

Name of Project: **Dogwood Drive Bike Path & Ridge Avenue Sidewalk**

Owners: City of Ferrysburg

Contact Person Names/Phones: Mr. Craig Bessinger, City Manager  
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Location of Project: City of Ferrysburg, Ottawa County, Michigan

Dates Completed: Ridge Avenue Sidewalk - October 2003  
Dogwood Drive Bike Path - October 2004

Dollar Value:	Ridge Avenue Sidewalk	Estimated	\$81,000
		Actual	\$86,939.50
	Dogwood Drive Path	Estimated	\$59,000
		Actual	\$60,434.15

Project Team: Steven C. Groenenboom, P.E., Project Manager  
Alan Pennington, P.E., Project Engineer  
Matthew Kozak, CAD  
Steven Green, P.S., Survey

**Project Description:**

These projects were constructed as part of the City's long-term plan to extend bike paths and sidewalks to all sections of the City. The Ridge Avenue sidewalk is 2,600 feet long and was constructed to connect existing sidewalk networks along Pine Street to an existing bike path on 174 th Avenue. The Dogwood Drive bike path is 2,000 feet long and connects to a new bike path in Spring Lake Township. The existing sandy soils in the City allowed for very low construction prices. As a result, these projects were completed at an average cost of only \$31/foot.



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Ridge Avenue Sidewalk