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Turkeycock Run Stream Restoration Project Begins

The Fairfax County Park Authority will soon begin work to renovate a portion of the Turkeycock Run Stream located within Pinecrest Golf Course located at 6600 Little River Turnpike in Alexandria, VA. The golf course will remain open during the construction. Impacts to the community should be minimal and will include occasional construction traffic entering and existing the site from Elmdale Road.

The contractor, EQR, LLC, of Millersville, MD will be moving on site shortly and construction will begin by the middle of February. The project involves the restoration of 250 linear feet of the Turkeycock Run Stream and includes some minor grading within the stream to repair the stream centerline, installation of two rock vanes and scour pools, installation of a two foot high rock wall on the northern side of the stream and re-vegetation of the southern side of the stream bank. Construction will be completed by this April.

In October 2014 Fairfax County Park Authority staff in conjunction with staff from the Department of Public Works and Environmental Services were awarded a Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) grant for the restoration project. The grant provides 50% matching funds for stream restoration projects. The estimated budget for the project is \$200,000 with the remainder of the funding provided by Park Construction Bond Funds.

The environmental benefits of the project include stabilization of the Turkeycock Run Stream which in turn will result in a reduction in erosion and sedimentation within the watershed.

For more information, please contact Project Manager Kelly Davis at Kelly.davis@fairfaxcounty.gov or 703-324-8609.

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