



**Town of West Newbury**  
381 Main Street  
West Newbury, Massachusetts 01985

**Memorandum**

TO: Select Board Members  
FROM: Angus Jennings, Town Manager  
DATE: August 2, 2021  
RE: Middle Street Bridge August 2021 Update

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The Town continues to work tirelessly on this project. Our consultant The BSC Group has completed the bridge design, which was recently filed for review under the MA Environmental Policy Act, and will also be submitted to MassDOT for their review and approval. All public hearings, including Conservation Commission for both West Newbury and Newburyport, have occurred and approval has been received by both communities.

Within the next few months, Town Officials will continue to work closely with Newburyport to discuss next steps, including the preparation and approval of a revised MOU to finalize and secure the funding for the bridge construction.