

# QUINEBAUG RIVER TRAIL – PHASE III

KILLINGLY, CONNECTICUT



CLIENT:	TOWN OF KILLINGLY
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DATE OF COMPLETION:	2009
PROJECT COST:	\$1,500,000
SERVICES PROVIDED:	CONCEPTUAL PLANNING   TOPOGRAPHIC SURVEY   EASEMENT ACQUISITIONS   HYDROLOGIC AND HYDRAULIC ANALYSIS   SITE/CIVIL DESIGN   DRAINAGE DESIGN   PERMITTING   CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS   COST ESTIMATES   INSPECTIONS   CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION

The Quinebaug River Trail, Phase III is a continuation of a successfully popular trail that was constructed as a part of the Route 6 reconstruction. The trail itself is a key link in the much larger East Coast Greenway, a pedestrian / bicycle facility stretching from Maine to Florida. Phase III is approximately 16,000 feet long extending from just south of the Little League complex to the Plainfield Town line.

Important elements include coordination with adjacent property ownerships, drainage, utilities, wetlands impacts, retaining walls and two new steel span bridges. The Quinebaug River Trail parallels the Quinebaug River requiring extensive coordination and obtaining several permits from CT DEP. Archeological services were required for the project to address the potential affect on significant cultural resources – an ancient Native American fishing camp was uncovered within the proposed alignment.

Amenities along the way include scenic overlooks used as rest areas or observation points and access ways to the river for fisherman. This popular trail attracts hikers, naturalist, sportsman as well as the casual walker and families



\*This project is illustrative of staff's experience prior to Stadia Engineering Associates, Inc.