

# WRRSP

## Hoskins Creek Old Growth Forest

Hartsgrove Twp., OH

### Project Details

**Status:** Complete  
**Watershed:** Grand River  
**Implementer:** Cleveland Museum of Natural History

**Funding Year:** 2014  
**Award Amount:** \$537,500  
**Tier:** 3

### Summary:

This project acquired a 105-acre Hoskins Creek Old Growth Forest parcel in the Upper Grand River watershed due to its water resources, which include: 31 acres of Category 3 wetlands, 2,450 linear feet of Hoskins Creek, a designated Cold Water Habitat and Exceptional Warm Water Habitat sub-watershed to the Grand, and 1,400 linear feet of Crooked Creek, an Exceptional Warm Water Habitat subwatershed tributary stream to the Grand River. The project involves the re-forestation of 1,400 linear feet of the headwaters of Crooked Creek and the creation/restoration of 8 ephemeral pools to sustain breeding amphibian populations. The permanent preservation of this parcel will help maintain base flows and water quality in this watershed.



Photo Source: Cleveland Museum of Natural History