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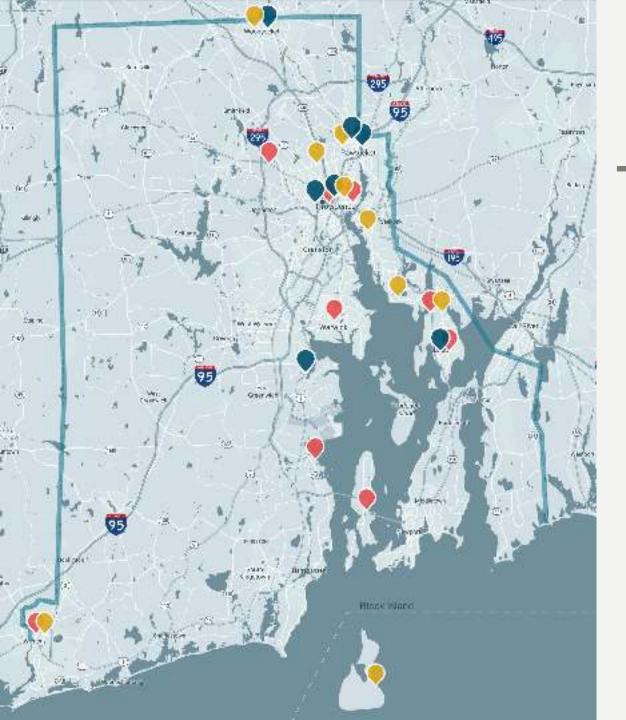
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PRESENTATION TO

Rhode Island Commerce Corporation Board of Directors

November 19, 2018





Investing almost \$3 million to support small businesses across 16 communities statewide

MAIN STREET STREETSCAPE IMPROVEMENT FUND

FY 2018/2019

(Yellow)

Received 11 applications requesting \$1.57 million Recommending 9 Projects for a total of approx. \$1 million

FY 2017

Funded 9 Projects for a total of \$1 million

FY 2016

Blue)

Funded 7 projects for a total of approx. \$1 million



Main Street Streetscape Improvement Fund

Recommending Awarding \$1,037,968 to nine projects:

Barrington: \$58,450 for wayfinding signage on in the "Village Center" section of the East Bay Bike Path

East Providence: \$69,969 for flags, banners, wayfinding signs, landscaping, and public art and design elements in Riverside area

New Shoreham: \$39,935 for improvements to Nicholas Ball Park, including enhancing safety and wayfinding in Nicholas Ball Park

North Providence: \$150,000 for landscaping, signage, traffic circle, curb, and sidewalk upgrades in Route 44/Smith St. Corridor

Pawtucket: \$300,000 for street trees, lighting, bike lanes, street painting, and sidewalk improvements around Dexter Street's commercial corridor

Providence: \$47,114 for storefront improvements on Broad Street

Warren: \$59,500 for bike path improvements on Main and Water Street corridor

Westerly: \$233,000 for restoring and upgrading two building facades per historic theatre restoration

Woonsocket: \$80,000 for enhancing waterfront access in Market Square riverfront adjacent to new boat landing

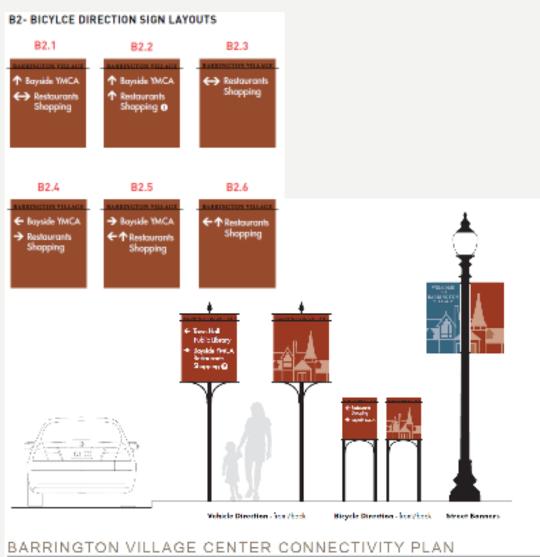
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\$58,450 for wayfinding signage on County Rd, Maple Ave, East Bay Bike Path

Project Area:

"Village Center" section of the East Bay Bike Path





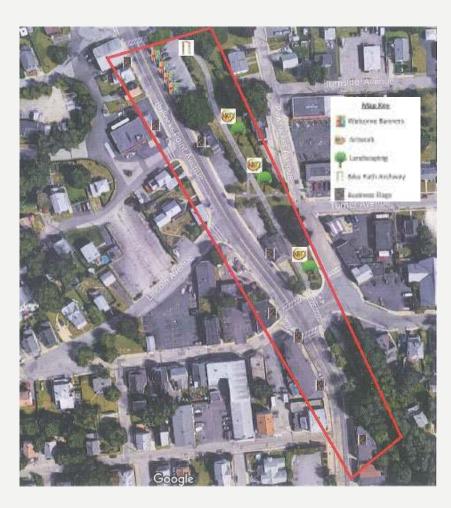
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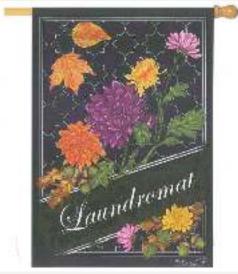
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Project Area: Riverside



Street Banner Example





Business Flag Example



Art Element Example

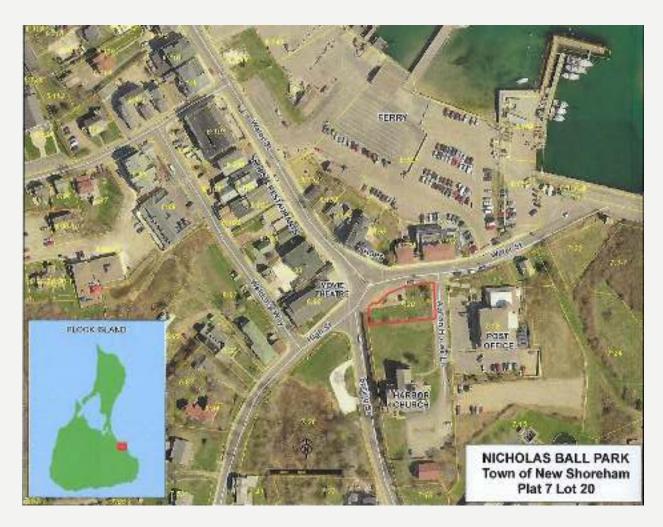
New Shoreham:

\$39,935 for improvements to Nicholas Ball Park, including enhancing safety and wayfinding

Project Area:Nicholas Ball Park



Upgrade with new steps and railings





Replace old fencing and add bike racks



Remove dead trees and add new trees and flowering bushes

North Providence:

\$150,000 for landscaping, signage, traffic circle, curb, and sidewalk upgrades

Project Area: Route 44/Smith St. Corridor

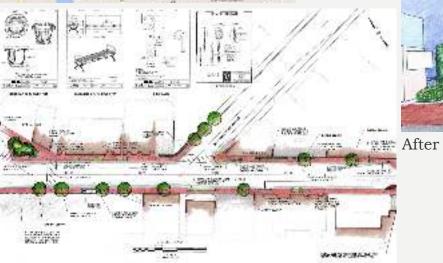


Before





After





Before



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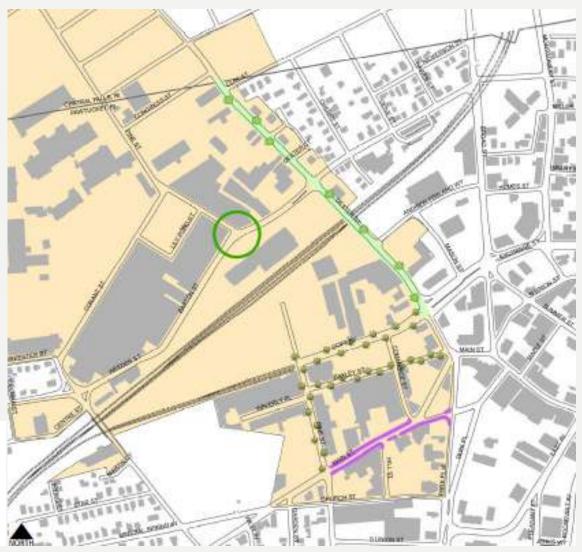
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Project Area:

Dexter Street's commercial corridor







Providence:

\$47,114 storefront improvements, including removal and replacement of existing awnings, lighting, doors, windows, and entrance signage

Project Area: Broad Street



792 Broad Street - Remove existing awnings, Install new awnings, lighting, doors, windows, and storefronts.





Warren:

\$59,500 for bike path improvements

Project Area:

A section of Main Street / Water Street corridor





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\$233,000 for restoring and upgrading two building

facades

Project Area:Historic theatre district





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\$80,000 for enhancing waterfront access, including trees, planting, wayfinding signage

Project Area:

Market Square riverfront adjacent to new boat landing



