

# **Manchester Charter Oak Greenway**

East Hartford town line to Charter Oak Park

### **Trail Highlights**

This trail is a part of a 9.8-mile section of the Charter Oak Greenway that begins in East Hartford and ends in Bolton. It is also a section of the East Coast Greenway. This 3.3-mile trail begins at the East Hartford town line, where it connects the East Hartford portion of the trail. After about 0.5 miles, the trail meets Spencer Street/Silver Lane. It then continues about 0.75 miles through the Manchester Community Technical College campus before joining Bidwell Street and traveling under I-384 to Hartford Road. The bike lanes and trail follow Bidwell Street and Hartford Road for about 0.7 miles before crossing back over I-384 along Keeney Street. After 0.5 miles more the trail intersects Prospect Street, and then continues another 0.5 miles before joining Route 83. The trail then travels a short distance more before reaching its terminus at Charter Oak Park, where it will soon connect with the next easterly portion of the trail.

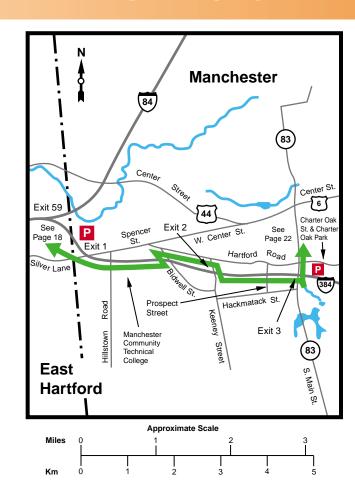
### **Parking and Accessibility**

Parking is located at the Veterans Memorial Park in East Hartford. A spur at the east end of the parking lot will bring users to the trail. (See page 18.)

From I-84: Take exit 58 to Silver Lane, Turn left onto Silver Lane and follow to the Forbes Street intersection. Proceed through this intersection and take your second left onto Ridgewood Road. Then follow Ridgewood Road and bear right onto Sunset Ridge Drive. Veterans Memorial Park is located at the end of this road.

From I-384: Take exit 1 to Spencer Street. Go east on Spencer Street, which turns into Silver Lane in East Hartford. Follow Silver Lane to the intersection with Ridgewood Road. Go right onto Ridgewood Road. Follow Ridgewood Road and bear right onto Sunset Ridge Drive, Veterans Memorial Park is located at the end of this road.

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#### **Recommended Activities**















#### **Prohibited Activities**









**LOCATION:** Manchester **ENDPOINTS:** East Hartford town

line and Charter Oak Park

HOURS: Dawn to dusk LENGTH: 3.3 miles SURFACE: Bituminous

pavement

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