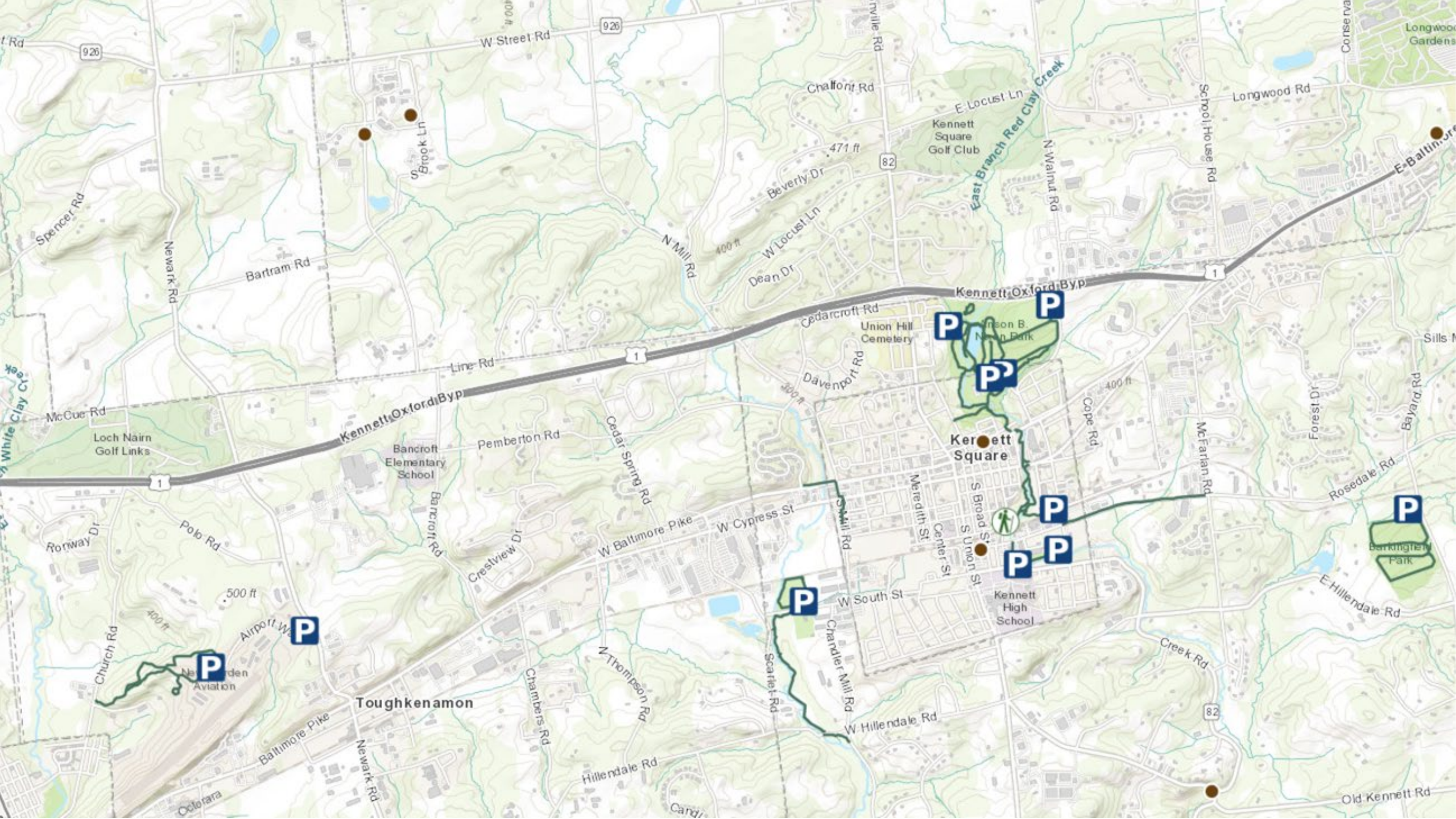


Building Regional Bike & Pedestrian Connectivity

Christina Norland, Kennett Trails Alliance -
Executive Director

Natasha Manbeck, McMahon –
Sr Project Manager





Kennett/Oxford Byp

Kennett Square

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Kennett High School

Aviation

Bancroft Elementary School

Union Hill Cemetery

Kennett Square Golf Club

Barlingfield Park

Longwood Gardens



Regional trails committee

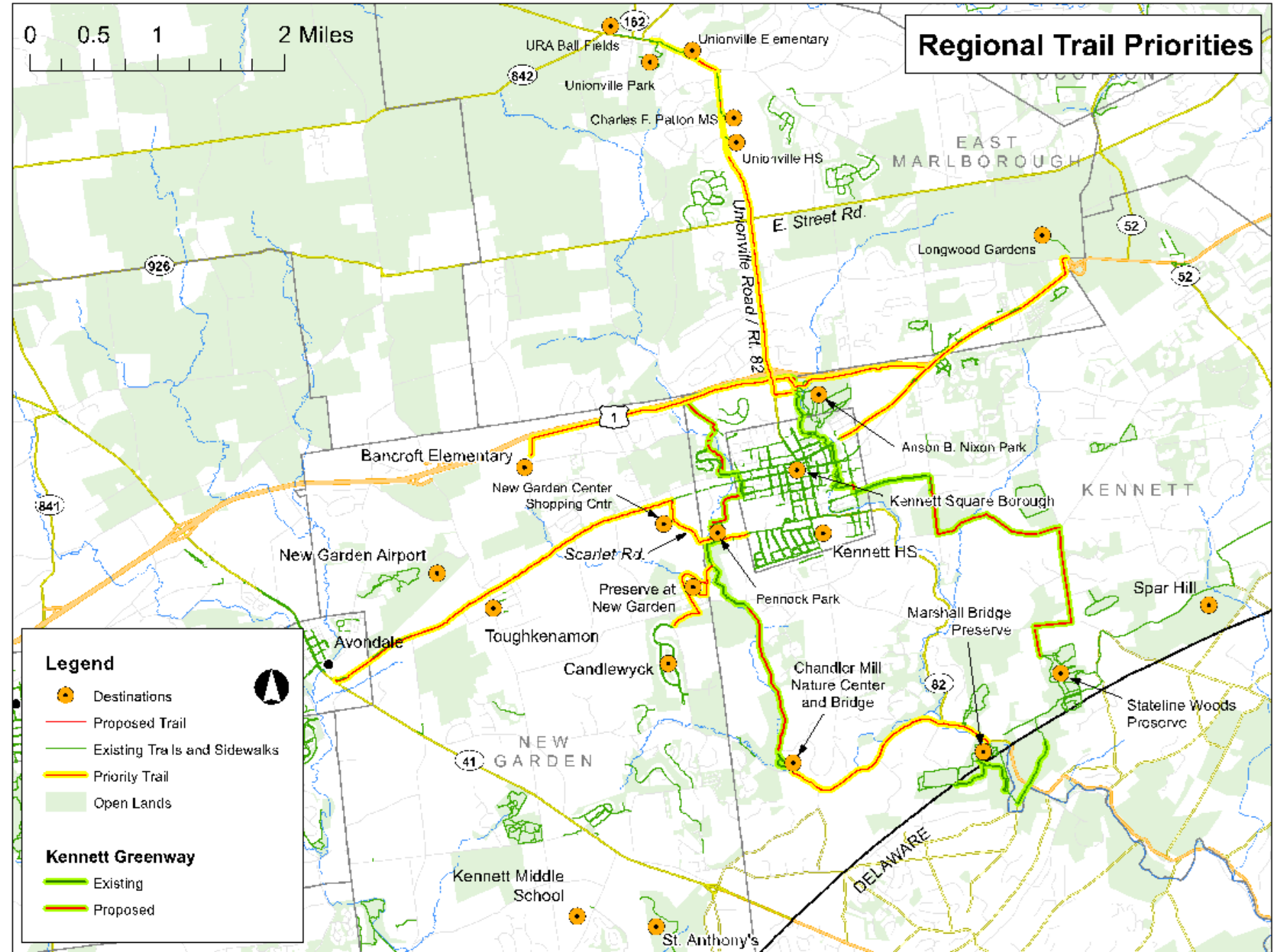
In order to create a well-connected and consistent regional trail network, Kennett Township, Kennett Borough, East Marlborough Township and New Garden Township — together with Bike Kennett, Friends of New Garden Trails, Kennett Trails Alliance and Chester County Planning Commission — have formed the Kennett Area Regional Trails Committee.

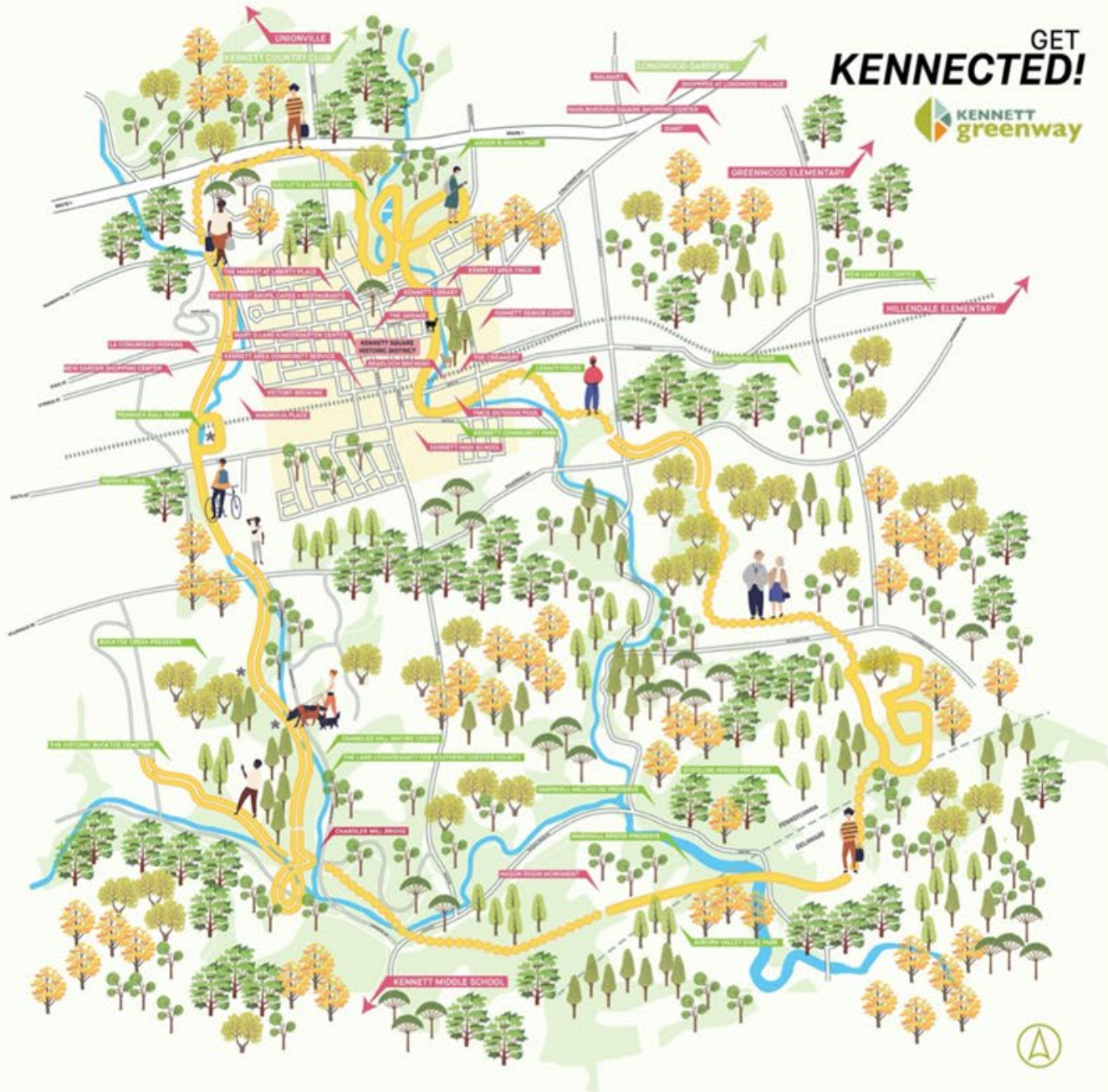
Our goal is to coordinate the planning, development, implementation and maintenance of trails and sidewalks across local municipalities.

Regional Priorities

For both bicyclists & pedestrians

All these priorities are reflected in local projects at various stages of design, engineering, permitting & construction



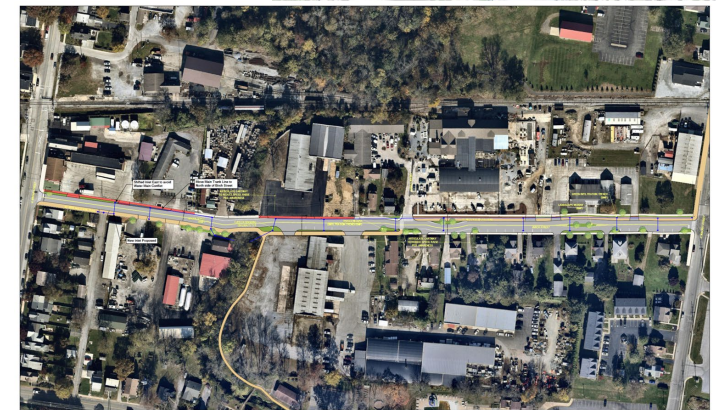
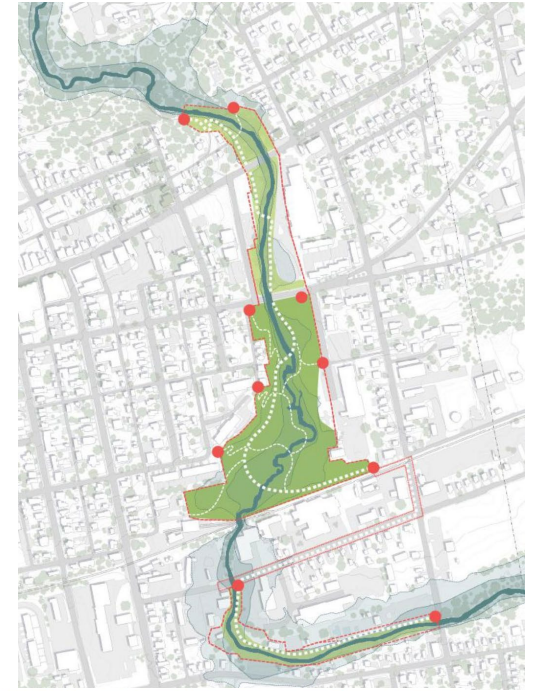


The Kennett Greenway

- Connecting everyday destinations
- Get from home to schools, parks, grocery stores, restaurants & workplaces by walking or biking
- Offering physical protection from cars and easy to cross intersections
- Designed to meet accessibility standards
- Spokes & connectors to broader community HOAs and assets
- Encourage exploration and freedom for all ages

Ongoing Bike & Pedestrian Projects

- Kennett Greenway
 - Chandler Mill Greenway (Kennett Township)
 - Magnolia Underpass (Kennett Township)
 - Birch Street Complete Street (Kennett Borough)
 - Red Clay Park (Kennett Borough)
- Kennett Borough Park-to-Park
- W South St Sidewalks (Kennett Township)
- Baltimore Pike Bikeway (various)
- Planning Kennett Connections (various)
-and more!



*The future of walking and biking between
Kennett Square Borough, Kennett Township, and East Marlborough Township*

PLANNING KENNETT CONNECTIONS



PROJECT OVERVIEW

MUNICIPAL PARTNERS

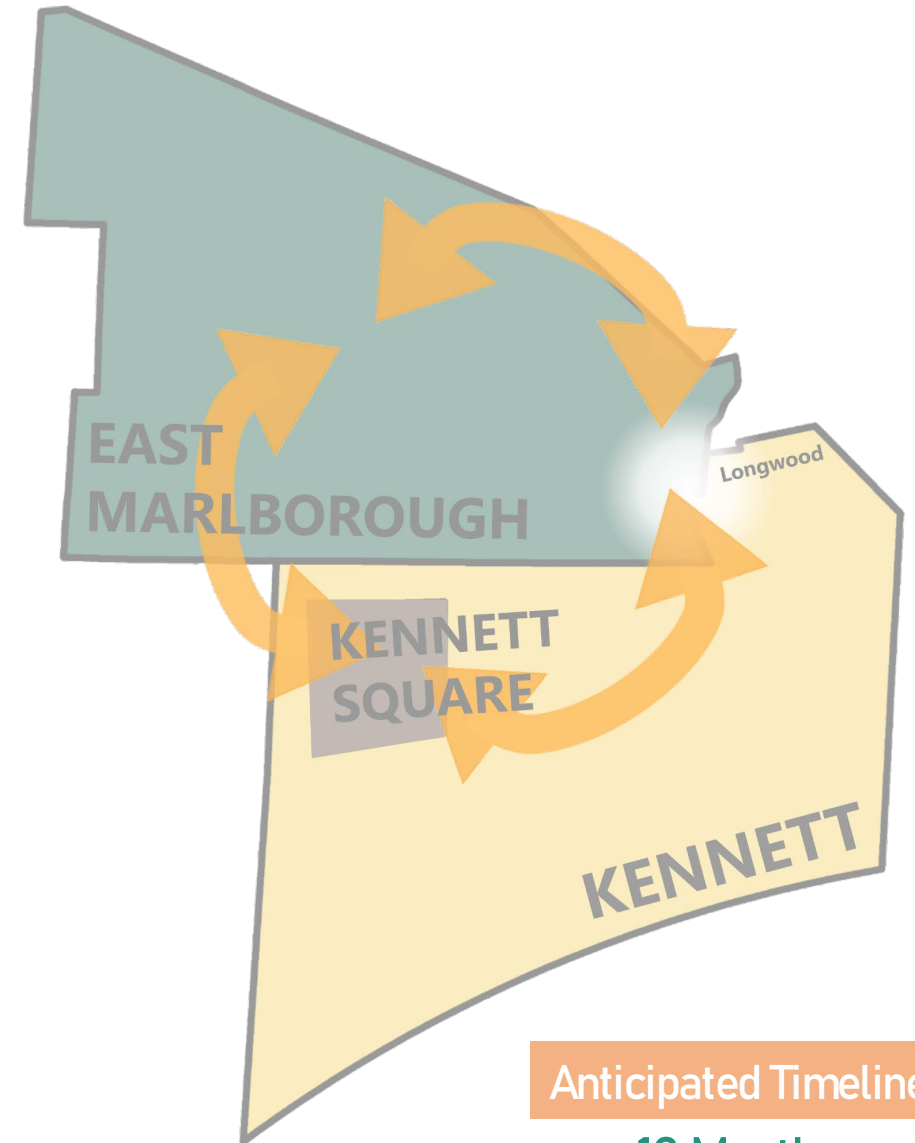
- East Marlborough Township
- Kennett Township
- Kennett Square Borough

CONSULTANT TEAM

- McMahon
- Biohabitats
- Unknown Studio

BUDGET AND FUNDING = \$75,783

- Chester County's Vision Partnership
- Municipal Match
- Longwood Gardens



Anticipated Timeline
12 Months

SCOPE AND SCHEDULE

	2022									2023		
	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Task 1 – Existing Conditions Inventory and Data Collection	[Orange bar]											
Task 2 – Vision and Design Guidelines			[Orange bar]									
Task 3 – Conceptual Evaluation					[Orange bar]							
Task 4 – Implementation								[Orange bar]				
Task 5 – Public Involvement	[Orange bar]											
Task Force Meetings			+			+			+			
Public Meetings				[Green box]			[Green speech bubble]			[Green speech bubble]		
Business Community								[Green circle]				
Final Presentations												[Green star]
Task 6 – Final Report									[Orange bar]			

KEY ISSUES AND CONSIDERATIONS



ROUTE 1

AUTO-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT



CONSTRAINED ROADWAYS

USERS WITH DIVERSE NEEDS, ABILITIES, AND INTERESTS

LONGWOOD GARDENS



NATURAL, HISTORIC, CULTURAL, AND SCENIC FEATURES

TRANSIT ACCESS

LANDOWNER SUPPORT

LACKING REGIONAL CONNECTIONS



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VISION

Connections that allow residents and visitors of all ages and abilities to safely reach key destinations by walking and biking

GOALS

Improve safety

for bicyclists and pedestrians of all ages and abilities

Increase bicycle and pedestrian access between key destinations

such as parks, schools, downtowns and villages, commercial and employment areas, and Longwood Gardens

Provide a range options for biking and walking that:

- Fulfill the different needs and abilities of users, particularly those that lack access to a private vehicle
- Reflect the unique character of the Kennett region
- Expand access to parks, trails, and other recreational resources to support healthy communities
- Offer aesthetics treatments and amenities to encourage use

Expand connections to the regional bikeway and trail network,

including the Brandywine Valley Scenic Byway / Kennett Bikeway and Kennett Greenway

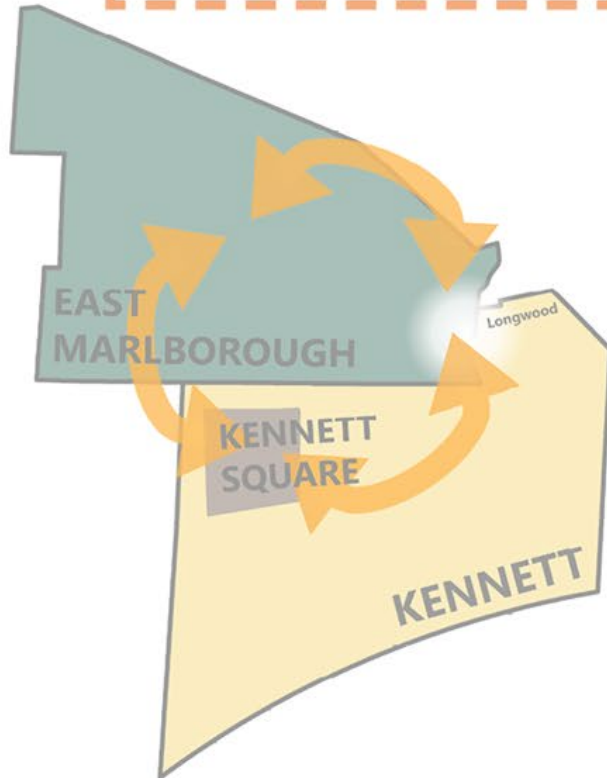
Coordinate among partners

to plan, expand, and promote the area's active transportation network

PLANNING KENNETT CONNECTIONS

Come and help shape the future of **WALKING** and **BIKING** between Kennett Borough, Kennett Township, and East Marlborough Township!

TWO WAYS TO PARTICIPATE



Wednesday, October 26th

6:30-8:00 PM



VIRTUAL WORKSHOP
attend online

Pre-registration required to attend Zoom meeting.
Spanish language closed captioning available.

Scan Here!



IN-PERSON WATCH PARTY

Kennett Square Presbyterian Church

211 S. Broad Street, Kennett Square, PA

Spanish Translation, Snacks, Kid's Activities!

All are welcome! Please RSVP online to help plan for supplies/activities.



Go to kennectivity.com/planning-kennett-connections for more information and to sign-up to attend the Virtual Workshop or Watch Party

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