

New Boston Connects
Community Visioning Meeting
October 20, 2005

Minutes

What are your preferred forms of transportation?

autos, walking, biking, skateboarding, snow shoeing, x-country skiing, horseback, school bus, skateboard, canoeing, snowmobile, kayaking, orientating

What are some of the common places you go to? (Key Destinations)

Town Hall	Dodge's Store	Apple Barn
Post Office	Library	Church
School	Bank	Recycling Center
Cemetery	Police Dept.	Fire House
Video Store	Hardware Store	Orchard
Fairground	Playground	Pizza Place
Dentist/Doctor	White Bldgs	Tavern
Fitness Center	Depot	Trailheads
Daniel's Garage	Artisan's Center	Playground
Gazebo	Goffstown	

What keeps you from getting to these places as a pedestrian or by bike?

- Excessive traffic speed
- No sidewalk maintenance
- Big trucks
- No crosswalks
- Limited roads to access key destinations-few alternative routes
- Increased traffic volume
- Paving dirt roads equals more speed
- Inadequate shoulders along roads
- Poor navigation for trucks (alt. route)
- Too many trucks in residential areas
- Trails are underused. Some are not easily accessed
- Motorcycle noise
- Lack of respect from drivers
- No pedestrian way
- Discourteous drivers
- Curvy roads (blind corners)
- Weird traffic flow
- Too much pavement, road too wide at Mill St/Rt 13/ Meetinghouse Hill Rd intersection
- Confusing at monument
- Not enough speed limit signs
- Inadequate lighting to walk at night
- Too many trucks in residential area
- Noise caused by jack brakes
- Have to time bike rides to coincide with low traffic volume
- Only one bridge that crosses river
- Have to drive to get to recreation areas