

## **NEWS RELEASE**

Norwalk, CT -

The City of Norwalk has proposed State Project 102-355 Roton Middle School Safe Routes to School. Preliminary design for the project has been completed. The project consists of constructing new ADA compliant sidewalks and curb ramps on Highland Avenue from Witch Lane to Knollwood Road, installing pedestrian crossing beacons on Highland Avenue at Roton Middle School and at Knollwood Road, relocating the existing crosswalk on Highland Avenue from just south of the intersection of Rowayton Woods to Knollwood Road, the installation of a new walkway and modifications to existing walkway at the rear of Roton Middle School and changes to the parking lot at the school to create safer traffic flow.

This project is being designed by the City and is recommended for construction under the Surface Transportation Program administered by the Connecticut Department of Transportation.

It is anticipated that the Federal Highway Administration will provide approximately \$400,000 of the project cost.

It is the City's and the State's policy to keep persons informed and involved when such projects are undertaken. It is important that the community share its concerns with us to assist in the project's development. The City will conduct an informational meeting on Monday, November 16, 2015 at 6:00 PM at the Roton Middle School, 201 Highland Avenue, Norwalk, CT. Deaf and hearing impaired persons wishing to attend this meeting and requiring an interpreter may make arrangements by contacting the City at least five (5) working days prior to the meeting.

Anyone interested in obtaining further information, or in providing input, may do so by contacting Customer Service at 203-854-3200.

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## **Public Informational Meeting**

For

State Project 102-355
Roton Middle School Safe Routes to School Project

Monday, November 16, 2015 at 6:00 PM in the Roton Middle School 201 Highland Avenue Norwalk, Connecticut

Residents, business owners and other interested parties are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to discuss this project involving sidewalk and other improvements in and around Roton Middle School in order to create a safer walking environment for students, parents and the public.

Department Representatives will be available after the presentation for an informal question and answer session.