



Natural Resources Department October 2016 – PROGRESS REPORT

Middlefork Savanna – Eradicate Buckthorn Pilot Project

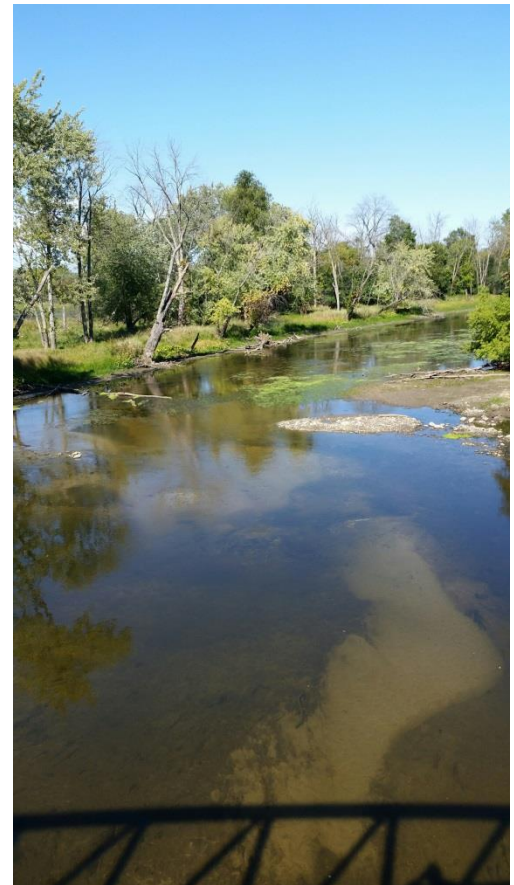
The Forest Preserve has submitted two grants applications for the removal of buckthorn in a 2900-acre portion of Lake County around Middlefork Savanna Forest Preserve. One with the ChiCal Grant Program and the other with the US Forest Service State and Private Forestry Program. We have developed a strong collaboration with several partners including, Chicago Bears, Lake Forest Academy, Abbott, Glenmore Woods Homeowners Association and Knollwood Golf Club.

Fort Sheridan

Work under the direction of the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers continues at Fort Sheridan. Removal of woody Invasive species along the lakeshore rock revetment is occurring in preparation for covering the revetments with sand and native plant species.

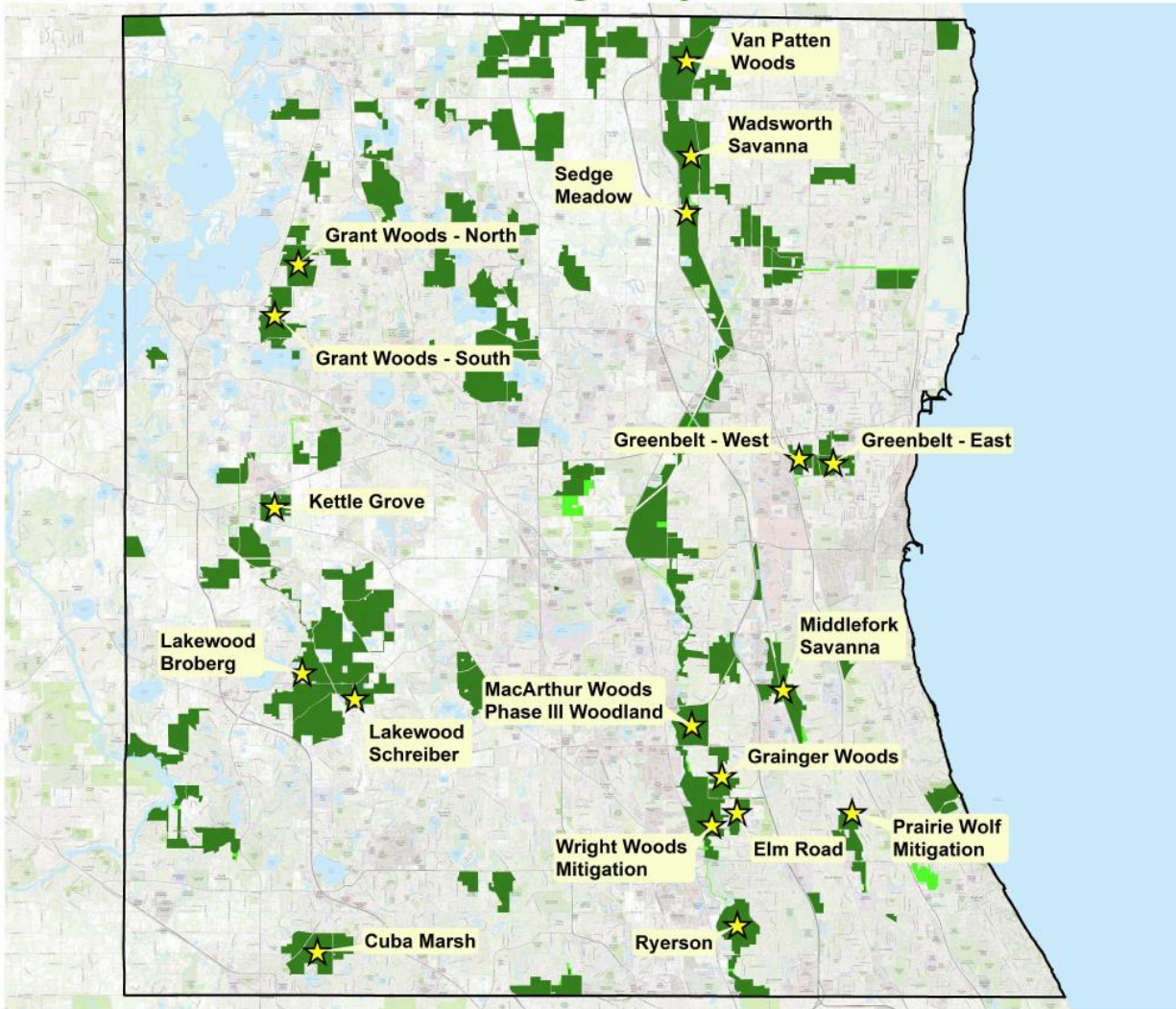
Des Plaines Dam Removals – Wright Woods and MacArthur

The contractor has finished the removal of the dam at Wright Woods and has begun removal efforts at the MacArthur Woods dam. Project completion is estimated to be early October.



Clearing Projects Scheduled for Winter 2016/17

Clearing Projects



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Legend

- Forest Preserve Property
- Forest Preserve Easement
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