NVSRB PROGRESS UPDATE

JUNE 2011

Colvin Run

Forest Edge North

- Stream restoration complete 1,944.2 feet of stream.
- Wildflower area is complete.
- Paving 95% complete. Finishing concrete work around trickle ditches, then crew will finish paving.
- Replacing boards on two pedestrian benches.

Forest Edge South

• Stream restoration complete – 2,926.0 feet of stream.

Hickory Cluster

 Received and responded to a portion of County comments last week. Still waiting for remaining comments.

Lake Anne West (Sunderbriar and Waterview Clusters)

- Preliminary Plan will be presented this evening.
- Both Sunderbriar and Waterview easements are recorded.

Lake Anne East (Inlet, Northgate, and Chatman Colony Clusters)

- Draft Preliminary Plan is complete and with affected communities.
- After community input, the area upstream of the covered bridge will no longer be restored.

Inlet

This month the Board voted to approve easements.

Northgate

- WSSI presented at Board meeting last Thursday, and Board is in process of signing easements.

Chatman Colony

- WSSI will present at their next Board meeting July 14, 2011.

Wiehle Reach North (Regency Square Cluster, Forest Edge, Reston Association)

- Design Underway.
- Forest Edge signed easements.
- Upstream Access: Daycare granted permission to use trail on their property for access.
- Downstream Access through gas easement:
 - Test pits through gas easements are complete. Now working on required plan for gas and utility companies.
 - WSSI meets with the County Attorney regarding proposed temporary easement on Cedar Ridge Apartment property. (RA maintained trail cuts through Cedar Ridge for about 200'.)

Tall Oaks

- Preliminary Plan approved.
- Stream walk held June 4th with over ten residents present.
- WSSI and RA presented at the Bentana Park Apartment's June Board meeting.
- Chestnut Grove's temporary easement is recorded.

Baron Cameron

- Preliminary approved with comment to investigate restoration potential upstream of RA property.
- WSSI sent letter to FCPA. In response, Park Authority requested a list of all streams on FCPA land that may be able to tie into NVSRB restoration areas. Their response also clarified that the Board of Supervisors still owns property north of the Baron Cameron reach.

Buttermilk

Design started.

Snakeden Branch – Complete (Starting 4th Growing Season)

The Glade – Complete (Starting 3rd Growing Season)

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Upstream area of Forest Edge North.



Downstream area of Forest Edge North complete with plantings.



Looking at newly paved path through gas easement in Forest Edge South.



National Trails Day – Forest Edge South Bridge opening ceremony.

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