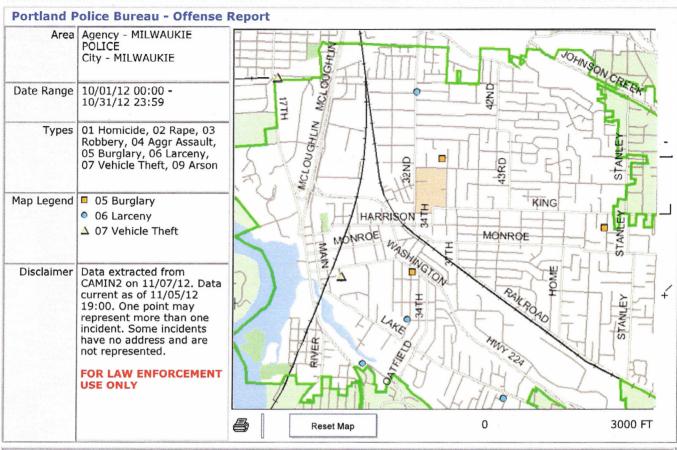
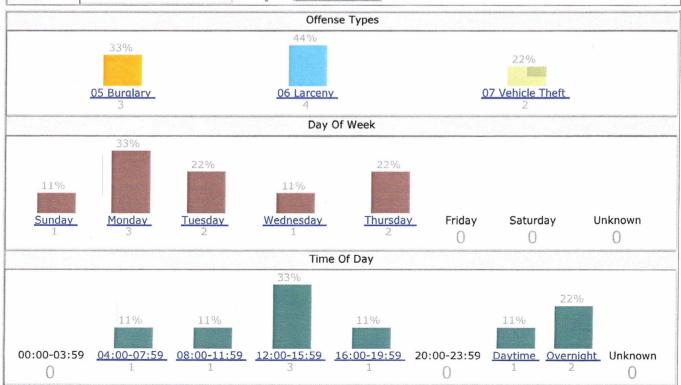
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the Creek Committee

Project partners include: Johnson Creek Watershed Council, Ardenwald-Johnson Creek Neighborhood, Sellwood-Moreland Improvement League, Friends of Trees, TriMet and City of Portland.

Johnson Creek Interpretive Boardwalk and Habitat

The intersection of fish, bicycles, trains... and you

You stroll along a boardwalk with a handrail of names—yours, your company's, maybe your son's or granddaughter's.

Next to you are Johnson Creek and the salmon, birds, and plants that flourish there. A few yards away are a new light rail station and new path from the station to the Springwater pedestrian and cycling path.

Intersecting futures

You're at a newly restored stretch of Johnson creek and a new SE Tacoma St/Johnson Creek MAX station—a place where healthier, alternative transportation systems for humans intersect with a healthier byway for fish. At this inthe-works spot, "nature" won't be somewhere else but right here in the city.

And the Interpretive Boardwalk will celebrate that mix.

Be its steward.

You can help create the boardwalk by claiming a place on its handrail. Your name—or maybe a gift recipient's—will be engraved in metal for you and others to see and touch. And the interpretive panels it links along the way will educate generations to come about Johnson Creek, a natural urban gem.

Just fill out and send in the attached form. Find more information about this exciting project at our website: www.jcwc.orq. You can also reach us at (503) 652-7477

Get or give recognition that matters—and lasts.



Donation form

Johnson Creek interpretive boardwalk and habitat enhancements

Yes, I want to be a part of the Johnson Creek interpretive boardwalk and habitat enhancements at the SE Tacoma St/Johnson Creek MAX station.

Enclosed is my tax deductible contribution:	Donor contact informatio	n .
\$100	Name	
\$250	Address	
\$500		
\$1,000	Phone Number	
Other amount	E-mail	
☐ My check is enclosed (payable to Johnson (☐ Please charge my credit card Card # Expiration Date 3 digit security code	10	Send donation form and payment to: Johnson Creek Watershed Council Attn: Matt Clark 1900 SE Milport Road, Suite B
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Donor recognition: Name(s) as it will appear engraved on the don	or recognition handrail	
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Recognition levels:

\$100 contribution (0.18" text height)

\$250 contribution (0.24" text height)

\$500 contribution (0.36" text height)

\$1,000 contribution (0.48" text height)

All contributions over \$1,000 (0.64" text height)

*Please note that final text height of engraved names may vary from the examples above, depending on final layout and typography.

Terms and conditions:

- All donations will go toward the interpretive boardwalk and habitat elements of the project. Donations will be processed and held by the Johnson Creek Watershed Council (JCWC), a registered 501(c)3 non-profit. JCWC is leading project fundraising efforts as a member of the Creek Committee. JCWC will maintain all donations in a restricted account until such time as they will be released for project implementation.
- All elements of the interpretive boardwalk are a JCWC-sponsored betterment to the Portland-Milwaukie Light Rail Transit Project.
- The interpretive boardwalk is scheduled to open in September 2015 and will not be open for viewing before then.
- The deadline for inclusion on the donor recognition handrail is June 30, 2013. There is no guarantee that project donations received after June 30, 2013 will be included on the donor recognition handrail.
- At this time, full funding for the interpretive boardwalk and habitat features has not been secured. While the Creek Committee is confident that sufficient funds will be raised by June 30, 2013, there is no guarantee that the interpretive boardwalk and habitat features will be completed as planned. If by June 30, 2013, we anticipate being unable to complete all or some portions of the boardwalk and habitat features as planned, we will communicate that information to all donors, including whether we plan to implement a project of reduced scope. Donors may decide at that time to have their donations refunded or dedicate their donations toward a project of reduced scope.
- The donor recognition handrail is a snapshot in time. There will be no revisions to names after they have been engraved on the donor recognition handrail. There is no guarantee of ongoing maintenance to the donor recognition handrail, nor is it guaranteed that engraved names will be replaced if modified, damaged or destroyed for any reason.
- The Creek Committee reserves the right not to include engravings on the donor recognition handrail that are deemed inappropriate or offensive.
- By signing this document, I acknowledge that I understand and agree to the Terms and Conditions listed above.

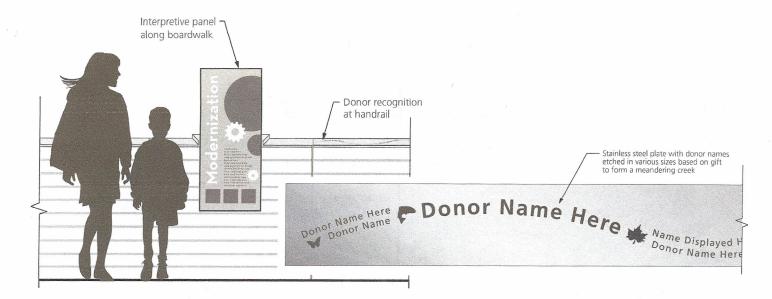
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Wheels of Time

The concept for the interpretive panels along the boardwalk is adapted from Thomas Sayre's artists concept for artwork to be installed on site. Great care will be taken in the writing, image selection, color selection and overall design to honor the artwork.

Interpretive panels will introduce visitors to Johnson Creek and the circle of influence in which the creek provided opportunity for industry, industry created community, community created new forms of transportation—all of which have affected the creek over time. A changing circle and wheel motif unifies panels with content presented in chronological order.

Donor Recognition: We are Stewards of Johnson Creek

Donor names are engraved along the boardwalk handrail. The names create a meandering creek with donor levels designated by type size and separated by fauna and flora silhouettes.

PANEL 1: Native Americans & Early Settlers

Visitors will learn about the Clackamas Tribes and their connections to land & water. Content may include a list of plants and animals that were important as food and material resources. They will also learn about the Johnson family arriving in Clackamas, settling the land, building a saw mill and the treaties signed in 1851 & 1855.

PANEL 2: Willsburg & Industrialization

Visitors will learn about the Wills family, the town of Willsburg as well as prominent industries such as Wills Brick Factory and Oregon Worsted Company that shaped the site's history.

The creek powered saw mills and the OR & CA railroad was built as a means to move products to Portland. Bricks built in Willsburg and lumber cut in Willsburg were used to build homes in West Portland. Worsted yarn production was a major industry, powered by Johnson Creek water rights. Furniture and wool created on site were moved to showrooms in Portland.

PANEL 3: Modernization

Visitors will gain an understanding of how the environment changed when Highway 99E was constructed and WPA flood mitigation project channeled the creek. Farmland was divided and became neighborhoods. Preserving a part of the natural creek became important and land was donated to form Tideman Johnson Nature Park.

PANEL 4: Today and Tomorrow

This panel will summarize current efforts to restore Johnson Creek (Flood mitigation: storm water control, reduced erosion, recreating meandering stream, protecting riparian buffers), promote alternate routes of transportation (biking on the Springwater Corridor, bus, light rail), and creating community (active neighborhood association, concerts, main street program) for a better tomorrow.

PANEL 5: A Healthy Habitat

Visitors will learn that Johnson Creek is part of a larger water system and a unique ecosystem within the city. Specific plants, animals and birds that are signs of a healthy habitat will be introduced.

Milwaukie's Annual Umbrella Parade & Tree Lighting!

Saturday Dec. 1, 2012

Santa Claus * Music * Free Treats

Bring your decorated umbrella and meet in the Waldorf School parking lot at 21st & Monroe by 3:30pm. The parade will head up Main St. at 4:00pm, loop around Adams then back down Main St. and end in front of City Hall for the Tree Lighting immediately following!



Prizes for funniest, most colorful and best overall umbrellas!

Umbrellas can be any theme--holiday or other.
For more information see www.cityofmilwaukie.org or
Contact Beth Ragel at (503) 786-7568