

Grants/Projects - 2015

This year (2015) marks the second year of the two-year Wilson Pond NPS Watershed Restoration Phase II Project. The goal of the project is to reduce soil erosion and phosphorus runoff to Wilson, Dexter, and Berry Ponds, primarily for poorly designed and maintained gravel camp roads and eroding shorefront property.

In 2014, we (CWD) were able to arrange for two significant camp road improvement projects on South Georges Rd. (Wilson Pond) and Woodland Rd. (Berry Pond), but unfortunately, no major road projects were completed this year.

The Friends of the Cobbossee Watershed, who are partnering with CWD on the project did, however, complete three shoreline stabilization projects on Wilson Pond this year via their Youth Conservation Corps. We will be seeking an extension from the DEP to continue the project into 2106 when we will apply remaining grant funds on several road related projects, including prospects on Mt. Pisgah Road, Dexter Pond Road, and Merganser Lane.

For more information, questions, or comments, or if you know of potential project candidate sites in the watershed, feel free to call Bill Monagle at 377-7109.