

#### **Purpose of Presentation:**

- •Establish need for reconnection to the Riverfront
- •Compile and analyze recommendations of previous reports
- •Summarize existing conditions and future plans for area
- Present acquisition challenges

### Reports Used in Analysis:

- North Delaware Greenway
   Design Guidelines
- North Delaware Greenway Gaps Feasibility Study
- North Delaware Riverfront Rail Stations Urban Design Study
- 4. A Civic Vision for the Central Delaware
- 5. New Kensington CDC: Riverfront Plan









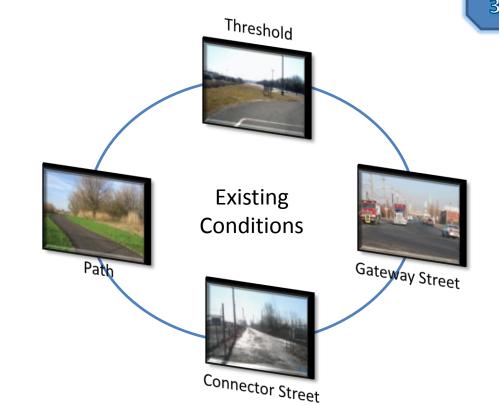




#### North Delaware Greenway Design Guidelines: Gateway Streets

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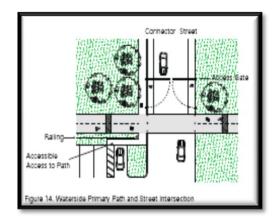


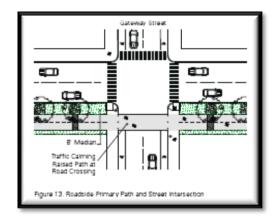
# NDRG Design Guidelines: Path and Street Intersections

# Important Points/Considerations for Intersections

- Striping/Crosswalks at all major primary roadside path intersections to direct users
- •Secondary paths continue through intersections to maintain surface continuity and define trail.
- •Greenway is a supplement to the bicycle network, not a replacement
- Consider Bicycle arrival and departure
- Minimize vehicular conflicts with parking and access provision
- •Bollards or Access Gates to be used to prevent unauthorized vehicles from entering the greenway

#### **Example Intersections**







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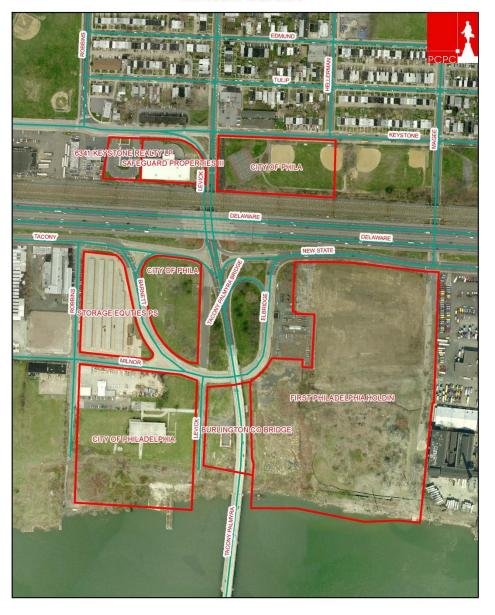




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#### Linden Ave







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#### Alignment Analysis

#### Comprised of:

- Quality of Experience
- Availability of ROW
- •Off or On-road Alignment
- •Compatibility with Adjacent Land Uses
- •Connections to existing and Planned Facilities
- Greenway Obstacles
- Physical Obstructions
- Property Ownerships
- •Roadways and Traffic
- Environmental Conditions



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**Connecting Streets** 

Connector 1: Around Glen

Foerd Estate to State Rd.

Connector 2: Wissinoming St.

to State Rd.





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# Bridesburg Connecting Streets

Connector 1: Along K&T ROW

**Connector 2: Bridge Street** 

**Connector 3: Buckius St** 

**Connector 4: Orthodox Street** 





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# Tacony/Holmesburg Connecting Streets

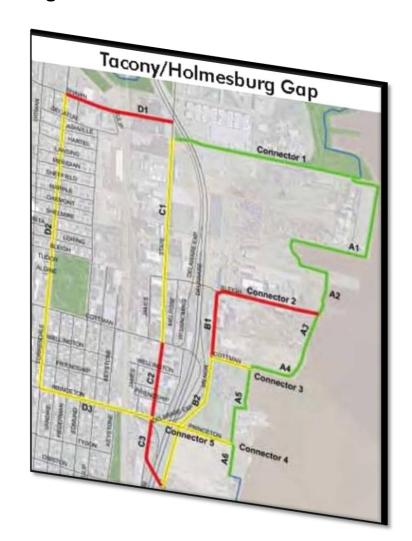
Connector 1: Along Pennypack Path

**Connector 2: Bleigh Street** 

**Connector 3: Cottman Ave** 

**Connector 4: Princeton Ave** 

**Connector 5: Delaware Ave** 





#### Potential to Accommodate

# Overall:

Implementation of the Greenway relies on two factors:

- •Right-of-way
- Construction Funding



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