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HARRIET ISLAND

SOUTH ST. PAUL

THE ROBERT
PIRAM REGIONAL
TRAIL

PROJECT OVERVIEW

Saint Paul and Dakota County have teamed up to plan for the creation of a new bicycle and pedestrian trail that will fill several important gaps in the region's trail system.

The new trail segment will connect the Harriet Island Regional Park and its trail system to Kaposia Landing Park in South St. Paul. The project will also make improvements to the connection between the Lilydale Park trail and the Big Rivers Trail in Dakota County.

The completed trail is expected to become part of the Mississippi River Trail, a multi-state bike trail that begins at the Mississippi River's headwaters at Itasca State Park and extends, adjacent to the river, all the way to the Gulf of Mexico.

TRAIL ALIGNMENT + FEATURES

- Grade-separated, 10' wide multi-purpose trail, approx. 3.7 miles in length.
- Series of trail nodes include landscaping, site furnishings, and interpretive signage.
- Structures include pedestrian overpass bridge in South Saint Paul and two boardwalk bridges in Saint Paul.



FUNDING AND PROJECT TIMELINE



- Estimated Construction Cost:\$8-8.3M
- Funding Sources Include:
 Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Surface
 Transportation Grant, Legacy Funds, National Park
 Service, Metropolitan Council, Dakota County and
 Ramsey County

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- Planning + Development
- · Bidding and Contract Award
- Preliminary + Final Design
- Trail Construction



