Who will be impacted?
The study will impact The D&L as well as other organizations that maintain and promote long distance trails. The D&L will create a methodology that will be used and tested on our corridor, but can also be translated to other regions across the country. We want to tell the story of the D&L Trail through data, figures, and graphics, and use them to improve the region and our organization. Our analyst will use modern GIS, Data Analyst, and Cartographic techniques to paint the picture of long-distance trails and how they affect their local environs.

Where will it take place?
The strategy will be broadly based along the D&L Trail in the Corridor counties of Luzerne, Carbon, Lehigh Northampton, and Bucks. Specifically, ten trailheads will be analyzed to measure their affect on the communities that host them. Look for trail counters and surveys at our trailheads.

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