

Westchester RiverWalk *Connection*



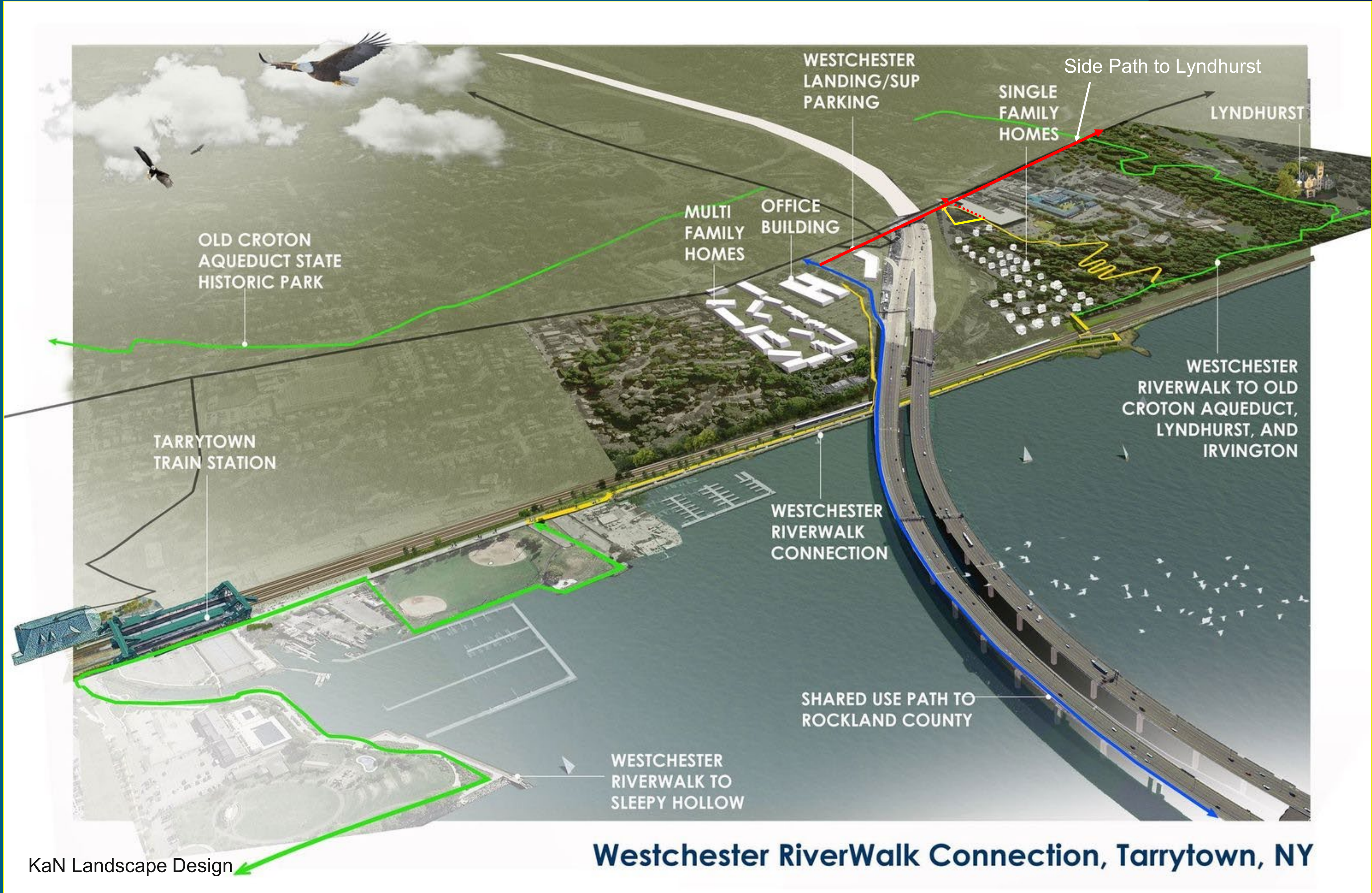
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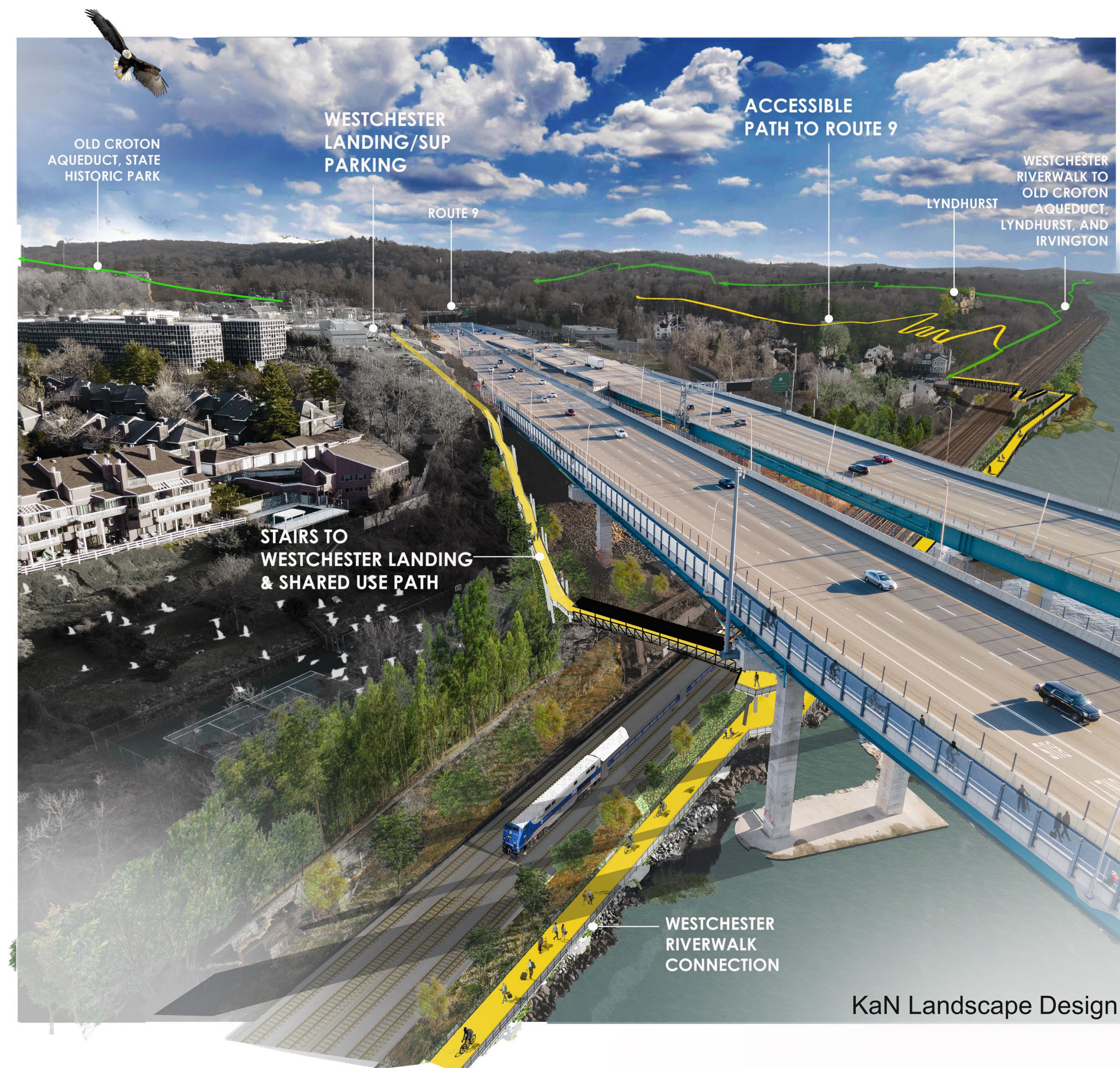
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ADDRESSES SEVERAL PROBLEMS WITH ONE INITIATIVE

- Fills a 0.9-mile gap in Westchester RiverWalk
- Provides transportation alternatives to automobile travel
- Creates a pedestrian link between the Governor Mario M. Cuomo Bridge Shared Use Path and Tarrytown Metro-North



Westchester RiverWalk Connection, Tarrytown, NY

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Partners

- Village of Tarrytown
- Westchester County

Supporters

- One of Governor Hochul's 2022 State of the State Initiatives
- Westchester County Business Leaders

Financial support from many levels of government

- NYSOPRHP--\$3.5M
- Westchester County--\$1.3M
- Community Project Funding (Senator Schumer)--\$2.797M
- SAM Grant (NYS Senate Majority Leader Andrea Stewart Cousins--\$2M
- Community benefit Fund (NYS Thruway Authority)--\$600K
- Hudson River Valley Greenway--\$40K

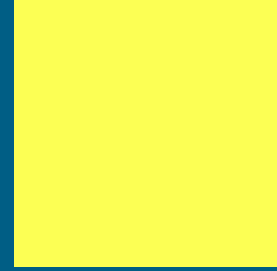


Westchester Riverwalk *Connection*: Recent Progress

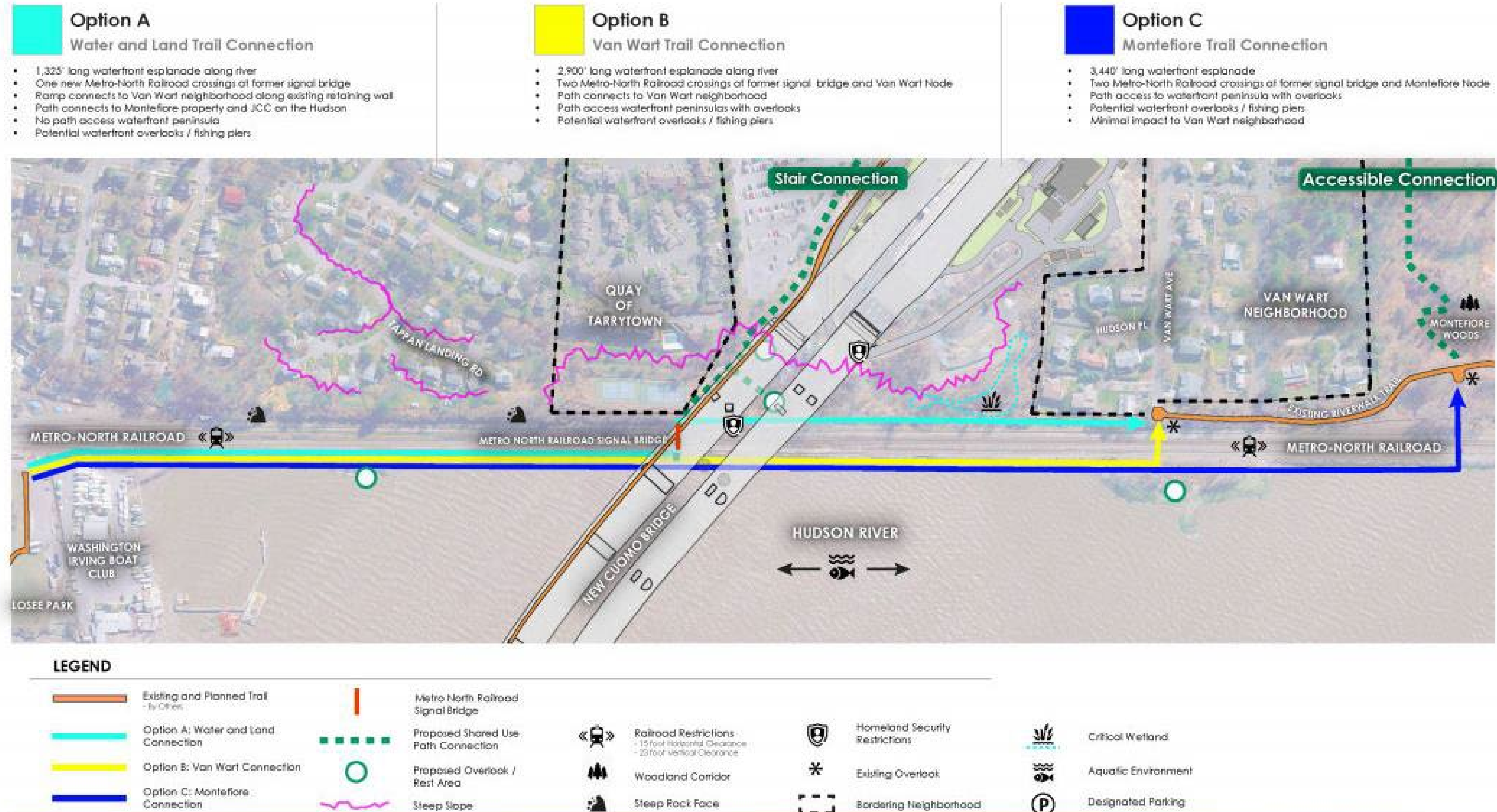


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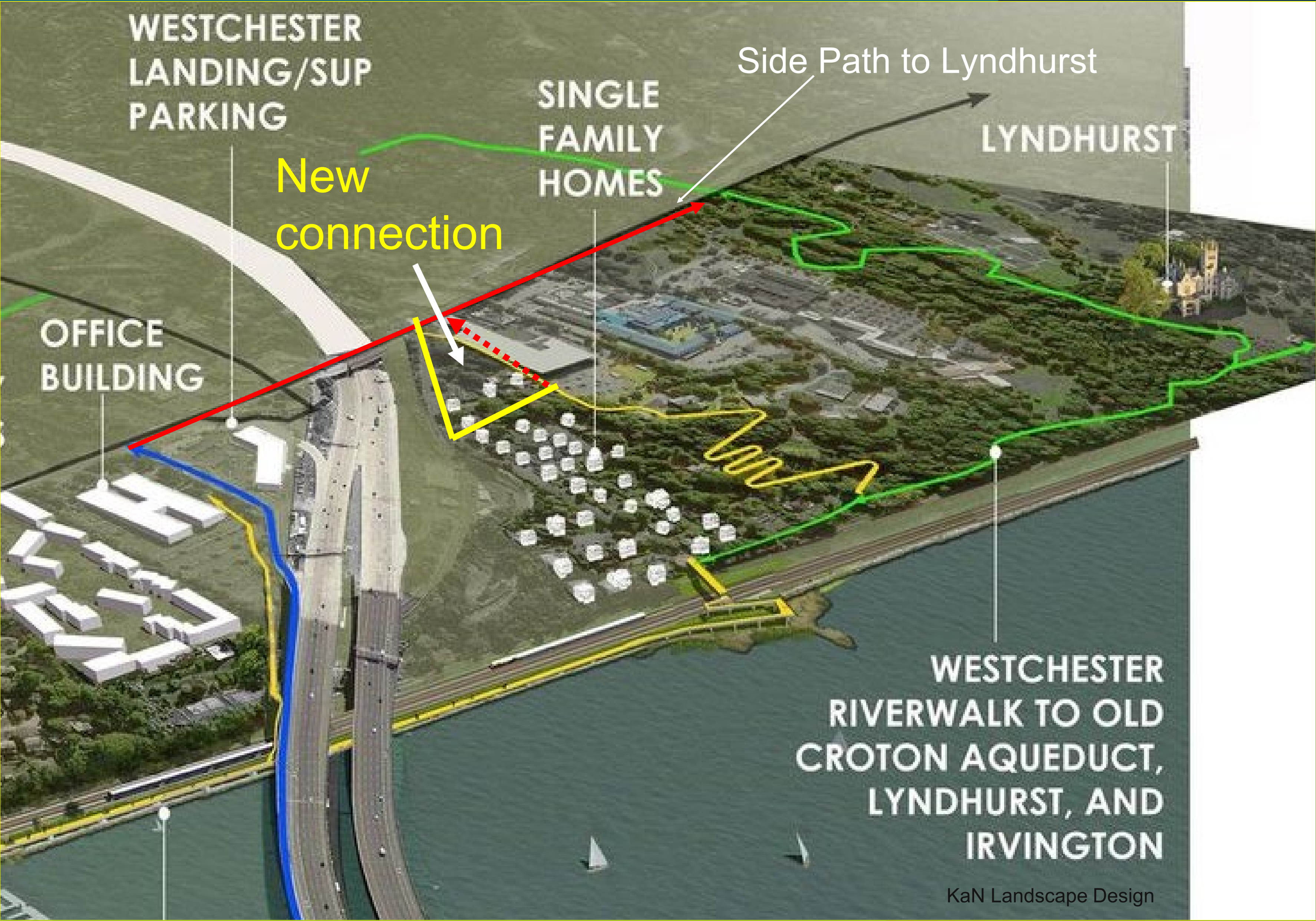
Option B: Van Wart Trail Connection



- ▶ 2,900'-long waterfront esplanade along river
- ▶ Two Metro-North Railroad crossings at former signal bridge and Van Wart Node
- ▶ Path connects to the Van Wart neighborhood and Lyndhurst
- ▶ Path access to waterfront peninsula with overlooks
- ▶ Potential waterfront overlooks/fishing piers



Proposed new connection to Route 9



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Westchester Riverwalk *Connection*: Next Steps



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