

**OUR 9TH GOLDEN SPIKE EVENT** 

## Saturday 10-14-23 at the AM-VETS 79 Superior Dr. Natick, MA 01760

We'll be right on the shore of Lake Cochituate State Park and adjacent to the recently opened Cochituate Rail Trail



8:00—8:45 Arrive, Gather and Network

8:45—8:50 Welcome by Josh Ostroff of Natick

8:50—9:00 Welcome by Galen Mook, Exec. Director of MassBike and intro to State Rep Michelle Ciccolo

9:00—9:30 Welcome by State Representative Michelle Ciccolo, Lexington, Chair of the Trails Caucus. She will be talking about what is happening inside the State House for Trail Development.

9:30-9:45 Q&A with the State Rep.

9:45-10:00 MCRT Update by Norwottuck Network Board Chair, Craig Della Penna, on how the compelling report about the MCRT came to be and to introduce the Kittelson & Assoc. team who created it.

10:00—10:45 Presentation by Alex Garbier and the Kittelson Team about the report.

10:45—11:00 Q&A with Alex and his team

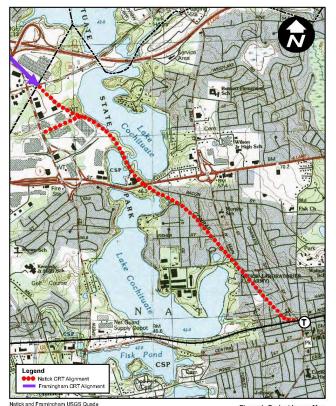
11:00—11:30 Stretch Break and announcements

11:30—12:00 Golden Spike Plaque Awards to our 2023 recipients

12:00—1:30 Lunch with keynote speaker and Q&A

1:30 Move outside to start points for the walking and biking tours.

4:30 — 7:00 Post tour 'debrief' at local brew pubhosted by Mass Bike.



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Figure 1: Project Locus Map Cochituate Rail Trail (CRT) Natick, Massachusetts

