



Press Release

Draft Designs Ready for Public Review

Village of Malone Presents Schematic Designs for Main Street Revitalization and Streetscape Enhancement Planning

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Malone: All residents, landowners, and business owners/operators in Malone are invited to review and provide input into the Schematic designs prepared as part of the Village's revitalization and Main Street streetscape improvement plans. The Village of Malone is concurrently undertaking two significant planning programs: the development of a Revitalization Strategic Plan (RSP) and a Physical Enhancement Plan (PEP).

This Physical Enhancement Plan builds upon the Village's Downtown Revitalization Strategic Plan currently in development and illustrates improvements to uplift and beautify Malone's Main Street to enhance private sector economic development and investment. The Physical Enhancement Plan is guided by an Advisory Committee and tremendous public input received during the Fall of 2022. It includes design for improvements such as historic benches, lighting, hardy street trees and landscaping, brick sidewalks and improved street crossings, wayfinding signage, and other physical improvements to the streetscape in the Village core.

The Village invites the entire community to continue to participate in this effort and review the draft design envisioned for Main Street. The public can visit www.downtownmalone.com to view all draft designs through an online '**Story Map**' developed for the project. A short survey is also available through the Story Map so that the Village can receive your feedback on the draft designs. The Story Map and survey detail draft plans for both the eastern and western gateways to downtown, new options for the Elm St./Main St. intersection, pedestrian enhancements, streetscape enhancements and parking lot screening.

The project will build upon the Village of Malone's extensive downtown and waterfront planning and implementation efforts. It is a planning project made possible with funding provided by the New York State Department of State under Title 11 of the Environmental Protection Fund.

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