

Charles River Canal Bridge

Boston, MA

Type: **Curved bascule**

Services: **Conceptual design**

Cost: **\$3.5 million**

Client: **Massachusetts Department of Conservation & Recreation
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A new link between the cities of Boston and Cambridge requires a movable bridge to be located over the historic canal adjacent to the Charles River. The proposed cable-supported bridge will consist of a single slender tower and steel cables that will allow movement of the bridge. The towers will rotate to enable opening and closing like a traditional bascule bridge. The bridge will be transparent within the historical context of the old dam complex, creating a new gateway to the river from Boston Harbor.

