

GLENS FALLS OPENS NEW PRUYN'S PATH TRAIL



Pruyn's Path is now open for walking and biking.

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The path follows the Hudson over to Haviland Cove Park

POST-STAR STAFF REPORT

GLENS FALLS – On Tuesday, Aug. 19 the City of Glens Falls celebrated the opening of a new trail: Pruyne's Path, which can be found at the end of Murray Street where it connects with Pruyne's Island Drive. The new path is a short walk from Murray Street Park, but also offers connections to the Feeder Canal Trail and Haviland Cove Park, and follows the Hudson River.

The official ribbon cutting for the trail included Glens Falls Councilman-at-Large Jim Clark, Glens Falls Ward 5 Councilwoman Mary Gooden, and Dale Robinson from the New York State Department of State, among others.

"By connecting the City's burgeoning downtown to the Hudson River waterfront and Haviland's Cove Park, this trail offers the perfect marriage between the built and natural environments, yielding physical and mental health benefits to both visitors



Please see **TRAIL**, Page A2 The path connects with the Feeder Canal Trail.



Glens Falls City Hall.

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Construction to begin Monday on Glens Falls City Court/meeting space

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GLENS FALLS – Construction on the third floor of the Glens Falls City Hall building, where Common Council meetings and City Court appearances take place, will begin Monday.

Construction on the third floor of 42 Ridge Street will include improvements to the abounding and lighting equipment, a jury box for when trials occur in City Court, new paint, repairs to plaster and flooring, and more.

The renovations are expected to last through at least October. The Glens Falls City Police Department reported that beginning Monday, August 25, Glens Falls City Court will be held in the Warren County Family Court building, which is located at 1340 State Route 9 in Lake George.

During this time, the City Court clerks

will remain open at 42 Ridge Street in Glens Falls, at the court window and will be able to continue to accept payments of fines. Payments are only accepted until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The next Common Council meeting will occur at its regularly scheduled time, August 26 at 7:30 p.m., but will take place at 57 South Street in Glens Falls due to the construction.

City Hall and the Glens Falls City Police Department will not be affected during the construction.

The construction is expected to cost about \$320,000; the city will receive \$336,000 or 105% reimbursement for this cost from the New York State Courts System for the renovations.

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