

MERCER COUNTY TRAILS ASSOCIATION

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 - GREENVILLE TRAIL
 - WEST MIDDLESEX TRAIL
 - SHARON BIKE LANE
 - HERMITAGE BIKE LANE
 - SHENANGO RIVER TRAIL – HIKING, UPPER SHENAGO RIVER TRAIL

- JOHN C OLIVER LOOP TRAIL
- OTHER CYCLING FEATURES – BUHL PARK PUMP TRACK, SHARON BIKE PLAYGROUND
- COST OF TRAILS
 - FEASIBILITY STUDIES \$25,000 TO \$100,000+
 - PAVED. ASPHAT \$120,000 TO \$300,000 PER MILE
 - CRUSHED LIMESTONE \$90,000 TO \$100,000 MILE
 - VOLUNTEER HELP CAN REDUCE COSTS