Maintaining a Historic Resource

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13 Million / Hartford Marathon
Reverend Horace Bushnell

Hartford – Mid 19th Century
doubled in populated from 1850 - 1860
“Hell without the Fire”

Jacob Wiedenmann Plan - 1861
2016 Issues

• The continued and consistent erosion of walkway edges by large service vehicles

• Pavement failures and safety hazards

• Inadequate and antiquated lighting

• Drainage problems

• The lack of a single design “manual”.

Improvements Needed

Research Olmsted Brothers Plans
Service Truck Route

Process - Path Hierarchy
Walk Width Study
Elm Street Promenade

Lighting
Lighting Options

A. New “Hartford Standard” Light / Service Walks
Bushnell Park Play Environment
2018
Ribbon Cutting
Satisfied Customers!

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