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Syracuse, NY – Syracuse has put off plans to **install** signs along the Onondaga Creekwalk this year, to accommodate construction of a hotel in Armory Square, the city’s director of planning and sustainability said.

The city had planned to install signs with new logos designed in the spring by a **Syracuse University communication design class**

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The sun comes up on the Onondaga Creekwalk in Syracuse in this file

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(http://www.syracuse.com/news/index.ssf/2012/04/su_students_encourage_syracuse.html), said Andrew Maxwell, the city's director of planning and sustainability.

Public access to the walk has been limited by the construction of a Marriott hotel in Armory Square and it didn't make practical sense to install the signs this year, he said. The 2.6-mile Creekwalk runs along the creek from Armory Square to Onondaga Lake.

The city is working with the Onondaga Historical Association to create signs that tell visitors about the historic areas along the walk, as well as provide them with directions, Maxwell said.

The city is working on plans to have the public vote from among several designs for the one they like best, he said.

The new signs will be rolled out sometime next year, Maxwell said.

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Q (http://connect.syracuse.com/user/q13212/index.html)

I must live in a completely different dimension than the average poster here. I walked from the Starbucks in Armory Square to the mall using the creekwalk. It was not some labyrinthine mess where I dodged bullets and avoided drug **deals**. It was easy to find and walk

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.syracuse. for anyone with half a brain. I wasn't shaking like a little child afraid for my life like apparently half of Syracuse is when they see a homeless person. There were many people walking dogs, cycling and running. The only contact I had with another person is with a woman and her husband stepping onto the trail from Franklin Square, she said hi and we briefly mentioned the weather. Believe it or not she didn't mug me. It was a positive experience and I'm sure I'll do it again.


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I've walked the Creekwalk on more than one occasion also with no problems. Most of the people who talk about urban legend stuff don't even get out from in front of their computers.

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schlemp (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/schlemp/index.html>)

And dodging all the homeless people sleeping on benches.

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cnyreader (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/cnyreader/index.html>)

(<http://connect>) Really? The level of negativity on this site is unbelievable. The creekwalk is a fantastic addition to this town. It is well maintained, well travelled and safe. I suspect that "schlemp"

.syra doesn't use it at all, but just wants to say something


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
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obamanation (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/obamanation/index.html>)

Me and two friends left an event at the inner harbor to walk this creekwalk to the mall. It isnt beside a creek, or the lake its in the woods. We passed two groups doing drug deals under an overpass on the way and a lady walking a dog and someone in the midst of a sexual activity. Once we got to the street where the mall is the sidewalk was horribly slanted and chuck full of pebbles and the sidewalk ended at the parking lot we were on our own to get across the street (no bridge then) and you have to run to make it before they start flooring it and coming at ya, and then had to walk all around the mall as the new extension had no entrances open. Wasnt a very enjoyable trail for us, can only imagine the nightmare coming from Armory since we did a few blocks of that and stopped when the trail seemed to go thru a parking lot and alley or something.. What a joke

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cnyreader (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/cnyreader/index.html>)

You're kidding, right? Of course it's along the creek. It runs directly along the creek starting in Armory Square, leaves the creek in order to cross Washington, Erie Boulevard and West Genesee Street and returns to the creek once you enter Franklin Square. It then continues along the creek all the way to the lake. I've run and walked this route countless times and have never seen drug deals or sexual activity. In my experience, it is well lighted, well maintained and ususally full of activity. Sometimes I wonder about the posts on this site. Why all the negativity?

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sam basile (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/salvatorejkingstonbasile/index.html>)

i don't believe one word of this post. it's lies and made up stuff.....

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That one section at the end where it meets Hiawatha Blvd, then goes alongside all that traffic, then down and around, blindly meeting more traffic under the canal bridge, then back along the canal toward the lake. That part really sucks. It's pretty shaky for handicapped folks, special eds, and youngsters. The city needs to change that before someone gets hurt. People have been complaining about it, but are apparently being ignored.

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armory resident (http://connect.syracuse.com/user/sean_killion_1/index.html)

Makes sense, the Marriott construction is causing enough issues already. The real problem is that the creekwalk was so horribly designed that you actually need signs to follow it. Walking along buildings, down alleys, through a parking lot, detouring around onto Franklin St, dodging cars all the way to and along Genesee St., then crossing a 4 lane road at the worst stop light in the city ... then under 690 to FINALLY reach the creek.

It's like a bad joke.

I appreciate the attempt to connect things to Armory Square ... but the result is like square peg that was stubbornly forced through a round hole.

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dartime (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/dartime/index.html>)

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I never understood where the creekwalk really was since its not like a path along the creek. Thought I was missing something, its really a streetwalk?

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sam basile (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/salvatorejkingstonbasile/index.html>)

nothing wrong with needing signs to follow a path. boston, new york, buffalo and rochester all have their historic 'walks' marked.

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NAVYVET (<http://connect.syracuse.com/user/cayulake/index.html>)

Good idea. Chances are these signs would suffer the same fate as those lights up by SU.

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