

Please join us! | Community Open House

IN-PERSON OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday, June 25, 2024 at 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Mattapan Branch of the Boston Public Library
1350 Blue Hill Avenue, Mattapan, MA 02126

IN-PERSON OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, June 27, 2024 at 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Franklin Park, William J. Devine Golf Course Clubhouse
1 Circuit Drive, Dorchester, MA 02121

Tanpri vin rejwenn nou! Jounen Vizit Lib pou Kominote a

JOUNEN VIZIT LIB AN PÈSÒN

Madi 25 Jen 2024 a 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Mattapan Branch of the Boston Public Library
1350 Blue Hill Avenue, Mattapan, MA 02126

JOUNEN VIZIT LIB AN PÈSÒN

Jedi 27 Jen 2024 a 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Franklin Park, William J. Devine Golf Course Clubhouse
1 Circuit Drive, Dorchester, MA 02121

¡Acompáñenos! Jornada comunitaria de puertas abiertas

JORNADA DE PUERTAS ABIERTAS EN PERSONA

Martes, 25 de junio de 2024 a las
17:30 - 19:30 horas
Mattapan Branch of the Boston Public Library
1350 Blue Hill Avenue, Mattapan, MA 02126

JORNADA DE PUERTAS ABIERTAS EN PERSONA

Jueves, 27 de junio de 2024 de 5:30 a 7:30 PM
Franklin Park, William J. Devine Golf Course Clubhouse
1 Circuit Drive, Dorchester, MA 02121

Blue Hill Avenue Transportation Action Plan
10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116

B T | Blue Hill Avenue Transportation Action Plan

Spring 2024 Update |

Tanpri ale nan mbta.com/BlueHillAve pou gade enfòmasyon sa yo an Kreyòl Ayisyen, Espanyòl, Kreyòl Cape Verdean, Vyetnamiyen oswa Pòtigè. Pou mande tradiksyon nan lòt lang, tanpri kontakte BetterBusProject@MBTA.com.

Visite mbta.com/BlueHillAve para ver esta información en español, criollo haitiano, criollo caboverdiano, vietnamita o portugués. Para solicitar la traducción a otros idiomas, póngase en contacto con BetterBusProject@MBTA.com.

Acesse o site mbta.com/BlueHillAve para visualizar estas informações em português, espanhol, crioulo haitiano, crioulo cabo-verdiano, ou vietnamita. Para solicitar a tradução em outros idiomas, envie um e-mail para BetterBusProject@MBTA.com.

Favor di entra na site mbta.com/BlueHillAve pa odja es informason na crioulo cabo-verdiano, Spanhol, Kriolu di Haiti, Vietnamita, o na Portugues. Pa pidi traduson na otu língua, favor di kontata BetterBusProject@MBTA.com.

Vui lòng truy cập mbta.com/BlueHillAve để xem thông tin này bằng tiếng Việt, tiếng Tây Ban Nha, tiếng Haiti Creole, tiếng Creole Cape Verde hoặc tiếng Bồ Đào Nha. Để yêu cầu dịch sang các ngôn ngữ khác, vui lòng liên hệ BetterBusProject@MBTA.com.



The MBTA and City of Boston are working together to redesign Blue Hill Avenue between Warren Street in Grove Hall and River Street in Mattapan Square.

In February, the City of Boston and the MBTA announced a historic investment to redesign Blue Hill Avenue to better serve bus riders, create safer conditions for pedestrians and drivers, add trees, and install new amenities for a more vibrant small business corridor. A new multimodal design will add a center-running bus lane for the more than 40,000 bus riders who travel on Blue Hill Ave every weekday, and better define spaces for drivers and pedestrians creating a safer, calmer experience for everyone.

Coming Soon

The City of Boston is making a series of short-term improvements starting this spring and continuing through the rest of 2024 to improve safety, accessibility, and resiliency on Blue Hill Avenue. Over the next few months, you can expect the following along the corridor:

- Refreshing crosswalk and pavement markings
- Repaving damaged sections of roadway
- Continued pothole maintenance
- Reinstallation of the RISE Gateway statue (completed in early May!)
- Sidewalk repairs
- Installation of speed humps on neighborhood streets
- Installation of bus-shelter green roofs
- Improvements to street lighting
- Traffic signal changes to increase crossing times for pedestrians and reduce conflicts with vehicles

A multimodal redesign that includes all road-users.

Features that will be included in the Blue Hill Avenue Transportation Action Plan:

- Defined spaces for all street users which will allow traffic to flow more smoothly, reducing conflict between people driving, walking, taking transit, and biking
- Center-running bus lanes that feature raised platforms and new and enhanced bus shelters for an improved rider experience
- Traffic signal upgrades that will prioritize buses and minimize traffic related delays
- Improved pedestrian safety, including better visibility at crossings, new and enhanced crosswalks, and shortened crossing distances
- Significantly more trees along the corridor
- New amenities such as better street lighting, benches, bike parking, and public art



Blue Hill Ave today is a critical connector for over 40,000 bus riders. Photo credit: MBTA

Participate in the Design Process

The MBTA and City of Boston will continue to collect input from residents and local business owners block by block. These conversations will help determine bus platform locations, space allocation, expanded and improved pedestrian crossings, and parking regulations, among other improvements.

Keep an eye out along the corridor for our Pop-Up Workshops in May and June. Join us for a Community Open House on June 25 and 27 (details on reverse), where we will roll up our sleeves and mark up maps with your ideas. Find dates, locations, and an online feedback form (Coming soon!) at www.mbta.com/BlueHillAve.

Listening to the Community

Through years of community engagement (learn more at boston.gov/blue-hill-ave), your feedback has been clear: Blue Hill Avenue cannot remain in its current state. Double-parked cars, buses stuck in traffic, high rates of traffic crashes, unsafe pedestrian crossings—these are some issues the MBTA and the City of Boston have heard from users of Blue Hill Ave. As the project advances, the project team is asking for your feedback to help inform the design, especially on the following components:

- BUS PLATFORM LOCATIONS
- PEDESTRIAN SAFETY
- PARKING
- BIKING
- GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE

Learn More

MBTA project website:
MBTA.com/BlueHillAve

City of Boston project website:
Boston.gov/blue-hill-ave

Contact Information

MBTA email address:
BetterBusProject@mbta.com

City of Boston email address:
BLUEHILLAVE@BOSTON.GOV

City of Boston phone number:
617-635-3944



In early May, the City of Boston re-installed the “Rise” sculpture by Fern Cunningham and Karen Eutemey in Mattapan Square. Photo credit: City of Boston