## **#10, MOHAWK HIKE BIKE TRAIL BRIDGE REHABILITATION**

LOCATION: City of Cohoes	BENEFIT/COST RATIO	Not
		Calculated
<b>DESCRIPTION:</b> Rehabilitation of existing		
former railroad bridge (Delaware Avenue		
Bridge) for hike bike trail use	MARKET POTENTIAL	Α
PROJECT TYPE: Bike/Ped	COST EFFECTIVENESS	Α
<b>COST:</b> \$ 0.44 M (total) <b>LIFE:</b> 30 yr	SAFETY	NA
SPONSOR: City of Cohoes		
CURRENT CONDITION: Abandoned railroad		
bridge.		
<b>FUNCTIONAL CLASS:</b> Delaware Avenue is a		
Local Road		
<b>AADT:</b> <5,000 AADT		
PRIORITY NETWORK(S): None.	ANNUALIZED COST (k\$/yr)	\$32

**CONGESTION RELIEF:** Minimal congestion relief would be expected.

AIR QUALITY BENEFIT: Would provide an alternate route and increased opportunities

for bicycle and pedestrian travel.

**REGIONAL SYSTEM LINKAGE:** Would allow for an extension of the Mohawk Hudson

Hike Bike Trail along the Hudson River between Green Island and Cohoes.

LAND USE COMPATIBILITY (PLANNED OR EXISTING): Consistent with the Route 470 Corridor Study and the current CDTC/Albany County Greenway Study. COMMUNITY OR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Would enhance waterfront recreational and economic development opportunities in Cohoes. May increase tourism through the City.

**ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES:** Low income area.

BUSINESS OR HOUSING DISLOCATIONS: None anticipated. D&H Railway right-of-

way to be purchased with assistance from the Open Space Institute.

**BICYCLING:** Primary objective. **WALKING:** Primary objective.

**GOODS MOVEMENT:** No direct benefits.

**TRANSIT USE:** No direct benefits. **INTERMODAL TRANSFERS:** No.

**SCREENING ISSUES:** Local match? Boundary compatibility with Green Island?

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS: None.