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Public Works News Release

Pine to Park Path Ribbon Cutting

A brief ribbon cutting is planned for the recently-completed Pine to Park Path project. The ribbon cutting will be at 9 am, Wednesday 9 July, in the Bishop City Park along Spruce Street across from the Bishop Senior Center at the north end of the new path.

The Pine to Park Path project constructed a paved pedestrian and bicycle path about 1,000 feet long from the north end of two alleys north of East Pine Street, past the Bishop Community Garden, to the existing paved path in the park near Spruce Street. Path construction in the area of Spruce Street included construction of sidewalk and on-street parking improvements. Path concrete is colored to provide a more natural appearance. In addition, at some locations the concrete is stamped with tracks of mules, deer, and ducks.

Funding for the \$240,000 project came from federal gas taxes. The funding was allocated to the project by the Inyo Local Transportation Commission and the California Transportation Commission and was administered by the Bishop Caltrans office. The consultant on the project was R O Anderson Engineering of Minden and the contractor was V and C Construction also of Minden.

It has been heartening for everyone involved in the project to see the path getting all the use it has since construction was complete a few days ago. The ribbon cutting is a chance to celebrate this new addition to the Bishop City Park and the Bishop community.

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