



US Army Corps
of Engineers

CAP-206-Honey Creek, Milwaukee, WI

Project Location: Honey Creek is a small sub watershed of the larger Menomonee River watershed, located in southeast Wisconsin in the Milwaukee metropolitan area.

Project Description: The Project area is a 3,700 lineal feet (LF) reach of the Honey Creek in the area from approximately 500 feet upstream of Portland Avenue to the North Honey Creek Parkway crossing south of West Bluemound Road in Wauwatosa and Milwaukee, Wisconsin. This reach consists of a concrete channel that was installed as part of a flood reduction project built by the MMSD and Milwaukee County in the 1960's and it provides extremely limited habitat value. This project is authorized under Section 206, Water Resources Development Act of 1996, as amended – Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration.

Non-Federal Partner: Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD)

Project Benefits: The opportunities exist to restore some of the traditional in-stream and riparian habitat that existed in the watershed before urbanization, while providing larger storm water buffer zone in this densely urbanized area. The Milwaukee Estuary Remedial Action Plan (1995) prepared by the WDNR, lists as a goal the development of high quality aquatic and wildlife habitats. One of the objectives described in the plan was to evaluate and implement recommendations regarding removal or modification of human-made obstructions along the rivers which restrict navigation and natural fish movement (connectivity), spawning, feeding, protection, development or winter habitat.

Project Status: Energy and Water funds are being used to continue work on the Feasibility Report. The Feasibility Study draft report is scheduled to be completed and approved in FY20. Design is to follow in FY20/21, resulting in a construction ready project in FY21, contingent on Federal and Non-Federal funding availability.



Estimated Project Costs	
Federal	2,399,800
Non-Federal	1,292,200
Total	3,692,000

Project Milestones	
Begin Feasibility	Completed
Submit Feasibility Study Report for ATR	Jan 2019
Submit Detailed Project Report for LRD	Mar 2019
LRD approval of Detailed Project Report	Dec 2019

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