

# VILLAGE OF SCHOHARIE

Trail, Park, and Linkage Planning to Enhance the Vitality of the Village

## LWRP Recreational Assets Inventory and Plan for Village of Schoharie

The Village of Schoharie has, since the devastation of Hurricane Irene, completed a state-funded Long-range Community Recovery Plan, NY Rising Plan, and a LWRP focused on Recreation Infrastructure to revitalize our economy based on tourism and to enhance the quality of life for residents. CP&EA was the principal consultant on all three of these efforts for the Village. Together with Place Alliance, and Don Meltz GIS, CP&EA worked with the Village to plan for outdoor and heritage tourism - which are uniquely supported in the Village with more open space, waterfront, and park space in the Village than any other nearby community, but they need enhancement and strengthened linkages to each other and to downtown businesses on Main Street. The LWRP fully describes waterfront revitalization needs and focuses on several major upgrades needed to reach the revitalization goals of the Village. Our work included public input, site reconnaissance, individual work with landowners, and site concept design and cost estimates by Place Alliance. The Plan includes a complete profile and inventory of resources, vision and long-range strategies, and design of seven priority projects within the Village. These were designed in part to be able to have strong linkages to the pro-

*We Made  
Fun Part of  
our Plan - from  
the Schoharie Village  
Recreation Plan*



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WATERFRONT RECREATION ASSETS PLAN  
SCHEMATIC DESIGNS / JUNE 2016

### SITE 3. SCHOHARIE CREEK ACCESS

#### PLAN KEY

1. MULTIPURPOSE TRAIL
2. POTENTIAL PUBLIC ACCESS/TRAIL HEAD PARKING
3. WATERFRONT ACCESS AND CANOE/KAYAK LAUNCH
4. SCHOHARIE CREEK OVERLOOK AND PICNIC AREAS
5. NATURALIZED PLANTINGS WITH "GATWAY" SIGNAGE
6. PROPOSED OVERFLOW/VISITOR PARKING
7. SIDEWALK CONNECTION FROM PUBLIC CREEK ACCESS ALONG BRIDGE STREET



## Identified Priority Projects

- Fox Creek Park & Trail
- Schoharie Land Trust Island Creek Access & Trail
- 1.5 mile multi-use trail along the Creek
- Bridget Street trail-head and canoe/