

February 8, 2021

Glenn Eaton, Executive Director
Montachusett Regional Planning Commission
464 Abbott Ave
Leominster MA 01453

Re: Unified Work Program

Dear Mr. Eaton:

I write to you to request assistance through the Unified Work Program to perform a feasibility study to connect the North Central Pathway to New Hampshire and points west within Massachusetts. Representatives from various trail organizations from New Hampshire have reached out to the town and discussions have begun to make that part of the goal a reality. As you know, the North Central Pathway is a regional asset. This effort will expand the role the pathway plays in the region by providing connectivity between member towns throughout the region and provide access to and from New Hampshire. In addition, opportunities to expand accessible options to the outdoors and to exercise is especially critical during the COVID19 pandemic.

Please refer any questions concerning this request to Planning & Development Director, Tracy Murphy at 1-978-297-5414 or tmurphy@townofwinchendon.com.

Regards,

Mike Barbaro, Chairman
Winchendon Board of Selectmen