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### Train Bridge Overlook Project

**Rochester, New York**

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The Train Bridge Overlook Project, located on the west bank of the Genesee River at the Port of Rochester, will include design and construction of a public overlook on city-owned land, including the adaptive reuse of the remnant abutment and trestle of the recently demolished historic CSX Railroad Swing Bridge. The overlook will serve as a trailside waterfront access point on the city-wide Genesee Riverway Trail, (a designated National Recreation Trail) and transform a derelict structure into a scenic amenity, to reinforce the unique identity and sense of place at the Port, immediately adjacent to the Port of Rochester Marina and Mixed Use Development Project, now underway.

Since the former Swing Bridge was an iconic structure in the community for over a hundred years, CSX provided an interpretive display to be installed on the overlook at completion.

In addition to professional design and engineering services, property survey and public participation services will be required for the project. The scope of the project will include design and engineering plans for bid, award and construction and construction supervision.

The schedule for the project anticipates construction in 2016.

The preliminary construction budget is \$250,000.

The project is supported by a grant from the New York State Department of State (NYDOS), whose review and approval at key milestones is required prior to notice to proceed to the next phase.

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