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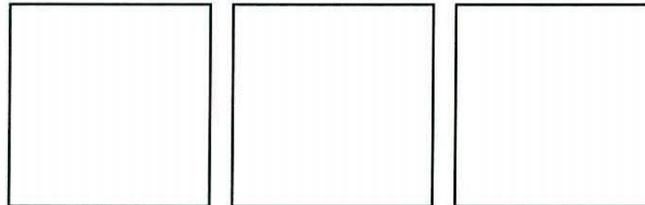
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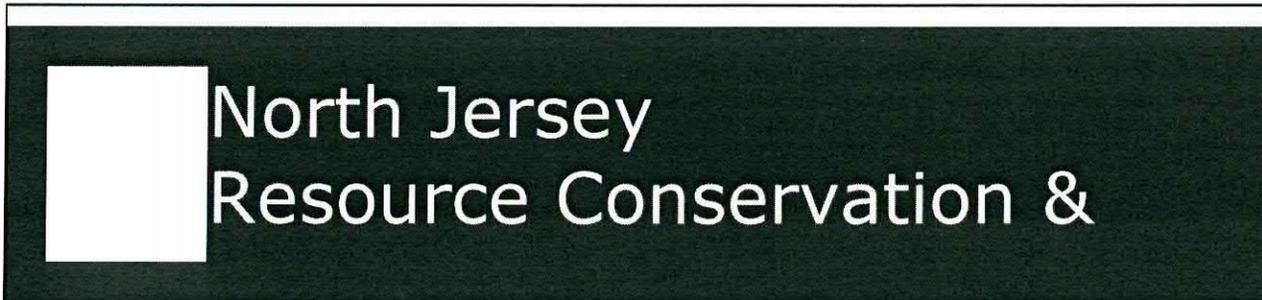
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# Development

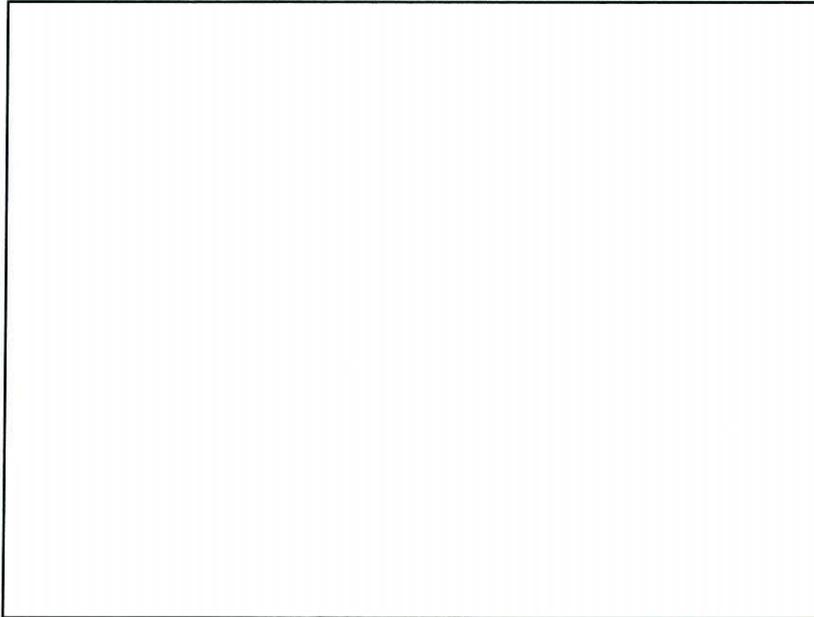
Mission: To facilitate the transition to sustainable use and protection of the region's human and natural resources through partnerships, education, and innovation.

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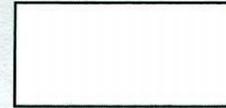
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## Project Highlight

### Morris Canal/ Lopatcong Creek Restoration



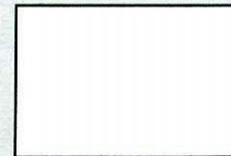
North Jersey RC&D and project partners will evaluate the site for feasibility and design to develop a conceptual plan to re-direct the Lopatcong Creek away from the Morris Canal bank, and to restore the towpath and bank to the extent possible while meeting the cultural and environmental restoration needs of the



#### NEW River Friendly Farm Website!

The River-Friendly Farm Certification Program has a new website. We are working to make the site more interactive by including online assessment, application and even a river friendly farm event calendar featuring events from all our Certified farms. Stop by and take a look!

[\*\*www.nriverfriendlyfarm.org\*\*](http://www.nriverfriendlyfarm.org)



#### Walnut Brook Award

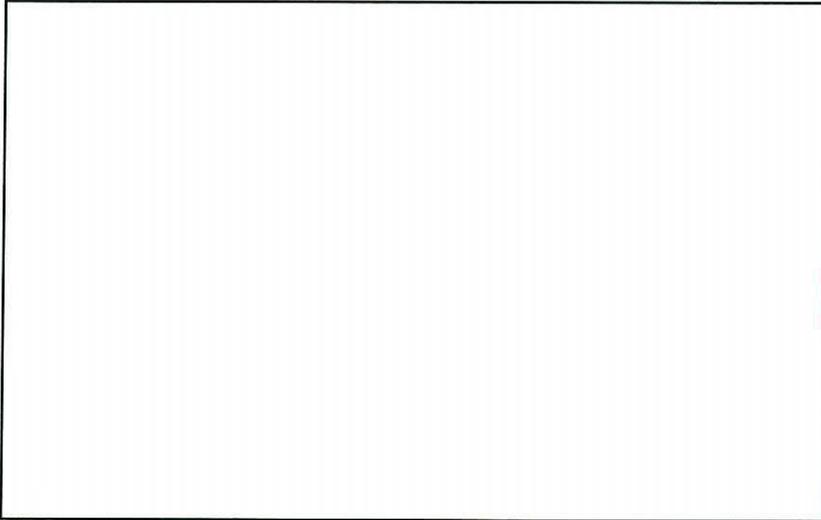
During the Fall Meeting of the Firman E. Bear Chapter of the Soil

site. This plan will address the problem of towpath destruction due to erosion, as well as, sediment loading within the Lopatcong Creek from the Morris Canal towpath. Ultimately, this section will be rehabilitated as a walkable trail in the Morris Canal Greenway trail system in Warren County.

Funding to complete this phase of the project was obtained from the Garden State Historic Preservation Trust Grant funds were awarded by the NJ Historic Trust Commission with additional funding support from Warren County Freeholders.

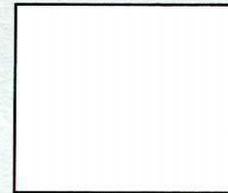
## Horse Owners

Please take our quick survey!



The Equine industry has grown in New Jersey and has become an invaluable asset to NJ economy and culture. With growth comes challenges and as more land has gone into development, horse

and Water Conservation Society, Walnut Brook was the recipient of the Environmental Excellence Award as sponsored by Pinelands Nursery.



### River Friendly Farm Expansion

The River Friendly Farm Certification Program is expanding to the Musconetcong Watershed. We are very excited to celebrate all the good things the farmers are doing along the Musconetcong River to keep its waters clean.

**More details to come in the future.**

owners must cope with tighter spaces. One challenge is horse stall waste management. North Jersey Resource Conservation and Development (NJRC&D) believes it is time to explore cost-effective, sustainable, safe and convenient options for horse owners to manage stall waste. The goal would be to create options that are both practical for horse owners and help to protect water resources. In order to effectively develop some framework for future stall waste management options, NJRC&D is conducting a survey to horse owners and equine facility operators. This **anonymous** survey will not only help assess the needs of the equine industry but also the practicality of solutions. To take this survey please go to [www.northjerseyrcd.org](http://www.northjerseyrcd.org) or [click here](#).

## **North Jersey RC&D Council Update**

Over the last few months, North Jersey RC&D has been addressing many changes with the loss of 2011 federal funding. During 2012, the RC&D Council is seeking to expand its board and we are seeking interested members of the communities we serve. If you have an interest in learning about how you can participate, please contact Grace Messinger. We are seeking support in the following aspects of the organization:

- Provide organizational support for NJRC&D
- Assist with special events or field projects
- Help with fundraising activities
- Offer public relations assistance

- Provide information technology support

In addition, as with many great non-profits, we continue to seek financial support from the constituents' that we serve and work with. If are able to or would like to make a donation to North Jersey RC&D in order to help fulfill our mission, just go our website to make a donation.

Please stop by our new office location at the Hunterdon County Echo Hill Env. Center at the Lechner House. Thank you.

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