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Ideas for trail along C&D Canal to be reviewed

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The Army Corps of Engineers plans public workshops Monday and Tuesday to review concepts for a new, multipurpose recreational trail along the Chesapeake & Delaware Canal. Rep. Mike Castle, R-Del., pressed for \$150,000 in congressional funding to study opportunities for widened public use of the 9,000-acre tract of government land straddling the 14-mile canal. Studies have emphasized a mix of possible activities, including trails for running, walking, biking and rollerblading, as well as improved fishing piers and continued access for hunting, fishing, dog-training and horseback riding. The session Monday is at Gunning Bedford Middle School cafeteria, 801 Cox Neck Road, Delaware City, and Tuesday at Delaware Bohemia Manor High School cafeteria, 2755 Augustine Hermann Highway, Chesapeake City, Md. Both sessions will run 5 to 8 p.m. with a presentation at 6:30.

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