

Friends of the Blue Hills

Trail Volunteer Work Report

Work date (mm/dd/yy): 2/18/09

Report date: 2/19/09

Your name: Alexandra Echandi

List Volunteers working with you:

Boy Scouts of America (13) + supervising adult + me

Trail Name: Bouncing Brook Path

Section Name/Description:

Between intersection markers 3073 and 3130

Work Completed (Please be specific with location of work. Note hazards & potential hazards addressed if applicable):

Culvert Clearing: focused on one culvert that had some major drainage issue. Apparent that water was flowing over the trail. Dead and live vegetation was cleared on either side of the stream uphill from the culvert- Leaves and other organic material was cleared from the stream path itself and water started to flow. Culvert basins were dug out and recreated. Culvert basin on the uphill side was armored with rock. Additional rocks were placed on the side where the water was being diverted and going onto the trail to prevent this from happening in the future. On the downstream side, culvert head was rearmored (culvert was exposed prior to armoring), basin was dug out and two outflows were created in locations where it was apparent the water was flowing downstream. Clearing of vegetation was also completed on the downstream side. Ditch by trail leading water towards the culvert was cleared and re established. Path over the culvert was stabilized with dirt and rocks.

Total Hours (# of people x hours worked): 60

Work Remaining:

Additional fill required over the path- Additional rip rap needed for inflow basin.

Other comments (areas of concern, wildlife sightings, trail markings and signage condition, need for re-route, possible encroachment):

Forward completed electronic form to: Dexter Robinson @ dexpcdoc@gmail.com