

Pufferbelly Trail: from Fourth Street to Fernhill Avenue

(DES# 0710990)

Project Description

The Pufferbelly Trail, Phase I, will be a 12' wide multi-use trail that will extend the 23-mile Fort Wayne and New Haven Rivergreenway network northward. The trail will begin at the Rivergreenway in Lawton Park at Fourth and Clinton Streets and extend north along a former railroad corridor to Fernhill Avenue. A ten-foot wide trail spur will be constructed from the mainline of the trail to Franke Park and Franke Park Elementary School. The length of the trail is 2.6 miles.

The preliminary engineering phase of this project began in 2010. The right of way phase is scheduled to begin in 2012. Construction is scheduled for 2013. This project is being funded through the Transportation Enhancement (TE) fund.

The following is the cost breakdown for the Pufferbelly Trail project.

Project Phase	Estimated Cost	Fiscal Year	Federal Share	State Share	Local Share
PE	301,400	2010	241,100	0	60,300
RW	225,000	2012	180,000	0	45,000
CN	1,782,500	2013	1,426,000	0	356,500
Total	\$2,308,900		\$1,847,100		\$461,800

The local agency responsible for this project is the City of Fort Wayne. You may contact the Greenway Department at 427-6002, if you have any questions or comments.

