

# REACH 6-NORTHWEST BRONX

**Location:** Harlem and Hudson Rivers from Yonkers city line to Macombs Dam Bridge

**Upland Neighborhoods:** Riverdale, Spuyten Duyvil, Kingsbridge, Marble Hill, University Heights, Morris Heights, Highbridge

## Neighborhood Strategies

### Reachwide

- Implement creation of Putnam Greenway along existing rail right-of-way and identify opportunities to create continuous connections from Westchester County to Port Morris.

### Hudson River Waterfront

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- Support the study and the implementation of Hudson River Greenway Link providing bicycle and pedestrian connectivity from Manhattan to Yonkers with access to the waterfront.
- Work with NY Central Railroad to provide safe access to Hudson River shoreline.
- Mitigate stormwater eroding Riverdale Park slopes.
- Develop long-term sediment removal maintenance plan with DEP Bluebelt program.

### Spuyten Duyvil

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- Restore shoreline at unmanaged open space at mouth of Harlem River adjacent to Spuyten Duyvil train station.

### Marble Hill

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- Coordinate with DEP in long term plan to daylight Tibbets Brook.

### North of University Heights Bridge

4.a

- Create a Waterfront Access Plan (WAP) to promote the redevelopment of this area, including the creation of Regatta Park.
- Explore opportunities for provision of recreational boating access based on the criteria described in the Citywide Strategy.

### South of University Heights Bridge

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- Study redevelopment potential for residential or parkland to connect to Roberto Clemente State Park to the south and the Regatta Park to the north.
- Explore opportunities for boat launch based on the criteria described in the Citywide Strategy.

### Depot Place / Harlem River Promenade

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- Improve access to waterfront by creating upland connections with appropriate crossings.
- Explore public recreational opportunities on City-owned site and on privately owned site.
- Restore the shoreline from the Highbridge to Roberto Clemente State Park.

### Highbridge

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- Develop access point to Manhattan through rehab of the Highbridge.

### Ped. Bridge over Major Deegan at 161st St.

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- Improve connectivity to Mill Pond Park over the Major Deegan pedestrian bridge by removing barriers impeding pedestrian crossing.

### Harlem River

- Explore opportunities to reduce wave action to promote recreational boating and limit shoreline erosion.
- Identify locations to develop pedestrian upland connections to the waterfront.
- Identify an appropriate location for an environmental education center along the Harlem River.

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— Reach Boundary

○ Recommendation Areas

■ Major Parklands