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New park opens in Cohoes

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COHOES, N.Y. -- A new park is Cohoes is offering some new views of the waterfalls to the public.

The four-acre Falls View Park is now open to the public. The park is adjacent to the beautiful and historic Cohoes Falls and offers a vantage point that wasn't accessible before.



Brookfield Renewable Power, the City of Cohoes and the Erie Canalway Heritage Corridor spearheaded the project.

Assemblyman Ron Canestrari said, "Wow, isn't it phenomenal, and, yes, what a day in the history of our hometown."

Cohoes Mayor John McDonald said, "Today is a milestone event, not only here in the City of Cohoes, but throughout our region."

The mayor also had special praise for Brookfield Renewable Power -- which operate a 38-megawatt hydroelectric generating facility down the street from the falls -- for their efforts in making the new park a reality.

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