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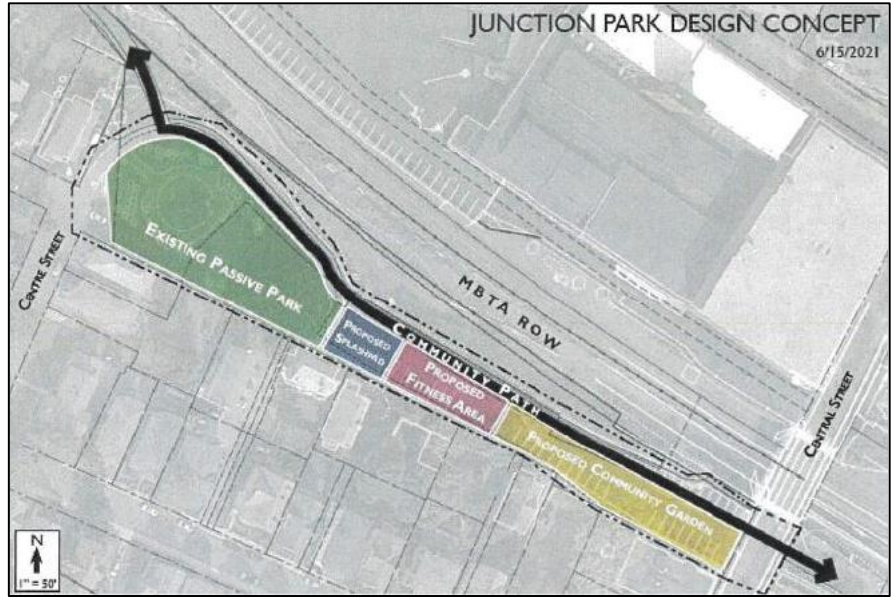
Somerville Community Preservation Committee FY22 Application Summary



Somerville Junction Park Design Services

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The City of Somerville Public Space and Urban Forestry Division is seeking seed funding for design and engineering services for the expansion of Somerville Junction Park, combining an existing 0.6 acre passive park with an adjacent 0.83 acre city-owned lot that had been used for parking to create new park amenities adjacent to the MBTA Somerville Community Path.



ELIGIBILITY

Open space/recreation land: This project would create new recreational land and provide new amenities.

ALIGNMENT WITH COMMUNITY NEEDS

The project will address Somerville's Climate Forward Plan by expanding the tree canopy and improving stormwater drainage. It is also consistent with priorities expressed in the Open Space and Recreation Plan and Community Preservation Plan, including improving accessibility for all members of the community, increasing community access to water play, fitness equipment, and community garden space, engaging the artist community, incorporating sustainable practices, and leveraging state grant funding.

PROJECT BUDGET

Expenses	Amount
Design Services, Permitting, other soft costs	\$100,000
Construction	\$962,000
Total	\$1,062,000
Sources	
CPA funds – requested in FY22	\$100,000
PARC Grant	\$400,000
Other City funding (TBD: CPA, Bond Authorization)	\$562,000
Total	\$1,062,000

The full proposal is available at: <https://www.somervillema.gov/departments/community-preservation-act>.