



East Lyme's Overlook Park Progress Report #47

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Work on the Niantic Bay Boardwalk continues at a slow but steady pace. The above photograph was taken on March 16th and shows the two workers who are installing guard-rails along the water side of the walkway. Their work site on this day was immediately adjacent to the project monument, which is about 60 feet east of the Hole in the Wall underpass.

Note the Morton House roof line and its cupola in the upper left background. It was expected that the railing would be completed within a few days after which eight educational signs will be mounted along the Boardwalk at intervals approximately 250 feet apart along this western half of the reconstructed Boardwalk.



This second photograph was taken of the grading underway on March 16th in order to construct a gravel walk that will lead from the Hole in the Wall underpass to the upper level of McCook Point Park. The walk will be terminated near the pavilion in the Park.

The final cleanup and finishing touches on the Boardwalk, and its linkage with McCook Point Park, is expected to be completed in June, 2016. Reconstruction of the western half of the Boardwalk began in September 2014, and you can track project progress by viewing a real time streaming internet video on your computer by going to:

<http://www.publictrustfoundation.org/webcam.htm>

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