

## Mascoma Lakeside Park Landscaping and Trail Questions

1. The intent for the proposed stone dust path depicted on Sheet 4 (and detail on Sheet 7) of the plans is to install the finished grade surface at existing grade with minimal grade changes. You should include removing the existing topsoil to a depth of approximately 6 to 9 inches only within the footprint of the proposed path to allow for placement of the crushed gravel base and stone dust surface, per the detail on Sheet 7. Any excess topsoil can either be reused on-site (e.g., around proposed plantings) or disposed of at an off-site location. The intent for the remaining areas on Sheet 4 is to install the proposed items without changing the existing grades on the site, so no proposed grading plan will be provided.