Vancouver Waterfront Trail – City of Vancouver

Esther Street to Lincoln Street

City of Vancouver



Project Goal:

- Expand the City trail system by ½ mile.
- Provide pedestrian access along the waterfront connecting residential, commercial and lodging businesses.

Project Information

Federal Funding Program: TAP and FLAP

RTC Awarded Funding: \$750,000

Total Project Cost: \$4,177,605

Project Type: Bicycle & Pedestrian

Project Length: ½ mile

Function Classification: No Functional Classification

Daily Traffic Volume: NA – Trail Project

Project Outcome

- Extends the Vancouver Waterfront trail by ½ mile.
- Provided ½ mile access to the Columbia River that has been closed off to the public for over 100 years.
- The 14-foot width allows for multi-model transportation.
 Walkers, Runners, Bicycles, skaters etc.
- Connects commercial, residential, restaurants by the trail. Users do not have to rely on vehicles or street sidewalks.

Project Description

This project constructed a $\frac{1}{2}$ mile 14-foot-wide concrete trail along the Columbia River, complete with amenities, such as benches, lighting, irrigation, trash cans, bike racks and landscaping.

Project Funding

Phase	Year	Federal Funds	Other Funds	Total
PE	2011-2016	\$0	\$0	\$0
RW				
CN	2017-2019	\$1,350,000	\$2,827,605	\$ 4,177,605
Total		\$ 1,350,000	\$ 2,827,605	\$ 4,177,605

Project Outcome Details

• The project has been well received. The trail allows access along ½ mile of the Columbia River Waterfront that had been closed to the public for over 100 years. The waterfront draws locals as well as visitors to the waterfront. The trail functions as an off-road trail connecting residences, restaurants, retail and hospitality buildings. It is used by bicyclers, joggers and casual walkers enjoying the waterfront. The trail allows for spectacular views of the river with places to stop and rest.

MAP



West ½ of Project



East ½ of Project



Before



After

