Route 127 (Washington St.) at Stanwood St., Gloucester

#### Routes 127A/127 Turning Movement Counts by Modes (10:00AM-2:00PM, Saturday, 7/13/2013)

#### **Summary of Peak Hourly Counts by Modes**

Locations	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
TMC # 1	40	53	1048	13	1.3%
TMC # 2	4	40	1006	10	1.0%
TMC # 3	24	45	772	6	0.8%
TMC # 4	974	36	899	11	1.4%
TMC # 5	463	36	409	11	2.9%
TMC # 6	13	31	797	13	1.6%

<sup>\*</sup> The peak hourly counts are derived from the highlighted cells in the tables below.

#### TMC # 1 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd/Bass Ave) at Atlantic Rd, Gloucester

Time	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
10:00-11:00	23	53	899	9	1.0%
11:00-12:00	35	16	1048	10	1.0%
12:00-13:00	21	6	1006	13	1.3%
13:00-14:00	40	20	1037	12	1.2%

#### TMC # 2 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd) at Barn Ln, Gloucester

Time	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
10:00-11:00	1	40	889	9	1.0%
11:00-12:00	4	14	933	9	1.0%
12:00-13:00	0	6	921	9	1.0%
13:00-14:00	0	22	1006	10	1.0%

#### TMC # 3 Rt127A (Thatcher Rd) at Witham St, Gloucester

Time	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
10:00-11:00	12	45	686	4	0.6%
11:00-12:00	9	12	689	1	0.1%
12:00-13:00	7	10	699	6	0.9%
13:00-14:00	24	18	772	6	0.8%

#### TMC # 4 Rt127A (Mt. Pleasant St/Broadway) at T-Wharf, Rockport

Time	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
10:00-11:00	728	36	805	11	1.4%
11:00-12:00	697	17	899	8	0.9%
12:00-13:00	974	21	870	8	0.9%
13:00-14:00	712	10	877	8	0.9%

#### TMC # 5 Dock Square (Mt. Pleasant St at Main St), Rockport

Time	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
10:00-11:00	136	30	372	3	0.8%
11:00-12:00	285	36	366	5	1.4%
12:00-13:00	362	13	379	11	2.9%
13:00-14:00	463	3	409	8	2.0%

#### TMC # 6 Route 127 (Washington St) at Stanwood St, Gloucester

Time	Ped Crossings	Bike Counts	Vehicle Counts	Heavy Vehicles	Heavy Veh. %
10:00-11:00	9	9	751	8	1.1%
11:00-12:00	13	31	797	13	1.6%
12:00-13:00	6	12	783	6	0.8%
13:00-14:00	7	4	756	13	1.7%

# **APPENDIX J**

Pedestrian and Bicycle Counts Saturday, July 2, 2011 Volunteers of Friends of Gloucester Harbor

## Walker Count

# Thatcher Road at Entrance to Good Harbor Beach Volunteers of Friends of Good Harbor (FOGH) July 2, 2011 (Saturday)

The following persons served as counters: 8:30-10:30 Don Seccombe

10:30-12:30 Dolores Mack 12:30-1:30 Tony Mack

1:30-3:30 Kathe German & Denton Crews

3:30-4:30 Kathe German

The following counts were taken:

Period	Cars	M-cycles	<b>B-cycles</b>	Joggers	Walkers	Carriages	Total (W&C)
8:30 9:30			30		6		6
9:30 -			22	4	18		18
10:30			22		16		10
10:30-	НС	3	29	3	109	2	111
11:30	TIC	3	29	3	109	2	111
11:30-	НС	11	17	4	51	1	52
12:30	TIC	11	17	4	31	1	32
12:30-1:30	HC	18	11		79	2	81
1:30-2:30	MC	29	20		106	1	107
2:30-3:30	MC	2	21		56	2	58
3:30-4:30	LC	35	22		99	0	99
*Totals		98	172	11	524	8	532

**Key:** Cars (HC=Heavy Congestion; MC = Medium Congestion; LC = Light Congestion)

## **Observations:**

- 1. Between 8:30 and 9:00 over 750 cars traveled the road traffic was stalled by 9:05 AM.
- 2. People walking on both sides of road, sometimes three-abreast, one with a ukulele!
- 3. Paraphernalia (chairs, etc) and baby strollers (sometimes twin) extend into roadway
- 4. Bicyclists often ride around walkers between cars including a stretch limo
- 5. Parking lot full at for non-residents at 9:30 am and residents at 11:30 (usually occurs at 1:00); lot re-opened to residents at 2:30; open to others at 3:30
- 6. Drop-off area congested; cars sent to Witham for drop-off and Long Beach for parking; some simply drop-off in the street!
- 7. Trolley drop-off at the boardwalk adds to the congestion on the beach; when the lot is full, the beach is full!
- 8. On duty: 3 parking lot attendants; 2 patrolmen; supervisor also on-site on day-off
- 9. Most were on the beach by 3 or so...then the tide reversed...
- 10. Comments heard: Walker leaving gate "Here we go again, risking our lives"

  Another walker "Isn't there a better way that's not so dangerous?"
- 11. People had lots of questions...about parking, availability, other places to park, etc.

Note: \*Totals corrected by Stephen Winslow 8/6/2012

# APPENDIX K Comments and Responses

From: Loutzenheiser, David

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 2014 2:50 PM

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**Cc:** Efi Pagitsas; Nelson, Paul (DOT); Scott Peterson; Bourassa, Eric

Subject: RE: Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study Meeting 2/10/2014 Monday 1:30PM

**Attachments:** CH 5.pdf

All,

Thank you to CTPS for the presenting their comprehensive analysis and recommendations yesterday in Rockport.

It's clear on the Cape Ann loop that there are very limited opportunities if any to increase the pavement width, so we need to accommodate cyclists (and pedestrians until continuous sidewalks are constructed) in the existing cross section. Therefore we need to consider narrowing the travel lanes as much as feasible to provide proper bicycle accommodation, or alternatively where proper shoulder width is not available (at least 3-4 ft) to stripe the road such that all users of the road share equally the space provided.

I just want to follow up on the lane width discussion. The enclosed chapter of the MassDOT Design Guide provides guidance on lane widths – section 5.3.3.3. 11 ft wide travel lanes are clearly allowed per guidelines, and narrower lanes can be considered via a design exception on urban minor arterials. I believe that 10 ft travel lanes should be considered in some sections.

Furthermore on p 5-32 "In areas of limited ROW, 10 ft lanes can be provided so that the width of the shoulder can be increased to provide greater separation between pedestrians, cyclists, and motor vehicles."

Thanks,

#### **David Loutzenheiser**

Transportation Planner
<u>Bicycle and Pedestrian Program</u>

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**Cc:** Efi Pagitsas; Bourassa, Eric

**Subject:** RE: Final Draft Report for Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study

Thank you Chen-Yuan for providing us the latest draft of this study.

The recommendations for bicycle accommodation still does not address the concerns that I brought up, nor do they reflect the reality of the roadway conditions that limit any widening for much of the corridor. Two foot shoulders are not acceptable bicycle accommodation. Another recommendation needs to be made.

Referring to Figure 8 in the report we do not believe that widening the road to provide shoulder cross sections 1 or 2 are possible on most sections of the roadway due to various physical constraints. The analysis does not address where this may be possible.

Sam and I discussed the draft and offer the following MAPC recommendations for this corridor.

Where 4 foot shoulders are not possible – eliminate the shoulders all together, particularly in sections with sidewalks, and stripe sharrows. Roadway widths are estimated in the 24-28 ft range. Unfortunately the report does not identify existing cross sections at various sample points along the corridor. Elimination of the shoulder consists of either removing the edge line entirely, or moving the edge line to 6 inches from edge of pavement. This allows for clear shared roadway space between bicycle and motor vehicles, as width does not allow for separate accommodation.

Remove the center line and stripe dashed shoulders for pedestrian and bicycle accommodation between Lanesville and Haven Ave (Rockport). A pilot installation of centerline removal and dash shoulders is ideal in this location due to low traffic volumes (< 4000 ADT in the summer, <3000 ADT in winter) and 30mph or less speed limits. A shorter initial section with minimal curves between Lanesville and the Rockport line could be implemented first to evaluate.

Detailed design guidance for such an installation here. Used extensively in Europe, ideal conditions here in Gloucester/Rockport. Plus we can draw on the expertise from Northeastern University that has studied these pavement markings extensively.

http://sustainabletransportationholland.org/topics/bicycle-advisory-lanes/

Thanks,

David

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**To:** Chen-Yuan Wang

Subject: RE: Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study Meeting 2/10/2014 Monday 1:30PM

Hi Chen-Yuan,

I will not be able to attend this afternoon's meeting. I do have a comment on the draft report. MassDOT has a new Engineering Directive regarding design criteria in accordance with the Healthy Transportation Initiative. This directive calls for a minimum of 5 foot shoulders to accommodate bicycles and sidewalks on both sides of the road in urban areas. This applies to all projects on State Highways or funded with State and/or Federal funding. So I would recommend that your proposed cross section include the 5 foot shoulders and two sidewalks where feasible. You may want to consider narrower travel lanes (11 foot).

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**Subject:** RE: Final Draft Report for Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study

Hi Chen-Yuan,

I still do not support the one directional bike accommodation. It would be better to narrow the lanes and even the shoulders. I noticed that you mention the need for a waiver. This only applies on State Highway and when the Towns intend to use MassDOT funding. In those cases sidewalks are required on both sides of the roadway and the shoulder width is five feet.

# Connie

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**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 6:54 AM

**To:** 'Chen-Yuan Wang'

**Subject:** RE: Routes 127A/127 Bike Designs

#### Mr. Wang,

Thank you for reaching out to me regarding your questions on bicycle accommodations. Below are the questions and my responses asked both as part of this email and from our follow up meeting on March 20<sup>th</sup> at CTPS. Please see my responses below:

• Are wide shoulders (4'-5') on only one side (ocean side) of the roadways in this scenic area acceptable? Per the Healthy Transportation Policy Directive and Engineering Directive E-14-001 5' is the minimum width for bicycle accommodations.

The attached map shows clearly that there are many sections which transition from bike lanes or usable shoulders to shared use. I would first suggest updating the map to only show bike lanes which measure 5' in width. My guess is this will further reduce the lengths of these sections. I do not see a real benefit to providing accommodations on one side and not the other. In fact I would consider using shared lane and redistributing the width from the bike lane/shoulder more equitably. This is of course based on the assumption that speeds are low (35MPH or less) as are volumes. Narrow travel lanes (<13') generally imply that bicycles should take the lane as there is not enough width for a vehicle to pass a bicycle. Some energy and resources can be directed at other actions such as traffic calming to help reduce speeds and make it more palatable for bicycles to share the road with vehicles.

• Can or should shoulders be completely eliminated on shared travel lanes?

On state highways we stripe a shoulder line as it helps define the edge of travel way. On town roads we typically match existing. In this case assuming it is a state road(s) then I would stripe both shoulders at 2' and take the extra 2-3' and add it to the travel lanes. Note that this may trigger a design exception report for both bicycle accommodation and right shoulder width.

• What is the desirable width for shared road? And a few others.

This is influenced by speed, volumes (both vehicular & bicycle), geometry (horizontal & vertical). The width at which sharrows can be considered is below 16' (this assumes an 11' lane and 5' bike lane/shoulder). From 15' to 13' the placement of the sharrow is 4' from the curb (11' if there is parking). For less than 13' the placement is recommended in the middle of the lane.

• Would it be feasible to not stripe a center line and allow vehicles to pass around bike who would be given a dedicated space?

While this practice has been implemented in other countries it is not an acceptable approach here at this time. Not defining a center line on a roadway that has speeds up to 35MPH and volumes that exceed 10,000 VPD during peak season would not be a recommended action. Wide shared lanes and speed calming techniques would be a viable option to improve safety and comfort for bicycles.

What is the requirement regarding sidewalks?

The Healthy Transportation Policy Directive issues in September of 2013 has very specific goals and requirements for all MassDOT projects. On all urban roadways we are required to provide two sidewalks for each project. As a way to enforce and monitor this directive MassDOT issued Engineering Directive E-14-001. This directive improved upon our Design Exception process to now include sidewalks and pedestrian

elements. So, any project such as the Route 127A/127 project which fails to meet the two sidewalk requirement and the 5' bike lane/shoulder requirement will need to go through the design exception process. As is the case at this location, sometimes there is just not enough available right of way to meet the needs of all users in the form of separate accommodations for all. The design exception process gives the designer the option to discuss other options which still provide safe and equitable accommodations for all users. Additionally, there are contextual elements that help guide our decision one way or the other.

Thanks, Lou

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Subject: RE: Final Draft Report for Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study

Hi Bill,

Thank you for your comments. We also received comments from MAPC and MassDOT, all very helpful; they can be reviewed in the appendix of the memo. We incorporated them all as best as we could; bicycle accommodation is probably the issue that has received the most interest in this study.

Because the major roadways we examined in this study are State numbered routes, they have to follow MassDOT design standards, especially if Federal or State funds are to be used for the improvements. We consulted with MassDOT Complete Streets Engineer and received the following guidance about various design elements which were recommended in comments we received:

- Complete elimination of shoulders: This recommendation could probably only apply to roadways in Downtown Rockport but not on the major sections of Routes 127A/127. On state highways, MassDOT requires the striping of shoulder lines because they help define the edge of travel way, especially at night. In cases of shared road operations for bicycles and vehicles, MassDOT indicated that minimum 1' shoulders are still required.
- Removal of centerlines: Per MassDOT, the removal of centerlines is inappropriate for a corridor such as this due to its speed limit (35 MPH), high traffic volumes, and curved alignments. It would be particularly inappropriate for this specific corridor because:
  - Routes 127 and 127A are minor principal arterials in terms of functional class.
  - The roads are steep and winding in many sections, with frequent horizontal and vertical transitions, where centerlines are essential for safety.
  - Limited selected application in the study corridor would create an inconsistent design and be drastic change from the rest of the corridor, likely causing driver confusion. As such, its application to the limited section near Lanesville would not be appropriate.
  - A major transition section and signing to alert drivers about the change would be required before and after the application section. There no areas in the corridor are sufficient for such transitions.

However, we do think that this no-centerline can be effective in slowing traffic and providing bicycle and pedestrian accommodations in certain situations. In the documentation, we did recommend that elimination of centerlines could be considered for local streets or low-volume collectors in areas adjacent to the study corridor.

I like to stress that this was a study at the conceptual planning stage. Its purpose was to create awareness of the issues and identify potential treatments and a basis from which to spring off to the detailed design stage. We tried to adhere to existing design standards, as presently required by MassDOT. Therefore, at this preliminary planning stage, we can only identify rough sections for shared-road or wide-shoulder applications (as shown in the figures of proposed pedestrian and bicycle accommodations). It is not practical to be specific in terms of locations, as these have to be decided by actual field surveys at the design stage. However, we did try to be inclusive and identify as many potential applications to accommodate pedestrians and bicycles as possible. We discussed all the applications in our report and the comments from MAPC and MassDOT are all included in the report appendices.

Thank you for your help on the study. Chen-Yuan

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Cc: Efi Pagitsas; Bourassa, Eric

Subject: RE: Final Draft Report for Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study

#### Chen-Yuan:

Could I kindly ask that you reply/respond to the issues raised in the email below, particularly as they relate to MAPC's recommendations?

I know the clock is ticking but, after some consideration, I do believe that it is in the future best interests of all roadway users (cyclists, pedestrians and motorists) that the study to be as location focused and specific as it can be in its recommendations. Any monies that may be available for improvements will only likely be accessed for solutions that address the safety of the non-vehicular users. Without the promise of meaningful advancements in safety vis-a-vis the recommendations I think what is now a challenging funding request will become an impossible one.

While not the engineer in the group, it does seem to me that it is possible to implement the shoulder recommendations on certain specific sections of the route. It is those possibilities that I believe warrant further attention and consideration.

Thank you for your efforts on behalf of our region.

Regards,

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Subject: RE: Final Draft Report for Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study

Thank you Chen-Yuan for providing us the latest draft of this study.

The recommendations for bicycle accommodation still does not address the concerns that I brought up, nor do they reflect the reality of the roadway conditions that limit any widening for much of the corridor. Two foot shoulders are not acceptable bicycle accommodation. Another recommendation needs to be made.

Referring to Figure 8 in the report we do not believe that widening the road to provide shoulder cross sections 1 or 2 are possible on most sections of the roadway due to various physical constraints. The analysis does not address where this may be possible.

Sam and I discussed the draft and offer the following MAPC recommendations for this corridor.

Where 4 foot shoulders are not possible – eliminate the shoulders all together, particularly in sections with sidewalks, and stripe sharrows. Roadway widths are estimated in the 24-28 ft range. Unfortunately the report does not identify existing cross sections at various sample points along the corridor. Elimination of the shoulder consists of either removing the edge line entirely, or moving the edge line to 6 inches from edge of pavement. This allows for clear shared roadway space between bicycle and motor vehicles, as width does not allow for separate accommodation.

Remove the center line and stripe dashed shoulders for pedestrian and bicycle accommodation between Lanesville and Haven Ave (Rockport). A pilot installation of centerline removal and dash shoulders is ideal in this location due to low traffic volumes (< 4000 ADT in the summer, <3000 ADT in winter) and 30mph or less speed limits. A shorter initial section with minimal curves between Lanesville and the Rockport line could be implemented first to evaluate.

Detailed design guidance for such an installation here. Used extensively in Europe, ideal conditions here in Gloucester/Rockport. Plus we can draw on the expertise from Northeastern University that has studied these pavement markings extensively.

http://sustainabletransportationholland.org/topics/bicycle-advisory-lanes/

Thanks,

David

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Subject: Final Draft Report for Routes 127A/127 (Cape Ann Loop) Study

Dear Study Advisory members,

Attached please find a draft of the final report for your review (the appendices is separated from the report due to file size). We hope to get your comments back by next Friday (3/21/2014). We schedule to submit it for MPO approval on 4/17/2014. We apologize for the short notice, as it would take nearly a month to complete the MPO/MassDOT review process. Please note this is a draft not ready for public release until the MPO's approval. Thank you for your helps. Let me know if you have any questions in the documents.

Regards, Chen-Yuan Wang

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# APPENDIX L

Roadway Design: Bicycle Advisory Lanes Sustainable Transportation in the Netherlands

# Sustainable Transportation in the Netherlands A website Created by Peter Furth and students of Northeastern University

# **Bicycle Advisory Lanes**

Written by Peter Ellison and William Gray, Contributions by Tomas Bertulis (2011) Updated by Ayan Majmudar, Andrew Raffo, and Bea van den Heuvel (2012) Updated by Andrew Brunn and Joel Shaffer (2013)

Many two-way roads are too narrow to simultaneously allow two lanes of traffic to travel and also allow two bicycles to travel. The solution in the Netherlands has been to install shared bicycle lanes on these roads called advisory lanes or suggestion lanes. Advisory lanes are created in areas where separate cycle tracks cannot be made, whether from spatial or government restrictions. The CROW manual only refers to advisory bike lanes and legal bike lanes whereas it does not mention shared bicycle lanes. A shared bicycle lane is a term that can be used to describe both legal bicycle lanes as well as advisory bicycle lanes.

Installing shared bicycle lanes versus unshared bicycle lanes on a road depends on the road's width. If a road is wide enough to accommodate two lanes for motor vehicle travel and two lanes for bicycle travel, then unshared bicycle lanes will be installed since all traffic has enough road width to safely pass. If a road is too narrow to accommodate two lanes for motor vehicle travel along with two lanes for bicycles, then shared bicycle lanes may be installed. These lanes make it possible for cars traveling in opposing direction to pass one another by allowing them to use the shared bicycle lanes as the extra room they need to pass. Normally installing shared lanes means no centerline will be installed, yet still designate sufficient space for bikes. The 1998 Dutch CROW ASVV: Recommendations for Traffic Provisions in Built-up Areas, recommends centerlines only in situations where crossing the centerline will result in great risk such as on heavily traveled roads with high speeds. In contrast, the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices in the United States states that a centerline is needed for urban roads with average daily traffic (ADT) above 6,000 vehicles per day and for rural roads with average daily traffic above 3,000 vehicles per day.



Typical Shared Bicycle Lanes- Pauwstraat in Delft

#### **Intended Use**

Advisory lanes suggest where vehicles and cyclists should operate given the confined width of a narrow street. Bicyclists are advised to travel in the designated shoulders of the road and motorists are advised to drive in the designated center (which is too narrow for two-way vehicular traffic). Therefore, motorists can easily pass cyclists when they encounter one another. When two vehicles traveling in opposing directions encounter one another, they can temporarily move into the advised cycling lanes to avoid a conflict. This reasoning can be used for a variety of potential conflicts involving personal vehicles, buses, mopeds, and bicycles traveling in the same or opposite directions.

## **Designed Use**

The basic setup for advisory lanes is a road for motorized vehicles sandwiched between two bicycle lanes with dashed lines. Advisory lanes do not have any centerlines and therefore leaves passing and decision making up to the cyclists and vehicle operators. These lanes ensure the best use of the entire width of the road by directing cars down the center of the road and allowing lanes of bicycles to pass on either side. When two cars traveling in opposing directions meet, they yield to passing bicyclists and then utilize the shared bicycle lanes to perform their pass. In the Netherlands, roads with shared bicycle lanes are usually collector roads that collect the traffic from small local roads and direct it to a main road. They normally do not have a centerline and mainly have low to moderate volume traffic traveling at speeds of 30 – 50 km/hr in urban areas and up to 60 km/hr in rural areas. These lanes make safe bike and vehicle travel possible on narrow roads.

#### **Actual Use**

The Netherlands mainly utilizes shared bicycle lanes on narrow urban and rural collector roads with low to moderate traffic to allow roads to remain two-way and still provide bicycles with a safe lane of travel. Cars respect the shared bicycle lane in the same manner as an unshared bicycle lane and when attempting to pass one another give priority to any traveling bicycles and yield before completing their pass. The consistent speed of bicycle travel in the shared bicycle lane means that cars passing each other do not have to wait very long at all when yielding to a bicycle before entering the shared lane. The existence of these lanes creates a sort of etiquette on the road where both the car driver and bicyclist knows where each should be and how to efficiently share the road should an instance of passing occur. Also, these lanes cause an expectation to be created where car drivers are aware that bicycles may be traveling in this nearby marked lane.



Bicycle and Car traveling in advised areas on S. V. D. Oyeweg in Pijnacker



Car yielding to traveling bicycles by utilizing shared bicycle lane on the Westplantsoen in Delft



Car shows recognition of bicycles by moving over into shared bicycle lane on the Molenweg in Nootdorp.



Cars utilizing full road width to pass on the Zuideindseweg in Delfgauw

# APPENDIX M

MassDOT Engineering Directive (Interim) E-14-001 February 4, 2014



Policy: P-13-0001

Date: September 9, 2013

# HEALTHY TRANSPORTATION POLICY DIRECTIVE

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## I. Healthy Transportation Policy Directive:

This directive formalizes MassDOT's commitment to the implementation and maintenance of transportation networks that serve all mode choices for our customers and that was memorialized in our Mode Shift Goal announced October 2012.

## II. Goal:

To further MassDOT's GreenDOT Implementation Plan, the Commonwealth's Healthy Transportation Compact and statewide Mode Shift Goal, this *Healthy Transportation Policy Directive* is issued to ensure <u>all MassDOT</u> projects are designed and implemented in a way that all our customers have access to safe and comfortable healthy transportation options at all MassDOT facilities and in all the services we provide. This directive builds on other existing directives and guidance that addresses such issues. Healthy Transportation modes as defined by GreenDOT are walking, bicycling and taking transit.

## III. Implementation:

## 1) Project Reviews

In order to ensure that healthy transportation modes are considered <u>equally</u> as potential solutions within project design, this *Healthy Transportation Policy Directive* requires the following:

- 1A. All MassDOT funded and or designed projects shall seek to increase and encourage more pedestrian, bicycle and transit trips. MassDOT has established a statewide mode shift goal that seeks to triple the distance traveled by walking, bicycling and transit by 2030, promoting intermodal access to the maximum extent feasible will help the agency meet this goal.
- 1B. The MassDOT Highway, Rail & Transit, and Aeronautics Divisions shall undertake a review process to evaluate all projects currently under MassDOT design oversight for conformance with the specifications and spirit of this *Healthy Transportation Policy Directive*. This process must be completed by January 1, 2014 and submitted to the Secretary and CEO for review. Projects programmed for federal and state funding within the next four fiscal years should be reviewed as a priority. For projects under the Highway Division, the emphasis should be on those projects that entered the design review process before the adoption of the *2006 Project Development and Design Guide*. Projects should not advance in the design process until they have undertaken this review.
- 1C. MassDOT funded and or designed projects that <u>fail</u> to provide facilities for healthy transportation modes, as identified by the aforementioned reviews, shall require signoff by the Secretary and CEO of Transportation prior advancing additional design work. For the Highway Division, this shall not apply to roadway facilities that already prohibit bicyclists and pedestrians, such as limited access highways, or Interstates.
- 1D. Projects under contract for construction, currently under bid review, or advertised for construction on the date of this policy adoption, do not need to undergo major modifications. However, each MassDOT Division shall submit a list of these projects to the Secretary and CEO of Transportation by October 1, 2013 highlighting healthy transportation design opportunities.
- 1E. MassDOT construction projects shall include provisions of off-road accommodations (shared use path, or bridge side path) or clearly designate safe travel routes for pedestrians, bicyclists, and transit users along existing facilities, including customers that fall under the protection of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

## 2) Project Design Process

2A. All design notices and public communications for projects shall clearly state the following: 1) existing walking, bicycling and transit facilities/routes that are within the project site area to educate the community on their options for attending public meetings or hearings, and 2) walking, bicycling and transit facilities/routes that are within the project site area that are proposed in the project.

- 2B. All proposed project scopes of work and associated budgets being prepared by the Highway Division shall clearly detail walking (along with identified deficiencies in ADA compliance), bicycling and transit facilities/routes that are within the project site area at the time of project number issuance. In addition, existing or proposed networks within a 2-mile radius of the proposed project, critical connections to downtowns or transit facilities, and all Bay State Greenway routes shall be clearly identified.
- 2C. All MassDOT facilities shall be responsive to adjacent land uses and site context. Wherever adjacent land uses include commercial development or residential development of greater than five units per acre, a sidewalk should be provided along the roadway adjacent to the use. The potential for walking, bicycling and transit activity increases due to existing or planned land uses such as: schools, public parks and playgrounds, hospitals, retail centers, senior centers or housing, multi-family housing, or community centers. Design features to consider shall include, but not limited to: wider sidewalks, street trees, landscaped buffers, benches, lighting, frequent crossing opportunities and strong intermodal connectivity to transit. All project proposals being reviewed or designed by MassDOT shall provide a project site context map with basic information about the site location, and land use (commercial, office, institutional, educational, etc.).
- 2D. MassDOT shall initiate road safety audits of known clustered incident sites where healthy transportation users are involved, to improve customer safety for more vulnerable users. This effort shall have an initial emphasis on healthy transportation users in Environmental Justice communities. By December 31, 2014 the Highway Division shall identify and conduct road safety audits for all high crash location clusters for healthy transportation users along MassDOT owned facilities where that cluster falls in areas where two of three, or all Environmental Justice community thresholds are exceeded (lowincome, minority or limited English proficiency). By June 30, 2015 the Highway Division shall have developed a process to implement safety projects to address the locations identified. This process shall include the development of metrics for success and identify a reasonable completion date.
- 2E. For projects along non-limited access rights-of-way in urbanized areas, sidewalks shall be provided on both sides of roadway rights-of-way with added attention to ADA compliance. Every bridge, overpass or underpass shall provide sidewalks on both sides of the road, even if comparable facilities do not yet exist on the abutting road segments, unless pedestrian travel is already prohibited along the roadway.
- 2F. All project proposals being reviewed or designed by MassDOT including new design, retrofits and maintenance shall not remove existing pedestrian or bicycle facilities unless those are replaced by facilities providing equal or better Level of Service. They shall also seek to add facilities that increase and encourage healthy transportation for pavement restoration and resurfacing projects including opportunities to meet ADA compliance. These plans shall be signed off on by the District Highway Engineer and electronic copies provided to the Office of Transportation Planning.
- 2G. The MassDOT Highway and Rail & Transit Divisions shall establish a guide for use by communities that propose Shared Use Paths on or along rail beds. The guide shall be written to assist communities in understanding the design standards (including ADA compliance) for such paths, especially along active rail lines, and acquiring rights of way with the intention of accelerating the design of Shared Use Paths, especially those facilities that are an element of the Bay State Greenway and/or provide critical connections to downtowns or transit facilities. The MassDOT Highway and Rail & Transit Divisions shall permit Shared-Use Paths to be installed along active or future railroad rights-of-way (Rails with Trails) provided appropriate fencing separates the two uses.

- 2H. For the design of bicycle facilities MassDOT shall consider, but not be limited to, the *AASHTO Guide* for the Development of Bicycle Facilities (2012) and the *NACTO Urban Bikeway Design Guide* (2012) as supplements to the *Project Development and Design Guide* (2006), except for pavement markings not approved by MUTCD. MassDOT should utilize other guides as they emerge and evolve from NACTO, AASHTO, and/or the US Department of Transportation.
- 2I. For the design of bus stop facilities MassDOT shall consider, but not be limited to, guidelines of the MBTA Bus Stop Planning and Design Guide (2013) and guidance on ADA compliance. MassDOT should utilize other guides as they emerge and evolve from NACTO, AASHTO, and/or the US Department of Transportation.
- 2J. Upon completion of all healthy transportation facilities, the location, description, and length must be submitted to the appropriate MassDOT offices to facilitate asset management activities.

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# **APPENDIX N**

**List of Intersections with Relatively Wide Layouts** 

## List of Intersections with Relatively Wide Layouts in the Study Corridor

## Intersections on Route 127A:

- Bass Ave at Sayward Street/Brightside Avenue, Gloucester
- Bass Ave at Atlantic Road, Gloucester
- Thatcher Road at Witham Street, Gloucester
- Thatcher Road at Rockport Road, Gloucester
- Thatcher Road at South Street, Rockport
- Mount Pleasant Street at Atlantic Avenue, Rockport
- Mount Pleasant Street at Broadway, Rockport

#### Intersections on Route 127:

- Main Street/Railroad Avenue at Broadway/Parker Street (Five-Corner), Rockport
- Railroad Avenue/Granite Street at King Street/Summit Avenue, Rockport
- Granite Street at Beach Street, Rockport
- Granite Street at Wharf Road, Rockport
- Granite Street at Beach Street, Rockport
- Granite Street at Curtis Street (south segment), Rockport
- Granite Street at Curtis Street (north segment), Rockport
- Granite Street at Gott Avenue, Rockport
- Granite Street at Bay View Avenue, Rockport
- Washington Street at Langsford Street, Gloucester
- Langsford Street at Andrews Street, Gloucester
- Langsford Street at Washington Street, Gloucester
- Washington Street at Duley Street, Gloucester
- Washington Street at Brierwood Street, Gloucester
- Washington Street at Holly Street, Gloucester
- Washington Street at Reynard Street, Gloucester
- Washington Street at Hodgkins Street, Gloucester

# Intersections in Downtown Rockport:

- Mount Pleasant Street at Main Street (Dock Square)
- Main Street at Beach Street