

# Design Evanston

## Walking Tour of the 606 Trail

10:00am Saturday, October 24, 2015

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Join Design Evanston members and friends for a two-hour walking tour of the 606. Critic Blair Kamin said the 606—named for the city’s zip code prefix—“could be the city’s next great space”. The 2.7 mile trail, built on the former Bloomingdale railroad line, runs from Ashland Avenue on the east (where it used to serve Goose Island) to Ridgeway on the west, near its intersection with the main north-south rail lines.

**Andrew Vesselinovitch, AICP**, project manager at Ross Barney Architects for the “Bloomingdale Trail and Park Framework Plan,” will lead the tour. Prior to joining Ross Barney, Andrew was project manager for the Bloomingdale Trail at the Trust for Public Land’s Chicago Office. We’ll meet Andrew at the West Trailhead on Ridgeway, two blocks south of Armitage and walk to the East Trailhead at Ashland. If you drive, there’s adequate street parking in the neighborhood. If you bike, contact Heidi Hoppe (847) 431-8228 or Jack Weiss (847) 866-7480 to ride there as a group.

Gather afterward for an optional on-your-own lunch at Courtland’s Garage, 1645 W. Courtland, just blocks north of the East Trailhead.

**The tour is free for DE members\* \$10 for non-members.**

**Please register by October 21 at [event@designevanston.org](mailto:event@designevanston.org)**

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