

Year 2006 Projects

Project Name	Activity	Project Description	Habitat Type	Acreage	Linear Miles
Alley Pond Park (R-LI04A)	Reestablishment	Steep slopes of forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species at Alley Pond Park.	Forest/Woodland	43.80	0
Bridge Creek Wetlands-Staten Island	Rehabilitation	The project is a 13 acre Salt Marsh Restoraton at Bridge Creek Marsh - sponsored and constructed by New York State Department of Enviornmental Conservation and the New York Harbor Oil Spill Trustees (New York State Department of Enviornmental Conservation, US Fish and Wildlife Service and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Restoration Center). The project compensates for damages resulting from the Exxon Bayway Oil spill of January 1990. The Project also required the particiipation of the Port Authority of NY and NJ to reshape a half-mile leg of Bridge Creek into a broader channel bank to bank. The channel work improved the limited tidal connection to the marsh and allowed the restoration of 13 acres to proceed. Invasives were removed. New York City Department of Parks and Recreation Natural Resources Group also participated in marsh studies and technical review along with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Restoration Center. The project construction began in the summer of 2005 and final planting and replacement planting continued into 2006.	Tidal Wetland	13.00	0
Bronx Park (R-LI04C)	Reestablishment	Steep slopes of forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species at Bronx Park.	Forest/Woodland	38.90	0
Cheesequake Marsh (A-RB13)	Protection/Maintenance	Land transfer of wetlands from the Township of Old Bridge to State of New Jersey. These thirteen lots are inholdings to the Cheesequake State Park. NJ Department of Parks and Forestry is the defacto management agency under current ownership. NJ Department of Parks and Forestry has expressed an interest in obtaining the title and to eliminate the inholdings.	Tidal Wetland	87.79	0
Elder's Point Salt Marsh Restoration	Reestablishment	60 acres of Salt Marsh Island Restoration. Tidal wetlands were restored for mitigation of the Harbor Deepening. Restoration of elevation and replanting.	Tidal Wetland	60.00	0
Fort Tryon Park (R-HUR01D)	Reestablishment	Steep slopes of forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species. The total project cost of \$99,000 was shared with Fort Washington Park (R-HUR01C).	Forest/Woodland	2.80	0
Fort Washington Park (R-HUR01C)	Reestablishment	Steep slopes of forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species. The total project cost of \$99,000 was shared with Fort Tryon Park (R-HUR01D).	Forest/Woodland	3.00	0
Inwood Park (R-HUR01B)	Reestablishment	Areas of steep-sloped oak hickory forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species in Inwood Park in Manhattan along the Hudson River.	Forest/Woodland	53.00	0
Neck Creek (A-AK15)	Protection/Maintenance	Land transfer of the Mezzacappa property, also known as Neck Creek (A-AK15), in Staten Island, New York to New York City Department of Parks & Recreation.	Tidal Wetland	16.00	0
Old Place Creek (R-AK05)	Rehabilitation	Old Place Creek (R-AK05) is mitigation for Arthur Kill. Restoration activities include restoration of tidal flow and invasive removal. The funds utilized for this are from the Harbor Deepening Project.	Tidal Wetland	8.00	0
Riverdale Park (R-HUR01A)	Rehabilitation	Areas of steep-sloped forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species. Freshwater creek and surrounding wetland were constructed.	Other	114.20	0
Seton Falls Park (R-LI04B)	Rehabilitation	Steep slopes of forest cleared of invasive species and replanted with native species at Seton Falls Park (R-LI04B). The site includes upland forest (roughly 2/3 of acreage) and freshwater wetland (1/3).	Other	11.40	0

Whale Creek/Long Neck Creek (A-RB11)	Protection/Maintenance	Whale Creek/Long Neck Creek (A-RB11) site is contiguous to state-owned Whale Creek property and is a high priority acquisition for the New York-New Jersey Harbor Estuary Program.	In-Stream	15.33	0
Woodbridge Creek Marsh	Rehabilitation	The 14 acre Salt Marsh Restoration at Woodbridge Creek Marsh was sponsored by the New York Harbor Oil Spill Trustees (New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, US Fish and Wildlife Service and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Restoration Center). The project compensates for damages resulting from the Exxon Bayway Oil spill of January 1990. The project was assisted and contracted for construction through the US Army Corp of Engineers NY District Office with assistance from the Port Authority of NY& NJ. A total of 17.15 acres will be restored and 3.15 acres enhanced within preservation areas of marsh that are being protected. This included an unusual .5 acre island of gamma grass in a savannah of various red oak species and hybrids. The marsh project is adjacent to -and contiguous with a 23+ acre marsh restoration being accomplished by the Corp of Engineers as mitigation for harbor deepening. The Harbor Trustees and US Army Corp of Engineers partnered to complete both projects under one contract, under terms defined by the National Economy Act.	Tidal Wetland	14.00	0
Total				42.01	