

STICKFOOT BRANCH

STREAM RESTORATION PROJECT



The District Department of Energy & Environment (DOEE) is preparing preliminary design plans to restore Stickfoot Branch, a stream in the Garfield Heights neighborhood that is badly eroded due to stormwater runoff. The proposed project will restore an approximately 800 foot segment of the stream, plus 140 feet of a smaller unnamed tributary stream, located on 22nd St. SE near the intersection with Hartford St. SE and Langston Pl. SE.

The project is in partnership with the National Park Service (NPS) as the site is in their National Capital Parks-East administrative unit.

The restoration will:

- Reduce streambank erosion and channel bed incision, improving long-term stability of the stream;
- Ensure the long-term protection of existing sanitary and stormwater sewer infrastructure;
- Manage invasive vegetation;
- Improve macroinvertebrate in-stream habitat;
- Minimize impacts to natural and cultural resources; and
- Provide downstream water quality improvements to the Anacostia River

Construction is tentatively scheduled for fall/winter of 2022 with Langston Pl. SE being the likely entrance point to the work site.

A location map of the project study area and a conceptual rendering of the proposed stream restoration design are provided on the back of this flyer.

Find out more about stream restoration in the District at doee.dc.gov.

In this partnership, NPS permits DOEE to conduct the proposed stream restoration activities, while DOEE bears the cost for design, permitting, construction, post-construction monitoring, and any remedial actions that may be necessary.

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Interested members of the public can submit comments or concerns by **March 26, 2021** to: parkplanning.nps.gov/stickfoot or:

ATTN: Stickfoot Branch Comments
National Capital Parks – East
1900 Anacostia Drive, SE
Washington, DC 20020

Comments must be submitted online or postmarked by March 26, 2021 to receive consideration.

VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING: DOEE and NPS will be hosting a virtual public meeting for anyone interested in learning more about the project:

DATE: Wednesday, February 24, 2021

TIME: 6:30 p.m.

RSVP: [stickfoot.eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/stickfoot-branch-stream-restoration-project-virtual-public-meeting-tickets-14988888888)

If you do not have internet access join us by phone:

Phone: 1-202-860-2110

Meeting code: 180 130 4451

The meeting will be recorded and posted at parkplanning.nps.gov/stickfoot.

We look forward to your participation and appreciate your feedback on this project that will benefit the Anacostia River watershed.

For questions, please contact Josh Burch, DOEE Project Manager at (202) 734-9527 or josh.burch@dc.gov.



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