NAKWEMA
TRAILWAY

TRAIL DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

PLANNING

CONCEPT PLAN
6 months - 2 years

- Look at existing plans (master plans, local and regional recreation plans, transportation plans)
- Develop trail vision and goals
- Identify and assess route options
- Inventory assets
- Assess community level of readiness
- Start to estimate costs and identify potential funding sources
- Stakeholder and community outreach

DESIGN & ENGINEERING
1 to 2 years

Schematic Design
9 months to 1 year

- Evaluate route alternatives
- Public input on route options and trail features
- Community, stakeholder, and local government outreach
- Preferred route identified
- Cost estimates developed
- Funding sources identified

Design Development
6 months to 1 year

- Engineering for construction
- Easement negotiations and utility coordination
- Permit review and preparation
- Community, stakeholder, and local government outreach
- Trail routing finalized
- Cost estimates finalized
- Development and maintenance roles identified
- Funding applications

Construction Documents
6 months

- Permits and special provisions prepared for construction
- Coordination with state and local agencies
- Final plans and bid documents complete

IMPLEMENTATION

CONSTRUCTION
12 weeks +

MAINTENANCE
Ongoing