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Partnership Forms to Restore Creek Health: Interactive Web Portal Launched

BURLINGTON, NC— The City of Burlington, the City of Graham and the North Carolina Department of Transportation announce a new partnership known as the Little Alamance Creek Healthy Streams Cooperative. The partnership is committed to restoring the health of the Little Alamance Creek Watershed in Alamance County. This is the first partnership of its kind in North Carolina and one of only a few in the nation. The partners are committed to educating the public on stormwater-related issues and informing the community about the roles we all play in protecting surface waters. The creek restoration process involves fostering stormwater pollution prevention by creating a culture of environmental stewardship for stormwater mitigation and management now and into the future.

The public is encouraged to explore littlealamancecreek.com to learn how to get involved in the Healthy Streams Cooperative. [Littlealamancecreek.com](http://littlealamancecreek.com) provides an exciting and interactive experience to learn many things about protecting surface waters. The goals of the partnership and this website are to educate the public on water quality impacts and pollution reduction practices, as well as promote public involvement and participation in the many events within the watershed. In addition to these educational goals the website provides detailed information about the various programs and projects specifically designed for the Little Alamance Creek Watershed. The NC Department of Environmental Quality, on behalf of the Environmental Protection Agency, also uses this website as a dashboard to track the progress made by the Healthy Stream Cooperative in restoring the Little Alamance Creek.

The Healthy Streams Cooperative partners look forward to working with the community to protect Little Alamance Creek. This is the reason links such as; “Submit Your Photo”, the “Get Involved” tab, and the “Events and News” pages are included on littlealamancecreek.com. Each of these provides an opportunity to experience, communicate and connect with Little Alamance Creek. We all play a role in protecting water quality and we encourage you to get involved!

Please email us at littlealamancecreek@gmail.com with any questions related to the website or specifically about Little Alamance Creek.

Attachments: Healthy Streams Cooperative ogo
Website Image

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