





PROJECT MILESTONES

Project Estimate: \$350,000

Design: Winter 2017

Permitting: Spring 2017 Final Design: Spring 2017

Bid Advertisement: June 2017

Contract Award: August 2017

Construction Start: August 2017

Completion: November 1, 2017

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Northern State Correctional Facility Parking Expansion

2559 Glen Road, Newport, VT

Project Description

Northern State Correctional Facility has been chronically short of parking spaces for several years. The facility is short 20 spaces for employees, and this shortage is exacerbated by additional daily visitors to the site for construction, deliveries, trainings, parole board hearings, inmate visiting, etc.

Cars park along the shoulder of the access road or alongside the perimeter road on the west side of the facility. This poses a security concern, because the vehicles may conceal activity along both sides of the secure perimeter fence, reducing DOC's ability to control unauthorized access to the site. Additionally, parking along the access road limits access for emergency vehicles and causes damage to the site.

A new 40 car lot was designed upslope of the existing parking lot, utilizing the existing perimeter security road. The lot will be used for DOC employees only, freeing up spaces in the main lot for visitors.

Construction on the new lot began in August 2017 and it opened for use on November 1, 2017.



