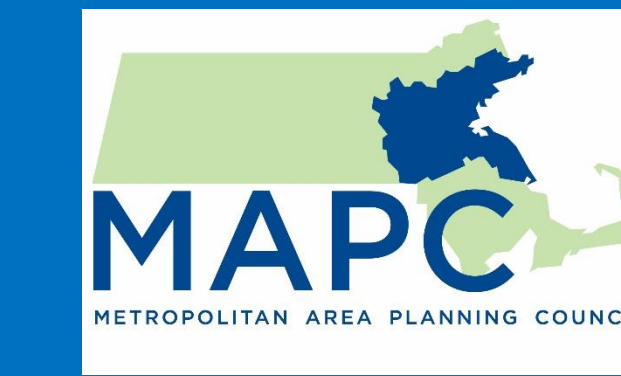




POLICY

These are recommendations that would be carried out after Town consensus to do so. The consensus would be reached by discussions with citizens, town boards/commissions and staff.



➤ Adopt a Complete Streets Policy



➤ Develop a comprehensive maintenance plan

➤ Develop plan to improve curb ramps to meet the Americans with Disabilities Act

➤ Establish a restoration and preservation plan for historic features

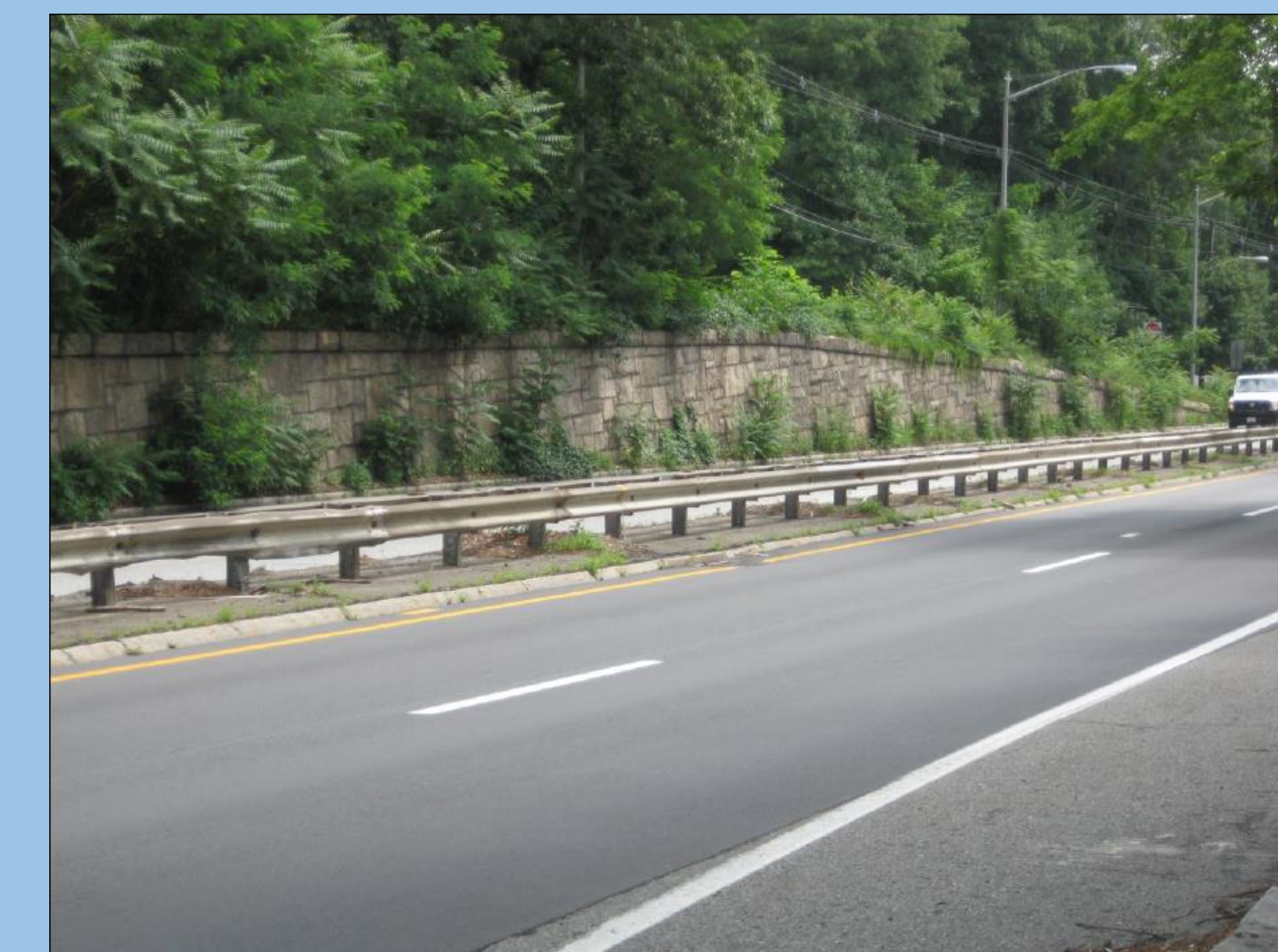
➤ Expand Safe Routes to Schools program



➤ Implement a Vision Zero program



➤ Town becomes lead agency for all roadway improvements



Retaining wall near Longfellow Road
Source: Wellesley Historical Commission

INVEST

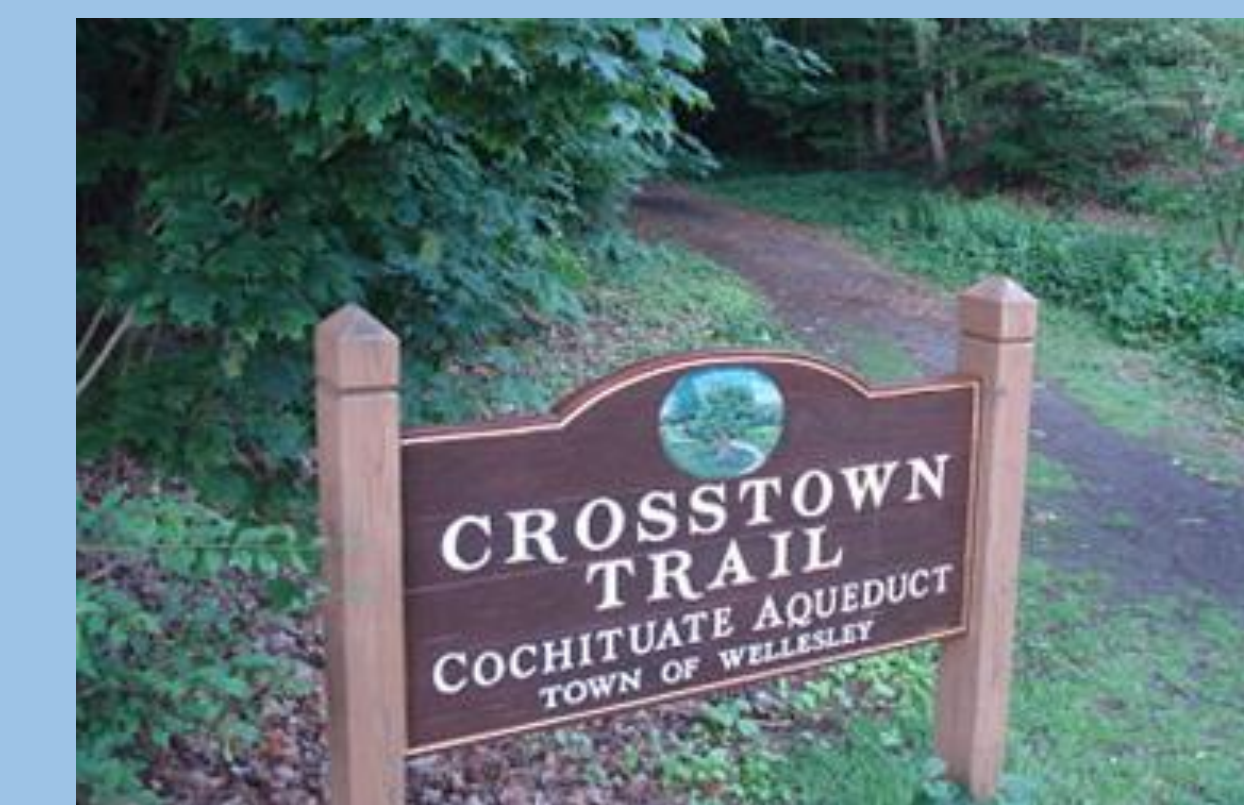
The Town would appropriate funding to help accomplish these recommendations.



- **Electronic speed monitoring signs**
- **Establish gateways at town limits**
- **Expand and connect the Wellesley Trails Network in the vicinity of Route 9**
- **Explore placement of utilities underground**
- **Improve pedestrian crossings and signs**
- **Install and reconstruct sidewalks along entire corridor**
- **Prioritize drainage improvements**
- **Review placement and design of guardrails along entire corridor**
- **Traffic signal enhancements that benefit pedestrians and bicyclists**



Source: Radarsign.com





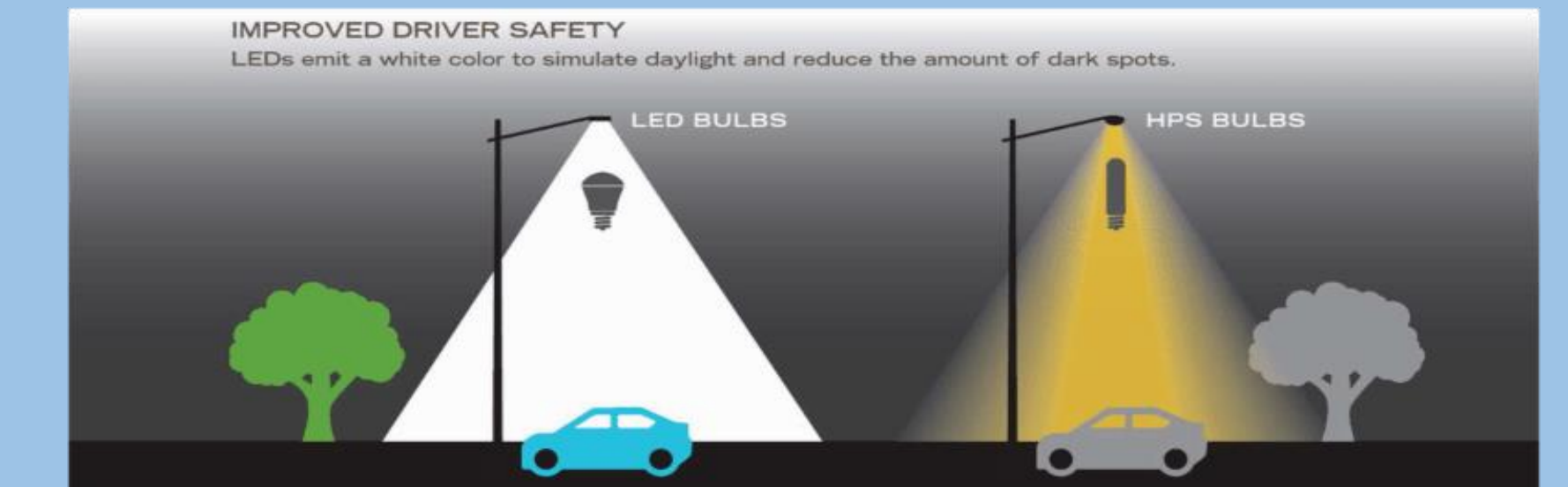
ADVOCATE

The Town should advocate and collaborate with others for these recommendations.



➤ **Apply for Green Community Designation for eligibility for funds for LED lights**

➤ **Develop a corridor tree protection plan**



Source: City of Hamilton Ohio's LED Streetlight Master Plan

➤ **Ensure all gas leaks along Route 9 are fixed**

➤ **Explore designating bus stops and shelters with the MWRTA**

➤ **Work with MassDOT and developers to improve stormwater standards and management**

➤ **Work with MassDOT and developers to institute Low Impact Development (LID) techniques**



Cold Stream Brook Sanctuary at Oak Street.

➤ **Work with MassDOT to advance the Boulder Brook Culvert Project**



ACT!

Activities citizens and businesses can participate in to achieve changes along Route 9.



- **Form Route 9 alliance to advocate for and monitor recommendations**
- **Organize an Adopt-a-Highway program**
- **Organize a community clean up event**
- **Volunteer to expand Safe Routes to Schools program**



Source: keepmassbeautiful.org



Source: Mass.gov/MassDOT/SafeRoutes

Interested? Please sign up here!