



SUSQUEHANNA E-CONNECTIONS

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THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER

IS THE LONGEST RIVER
ON THE EAST COAST OF THE UNITED STATES TO EMPTY INTO THE ATLANTIC

FLOWING 444 MILES
FROM COOPERSTOWN, NY, THROUGH PENNSYLVANIA, AND INTO THE CHESAPEAKE BAY AT HAVRE-DE-GRACE, MD

PLUS 228 MILES
WHEN YOU INCLUDE THE RIVER'S WEST BRANCH

THE RIVER'S WEST BRANCH FLOWS THROUGH THE HOME OF THE **LARGEST ELK HERD** IN THE NORTHEASTERN U.S.

IT IS ALMOST **ONE MILE WIDE** AT HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA.

IT IS THE LONGEST, COMMERCIALY NON-NAVIGABLE RIVER IN NORTH AMERICA, MAKING IT A **GREAT ENVIRONMENT FOR RECREATION!**

THE SUSQUEHANNA IS THE SINGLE LARGEST/LONGEST **"FLY-WAY" FOR MIGRATORY BIRDS** ON THE EAST COAST.

THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER IS CONSIDERED THE **OLDEST MAJOR RIVER SYSTEM IN THE WORLD**, PREDATING THE FORMATION OF THE APPALACHIAN MOUNTAINS OVER 300 MILLION YEARS AGO, AND OLDER THAN THE NILE!

LEARN MORE AT SUSQUEHANNAGREENWAY.ORG

THE SUSQUEHANNA GREENWAY IS A CORRIDOR OF PADDLING, WALKING, AND BIKING TRAILS, BOAT LAUNCHES, CONSERVED LANDS, AND COMMUNITIES WITHIN PENNSYLVANIA THAT ARE ALL CONNECTED THROUGH OUTDOOR RECREATION.

REQUEST A PRESENTATION



Have a group, club, or organization that would like to learn more about the projects, programs, and opportunities of the Susquehanna Greenway? SGP is accepting presentation requests for 2025. We will give an overview of the Greenway, its resources, and how to plan your next outdoor adventure. If interested, please email Alana Jajko at ajajko@susquehannagreenway.org.

ATTENTION TARGET SHOPPERS!

If you are a Target Circle (rewards club) member, then you can help out the Susquehanna Greenway in a BIG WAY! There's no cost, it takes just a few minutes, and we would be ever so grateful. Watch the video below to learn how you can help.



[LEARN MORE](#)

SHOP THE GREENWAY STORE THIS HOLIDAY SEASON!



ORDER BY 12/12 TO GUARANTEE DELIVERY BY 12/24

[SHOP NOW](#)

WHAT'S NEXT?

[VISIT OUR TRAVELING PHOTO GALLERY](#)

November: [Switchboard Studios & Gallery](#), Columbia
December: [Public Library for Union County](#), Lewisburg
January: [Bald Birds Brewing Company](#), Jersey Shore

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ARTICLE FEATURES

[INDIGENOUS NAMES OF THE SUSQUEHANNA GREENWAY](#)

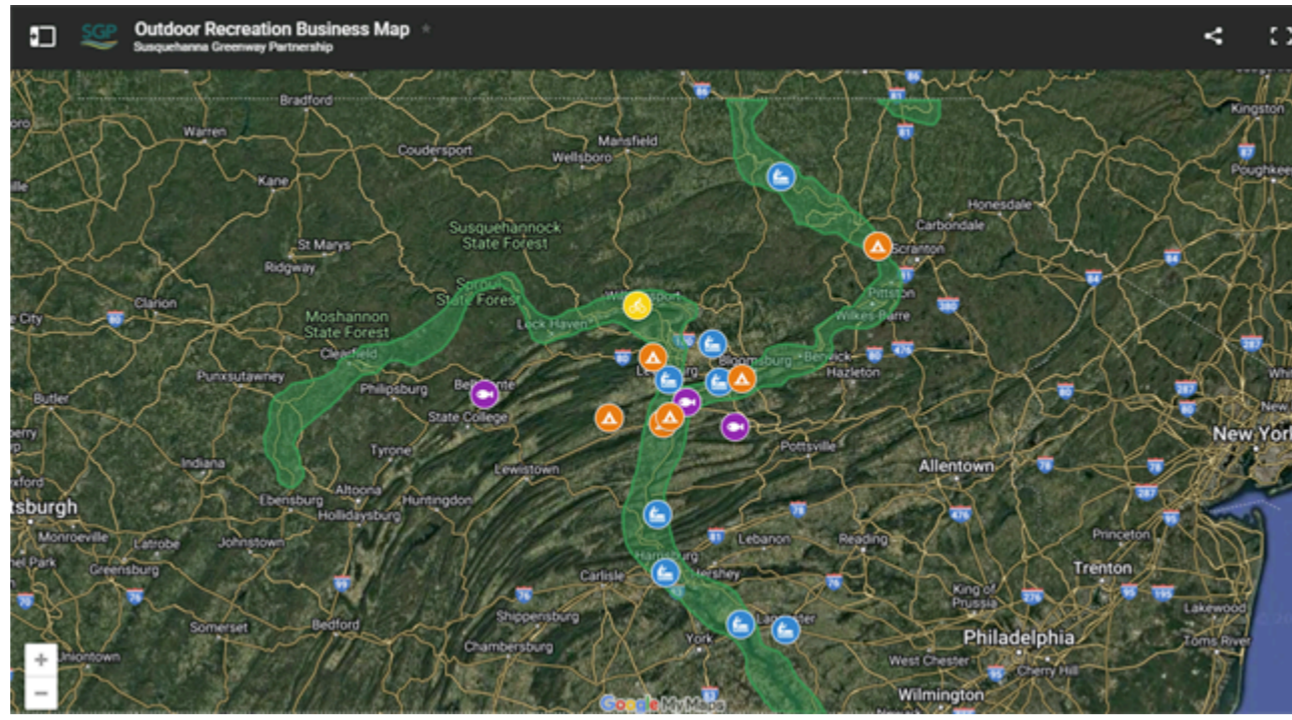


[SUSQUEHANNA ADVENTURES 'THEN & NOW'](#)



TRAILS

[CALLING ALL OUTDOOR RECREATION BUSINESSES](#)



Do you service the Susquehanna Greenway? Let's put you on the map! Whether you provide equipment rentals, sales, or guide services, we want to help get the word out about what you offer to recreationalists in our region. We're including paddling, fishing, camping, cycling, climbing, and hiking!

[LEARN MORE](#)

GET OUT ON THE GREENWAY

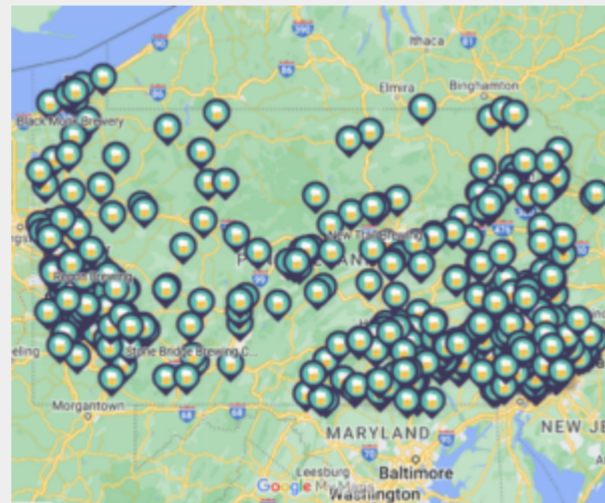
TRAIL FEATURE: CHICKIES ROCK OVERLOOK

As the name implies, hikers on the Chickies Rock Overlook Trail will be rewarded with a beautiful vista at the end of their excursion. The short trail follows an old trolley line route that once took tourists up to Chickies Rock in the early 1900s.



TRAILS & ALES ON THE SUSQUEHANNA GREENWAY

It's brew season! Learn about some of the area's trails that never fail to end in a Pennsylvania craft brewery. (NEW LOCATIONS ADDED)



STAY SAFE ON TRAILS THIS HUNTING SEASON

PA has opened select Sundays to hunting; the 2024 dates are November 17, November 24, and December 1. Wear your brights!



RIVER TOWNS

RIVER TOWN NEWS

NEW WALKWAY OPENS IN CITY OF LOCK HAVEN



LEWISBURG WELCOMES NEW CYCLE & CAFE BUSINESS



OUTDOOR NEWS



OUTFITTER COMING TO SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT



COLUMBIA-WRIGHTSVILLE BRIDGE SLATED FOR IMPROVEMENTS



NEW GUIDEBOOK TO SUSQUEHANNA PETROGLYPHS



CLEARFIELD MOVING TO CREATE WHITEWATER RECREATION PARKS



RIPARIAN BUFFER PLANTED IN SNYDER COUNTY



WITCHES ON THE WATER IN LEWISBURG



UPDATES MADE TO THE SUNBURY FISH PASSAGE



NPS FUNDS PROJECTS IN THE WATERSHED

GRANTS & OPPORTUNITIES

DCNR AWARDS \$79.4 MILLION IN GRANTS

The Susquehanna Greenway Partnership (SGP) is pleased to announce that it has been awarded a grant in the generous amount of \$299,700 from the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR). This funding will play a crucial role in advancing the outdoor recreation opportunities within the Susquehanna Greenway in Pennsylvania.

[LEARN MORE](#)

Canoe Access Development Fund | November 18 Deadline

The Western Pennsylvania Conservancy's Canoe Access Development Fund helps to make the region's rivers and streams more accessible for outdoor recreation such as canoeing, kayaking and fishing. The fund goes toward watershed groups, conservation organizations, paddle clubs, agencies and other eligible parties to develop canoe and kayak access sites across Western Pennsylvania. [LEARN MORE.](#)

PFBC Boating Facility Grant Program | November 30 Deadline

Administered by the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission, the Boating Facility Grant program provides grants for planning, acquisition, development, expansion, and rehabilitation of public boating facilities located on the waters of the Commonwealth. The goal of the program is to ensure Pennsylvania's recreational boaters have the highest quality boating facilities. [LEARN MORE.](#)

Boating Access | Sub-program of the Sport Fish Restoration Grant

The Boating Access sub-program of the Sport Fish Restoration Grant program provides federal funds for facilities that create or add to public access for recreational boating and improvements to waterways that increase access to recreational boating opportunities. [LEARN MORE.](#)

BHE GT&S Watershed Mini Grant Program | December 16

The watershed mini grants can be used to support projects in three areas: water quality monitoring, watershed restoration, and organizational promotion and outreach. Grants of up to \$3,500 may be awarded for water quality monitoring and restoration projects. Grants of up to \$2,500 may be awarded for promotion and community outreach projects. [LEARN MORE.](#)

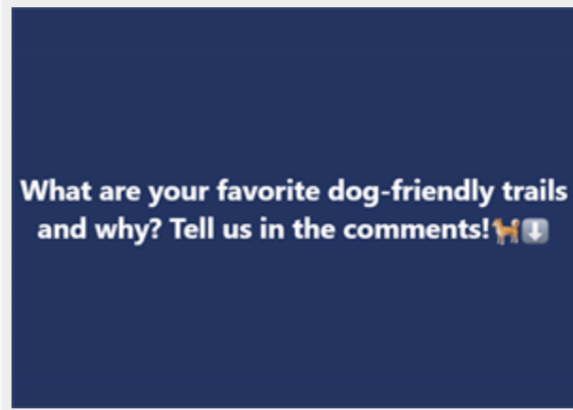
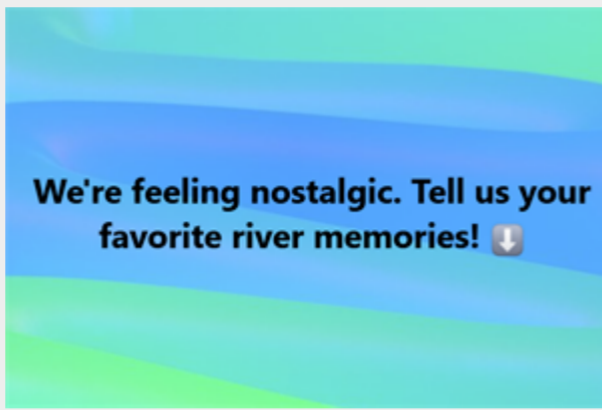
T-Mobile Hometown Grants | December 31 Deadline

T-Mobile Hometown Grants is a \$25 million, five-year initiative to support the people and organizations who help small towns across America thrive and grow. Hometown Grants are given every quarter to up to 25 small towns. Apply for funding to support a community project of your choice, like revitalizing or repurposing a historic structure, creating a downtown asset or destination, or improving a space where friends and neighbors gather. Projects that add to a sense of place or could lead to further investment are of particular interest. [LEARN MORE.](#)


NPS Challenge Cost Share Award Program | January 10 Deadline

Matching awards of up to \$25,000 are available for a range of project ideas that promote climate change adaptations and improved access and opportunities for outdoor recreation, environmental stewardship, and education in our National Parks, National Trails, and/or Wild and Scenic Rivers. This is a great opportunity to partner with your local national park site! [LEARN MORE.](#)


SURVEY TIME!



ABOUT THE SUSQUEHANNA GREENWAY






 The Susquehanna Greenway is a connected corridor of paddling, walking, and biking trails, boat launches, conserved lands, and communities that runs along the Susquehanna River in PA.



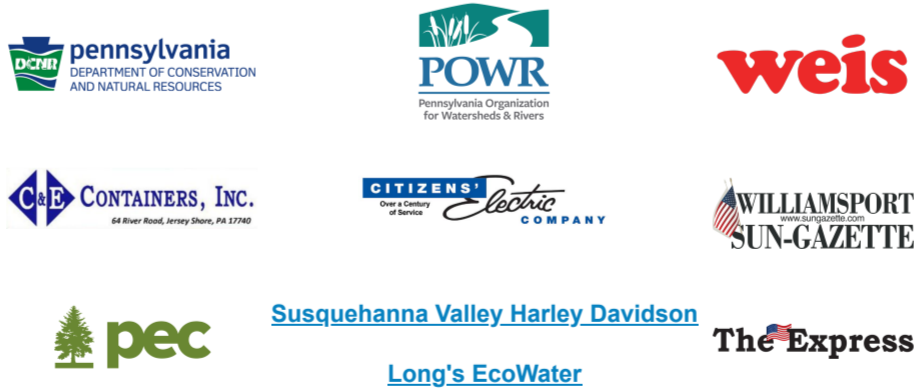
 The Susquehanna Greenway Partnership (SGP) is a 501(c)3 non-profit dedicated to advancing the vision of the Susquehanna Greenway. SGP works with partners to grow the network, inspire people to engage with the outdoors, and transform communities into places where people want to live, work, and explore.



WAYS TO SUPPORT THE SUSQUEHANNA GREENWAY

-  [Donate Directly](#)
-  [Photograph the Greenway](#)
-  [Become an Ambassador](#)
-  [Become a Steward](#)
-  [Visit the SGP Store](#)

SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS



LET'S STAY CONNECTED!



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