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Lorain County Metro Parks to Host Ribbon Cutting Ceremonies

Parks celebrate the completion of crucial links to the Black River Bikeway

[Elyria and Lorain, OH, November 6, 2020] The Lorain County Metro Parks will host two ribbon cutting ceremonies on Monday, November 9. These ceremonies mark the official opening of two crucial links for the Black River Bikeway along the North Coast Inland Trail.

At 1 p.m. on Monday, members of the Board of Park Commissioners, park administration, and the City of Elyria administration will gather at Cascade Park to commemorate the official opening of the Cascade Bridge. This ribbon cutting celebrates the installation of the \$2.2 million bridge spanning the Black River and connecting the main section of Cascade to Elywood Park. This ceremony will be held on the bridge.

At 2:30 p.m. on Monday, members of the Board of Park Commissioners, park administration, and representatives from the City of Lorain and Lorain Port Authority will gather at Lakeside Landing in Lorain to commemorate the official placement of mile marker 0.0 of the North Coast Inland Trail. This ceremony will be held near the entrance of Lakeside Landing.

With all of its connecting pieces, including the Black River Bikeway, the North Coast Inland Trail will stretch more than 103 miles from Lorain to the Maumee River in Lucas County.

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