

Summary of Outreach Efforts

Date	Stakeholder Group	Purpose of Outreach			
5/17/2021	City of Bridgeport	Email to introduce the Project, describe the purpose and need, scope, benefits, location, and timetable and to request a call to review and discuss design/plan.			
5/25/2021	City of Bridgeport	Follow up email to introduce the Project and request a review of plans in the intermodal area.			
5/20/2021	City of Bridgeport	During monthly call with the City of Bridgeport and other utilities the project was described briefly			
6/24/2021	City of Bridgeport	Meeting to introduce and discuss the Project.			
7/13/2021	Town of Fairfield	Meeting with municipal leaders to introduce and discuss the Project.			
7/27/2021	Abutters in Bridgeport, Fairfield & Westport	Mailing with letter and project information sheet describing the Project, listing the website and the Outreach Hotline.			
7/29/2021	Town of Westport	Email and phone call regarding upcoming preliminary survey work and mailing to Westport residents who live in the Sasco Creek area.			
8/19/2021	City of Bridgeport	Meeting to discuss pole placements on Railroad Avenue.			
8/24/2021	Town of Fairfield	Meeting to discuss the project and wetland interfaces.			
9/13/2021	Town of Fairfield	Meeting to review alternative designs and receive feedback on designs presented.			
10/6/2021	City of Bridgeport	Call to review project and additional updates.			
10/13/2021	Town of Fairfield	Meeting to review alternative designs and receive feedback on designs presented.			
3/24/2022	City of Bridgeport	UI CEO, Frank Reynolds met with Mayor Ganim on a variety of topics involving UI and the City of Bridgeport. Mayor Ganim was provided with a high-level overview of the Fairfield to Congress Project.			
4/6/2022	City of Bridgeport	Email regarding borings in the street in the Fairfield Avenue area.			
07/15/2022	CT DEEP Coastal Program	Pre-application meeting to discuss CT DEEP Coastal Permitting.			
9/19/2022	Town of Fairfield	Meeting to discuss vegetation across the entire project route.			
9/20/2022	Conservation Director, Town of Fairfield	Phone call to discuss conservation easements			
10/26/2022	Town of Fairfield	Email to confirm receipt of the MCF.			
11/4/2022	City of Bridgeport	Email to confirm receipt of the MCF.			
10/14/2022	Town of Westport	Email to confirm receipt of the MCF.			
1/3/2023	Fairfield Residents and businesses abutters	Mailed postcard with invite to Public Meeting.			
1/3/2023	Conservation Director, Town of Fairfield	Present impacts/work in FF resource areas, including conservation areas			
1/11/2023	Bridgeport resident and business abutters	Public meeting invite			
1/11/2023	Fairfield residents and businesses	Public Information Meeting at the Fairfield Public Library			
1/15/2023	Project abutters	Virtual open house invite			
1/19/2023	Bridgeport Agencies	Email Fact sheet, invite to the Open House, invite to public meeting			
1/23/2023	Ash Creek Conservation Group	Teams call to discuss environmental concerns			
1/19/2023	Bridgeport Community Historical Society	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.			
1/19/2023	South End Neighborhood Revitalization Zone (NRZ)	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.			
1/19/2023	West Side/West End NRZ	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.			
1/19/2023	Black Rock NRZ	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.			
1/19/2023	Downtown Special Services District	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.			
1/19/2023	Bridgeport History Center	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.			

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1/19/2023	Bridgeport Parks Commission	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.
1/19/2023	Bridgeport Board of Education	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.
1/19/2023	Park City Communities	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.
1/19/2023	University of Bridgeport/Goodwin College/Paier College o	Email of fact sheet, invitation to the Open House and public meeting.
1/26/2023	Bridgeport Housing Authority	Call to present information on the Project, review pole locations, discuss ongoing plans for construction on the properties.
1/26/2023	Pequot Library	Call to present information on Project, review pole locations and veg clearing, discuss timing and property concerns.
1/31/2023	City of Bridgeport Public Information Meeting	8 attendees, residents and organizations attended