

PRT Parks Tour Discussion- STREAMWAY PARK

- Clean it Up,
- Rebrand the Park- Streamway Nature Park? "Natural Area" "Conservation Area"

Mary Funk:

Clean out deadwood
Seating- recycled material
Trash collection
Entrance hidden
More clean up dog signs
Needs maintenance, needs to look safer

Mary Ryherd:

I also thought it would be really wonderful to expand the tree identification signs across more parks. Obviously there is a cost to it, but I've had a lot of really good feedback on those from residents! My cousin who is a Historical Landscape Architect for the National Park System was highly impressed by them, and thankful we included a key portion for the bark.

Clean out deadwood and cut dying branches

Tree identification signs here like Waterworks

Mark Raduziner:

Streamway Park: we don't own this park (KDOT does).

Anne O'Leary:

How is it being maintained?

Man Made trails that didn't exist before

Off paved trail use

Secret trail that overlooks Metcalf- fence destroyed

Keeping it a natural area

Make trails to apts more permanent

More trash cans?

More frequent pick up of trash?

Mountain biking group that creates trails

Tree locations:

• Could potentially add trees with fruit/foraging interest

Repairs:

- Trim bushes to signs can be read
- Vehicles driving around bushes to get to trail needs a barrier
- Discourage off paved trail use?? (there are so many more man made trails than there used to be)
- Fence to cliff has been trampled
- Clean up litter

Improvements:

- Redo tree identification labels
- Directional signage to park is still lacking can we get an arrow?
- Create more formal trails? (do trails go down the cliff on the north side
- Formalize trail links to the apartments
- Encourage swampy area to swamp
- Recycling bins

Future ideas:

- Repair driveway
- Improve shelter, more picnic areas?
- Wildlife support (beehive, birdhouses, etc)
- Butterfly plantings
- Mountain bike trail
- Bird, insect identification
- Cliff overlook

Mellissa Currie:

Karin, Ben, Jacque, Kathy & Penn:

STREAMWAY PARK

Pooling water and sink hole at entrance

Graffiti in shelter should be removed

Remove dead ash tree

Port-a-pot would be good amenity

Great place to prompt tent camping

Bench close to entrance

Concrete bench?

Traffic study, users

Hillary Thomas:

Counts of all parks

Ben Chociej:

Apartments then Park easements in 1985