Meeting Agenda
Wednesday February 14th, 2024, 9am via Zoom
The public is welcome to join the meeting and can request a Zoom login link by e-mail at abudris@nv cogct.gov.

Let us Leave Today’s Meeting With:
☐ Support for NRG Related grant applications
☐ Project updates from across the valley

9:00 – Introductions

9:05 – 2024 DEEP Recreational Trails Applications
☐ Discussion and requests for support

9:30 – NVCOG NRG Trail Design RAISE Application
☐ Discussion and request for support

9:45 – Project Updates
☐ Ansonia Routing Study
☐ Waterbury Phase II
☐ Derby/Shelton Bridge
☐ Derby Route 34
☐ Other (roundtable)

10:05 – Funding Submissions and Opportunities
☐ RAISE
☐ CT DOT Microgrant Program
☐ Other

10:15 – Events and Public Outreach Opportunities
☐ 2024 NRG Trail Event?
☐ Trails Day 2024

10:25 - Other Business/ News
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10:30– Wrap-Up & Adjourn - Next Meeting May 8, 2024

“The Naugatuck River from Torrington to Derby is rich with history, stunning scenery, and wildlife. Just as the river built and shaped our towns and cities, the Naugatuck River Greenway will be a driving force for the next century and beyond. Our mission is to harness the vitality and protect the health of the river for economic development and quality of life for all.”
Naugatuck River Greenway Steering Committee

*Indicates Co-Chair

**Municipal Representatives**

Torrington  Jeremy Leifert  
Litchfield  Cleve Fuessenich  
Harwinton  Kerri Stolle  
           Joan Kirchner  
Thomaston  Stacey Sefcik  
           Amanda Burch  
Watertown  Paul Bunevich  
Waterbury  Kenny Curran  
           Judy Mancini  
Naugatuck  Jim Stewart  
           Vincent Seifert  
Beacon Falls  Liz Falzone  
           Josh Carey  
Seymour  Brian Sirowich  
Ansonia  Sheila O’Malley  
Derby  Jack Walsh*

**Stakeholder Participants**

Aaron Budris – Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments  
Anna Bergeron – CT DOT  
Dave Faber – Naugatuck Valley Outdoors Club  
Rista Malanca* – Northwest Hills Council of Governments  
Marc McCarthy - Litchfield Community Greenway  
Jim O’Rourke - Waterbury YMCA  
John Ceretta - Railroad Museum of New England  
Josh Carey – Connecticut Community Foundation  
Kevin Zak – Naugatuck River Revival Group  
Kim Bradley - CT DEEP Greenways  
Mark Nielsen – Naugatuck Valley Council of Governments  
Matthew Coleman – US Army Corps of Engineers  
Robert Phillips - Northwest Hills Council of Governments  
Steve Casey – Railroad Museum of New England  
Susan Peterson - CT DEEP Watershed Program