

SUMMARY OF FLOODPLAIN IMPACTS

Date: June 6, 2023

Project ID: 115232

Floodplain Affected: Blanchard River

Description of Project:

Construction of a multiuse path along Howard Street and Broad Avenue in the City of Findlay. The proposed path will begin at the Walmart drive approach, which connects to Howard Street, and will extent to the east utilizing the old railroad bed. Once the share-use path reaches the east side of the tree line, the path will traverse south towards Howard Street. At Howard Street the path will be on the north side of the roadway until it reaches Broad Avenue. At Broad Avenue, the path will be extended towards the Foulke Avenue intersection, utilizing the west side of the roadway

Why must this project be located in the Floodplain?

To complete the connectivity of the existing trails, and to follow existing paths, the proposed path was placed along Howard Street and Broad Avenue, which is in close proximity of the Blanchard River and floodplain areas. The location of the project was decided due to the existing trail heads that are located to the east of the site.

What alternative sites were considered, if any?

No alternate sites were considered due to the location of the existing trail heads and the proposed project. This project will provide a dedicated path to connect the existing trails that are located east of the site, which will allow for a constant flow from one trail to the next.

Were any mitigation measures utilized on this project? If so, please describe.

Due to the project having no net fill within the floodplain area and the proposed grade is matching the existing grade no mitigation was needed.

To the best of my knowledge, this project has complied with all applicable Local, State, and Federal Floodplain protection standards.

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