2022

"I love the trail. A lot of work's been done. We put in those benches and everything and...! remember when I went out there in my truck... with a bunch of other volunteers. We've got some great people here that help."

"...I do think that once the snow melts or you have a big rain, you do have some areas [on either side of the trail] where it's lower and it's a lot muddier than everywhere else in town."

"[On New Orleans Avenue] everybody thinks it's okay to drive whatever [speed] they want." "...talking about the trail, where we cross over [County Road J40]...it would be nice to have stop signs there."

"I like that park, and the ball field looks good. Right next to it, you['ve] got the football field... Maybe we convert it to something else like a dog park." "I mainly only go [to City Park] to sit and eat."

"The trail is kind of thin, so I normally just ride through the trail to get to the park." "...it's really annoying that we're not allowed on the sidewalks because then we...have to ride our bikes straight down the street."

"I've nearly got[ten] hit three times by a car while riding my bike on the street."

> "Maybe [they should] add signs that say what things in town used to be...that would be interesting."

"...if you could

have working

streetlights on [the

corners of Dupont

and Tecumsah

and Dupont and

St. Phillip], it could

give enough light

that people would

feel safe."

replaced in a lot of

places...we just plain

need sidewalks."

"I just love walking...
instead of walking
around in circles on
the [city] blocks, I like
to walk the [trail].... I
love the [trail]."

"...anybody [who's] just cutting through the town or going to the fire department...they'll just speed going 35 or 40 down the main street [Hartford Avenue] and [there are] kids crossing onto the main street or going to the park...we have a speed issue."

"I [think we should upgrade] the outdoor entertainment for kids...whether it's updating the park or giving them a little fun bike trail... giving them something else that they can do."

"...we walk or my
[child] likes to ride
[their] bike, so we
ride our bike a lot
over to the [city]
park or on the trail."

"[They should] add trees to the [trail]... It's pretty bare...so it gets windy...and very hot."

"[The trail is] a nice place to walk [because]...it's not rough or anything... It's scenic also. There's a lot of wildlife that you can see."

"I enjoy [the morning glories] as they grow along the trail.
There [are] so many different colors. It's really pretty."

"When people walk in this town—and it's a good town for walking because it's flat and not a lot of traffic—but everybody walks in the street, because the sidewalks are not good."

Actives



Older Adults

"...Farragut has a number of people who have mobility problems...[it would be nice] to make it so that they can get out in the community...just coming downtown here, they are in the street..."

"[We] probably could use more shade along the trail, especially here in town." "The park to get to the shelter has a very nice sidewalk. It could have been a little wider, but it's usable. If they could have a sidewalk go on through the park...and then come all the way...from the shelter, you could get [to other areas]."

"For me, more places to rest would be ideal. Main Street {Hartford Avenue] has some benches, but if I just want to go walk around town, I would have to take a break somewhere, and there's not anywhere on the side streets to do that." "[There are] two little ramps at two different places on [the west] side of the Main Street [Hartford Avenue], but the sidewalks are horrible and there [are] very few sidewalks.

[Wheelchair users have] to travel in the street, which is very unsafe."

Youth



Mobility Challenged "...when [school bus drops the kids] off [at the bus stop on New Orleans Avenue], people are ripping by there...[and the bus is] dropping [the kids] off of the road...And there's not any place for them...to walk."

"...when you cross the trail right up by where the train tracks were, the sidewalk's a mess."

"...if you're in a wheelchair, the sidewalks need to be

"...Farragut is kind of a square mile to walk around the town. A lot of people walk [on New Orleans Avenue] and they go around the square. I have watched people be run off the road by speeders on that road..."

Parents

Steering Committee

"We do need...speed limit signs on Hartford besides the one right when you come into town because... you pull out and you don't see any vehicles, and all the sudden, there's one right there because it [speeds] right into to town."

"I'd love to see better handicapped parking at the park."

Farragut

What People Said

Transportation Assets and Barriers

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