ROUGE RESCUE 2005

A River Day Celebration Saturday, June 4, 2005

Friends of the ROUGE

1 - Beverly Hills – 10am to Noon at Douglas Evans Nature Preserve. Removal of invasive plants, and trash removal. Contact Stan Pasieka, Village of Beverly Hills (248) 646-6404 for details.

2 - Birmingham – 9am to Noon at Lot 6 on the east side of N. Old Woodward. Trash/debris removal, invasive species removal. For more information, contact Connie Folk at (248) 645-0731.

3 – Bloomfield Hills – Cranbrook Institute of Science. Noon to 4pm. Environmental educational programs. Contact Michele Arquette-Palermo for more information at (248) 645-3229.

Canton Township–

4 –Site #1 - 8am to 2pm at Flodin Park (SE corner of Saltz & Morton-Taylor). Trash/debris removal along Fellows Creek, Nature walks, Bird box building, Native tree plantings, Streambank stabilization, Guided trail tours. For more information contact Erika Hidalgo at (734) 394-5158.

5 – Site #2 – 10am to 12:30pm at the Meadows of Canton subdivision Palmer and Brookdale. Trash/debris removal, Storm drain marking. Contact Kesh Raizada at (313) 999-6256.

6 – Dearborn Heights – 9am to Noon at Parkland Park. Bird box building & installation, Invasive species removal, Trash/debris removal, Storm drain marking, Educational displays. Contact Steve Ray at (313) 278-1078 for details.

Detroit

7- Site #1 – 8am to 3pm at Rouge Park (Spinoza at Joy Rd, East of Evergreen) – Trash/debris removal, invasive species removal, native plantings, waste barrel painting. Lunch provided for all volunteers. Afternoon celebration includes nature walks, displays, games, model airplane demonstration, tree & flower plantings to take home. Contact Sally Petrella at (313) 792-9621.

8 - Site #2 – 10am to Noon at sites along 13196-13214 Powell. Southwest Detroit Environmental Vision – Trash/debris removal, Butterfly garden planting, and Bird box placement. Contact: Billie Hickey at (313) 842-1961 for more information.

9 - Site #3 – 9am to 4pm at the pedestrian bridge behind Taft Middle School (19501 Berg Rd) – Trash/debris removal from water and surrounding banks. Contact Bruce Fox for details at (313) 255-8816 or Stephanie James at (313) 387-3744.

Farmington Hills

10 - Site #1 – 8am to 2pm at Memorial Park. Trash/debris removal, invasive species removal. Contact Tracy Slintak at (248) 871-2860 for more information.

11 – Site #2 – Inkster & 8 Mile Road Park. Native Rain Garden installation. Contact Tracy Slintak at (248) 871-2860 for more details.

12 - Site #3 – 8:30am to Noon at Oakland Community College Orchard Ridge Campus (west end of campus behind bldg. H. NE corner of Lot 6). Storm drain marking, trash/debris removal. For more information, contact Mike Kadrofske at (248) 522-3405.

13 – Site #4 – 9:30am to 1pm at Sisters of Mercy Campus (E. of Middlebelt/N of 11 Mile). Riparian corridor restoration with native tree & shrub planting. For more information, contact Jane Tesner-Kleiner at (734) 769-3004.

14 - Livonia – 9am to 1pm at Rotary Park (6 Mile & Hubbard). Streambank stabilization, Native plantings, Trash/debris removal, Invasive species removal, Woody debris management, Storm drain marking and Trail maintenance. Contact Sharon Sabat at (734) 466-2538 or Doug Moore at (734)466-2617.

15 - Novi – 8:30am to 12:30pm at Rotary Park (9 Mile & Roethal Dr). Trash/debris removal, Invasive species removal, Trail maintenance, and Native planting. Contact Jack Lewis at (248) 347-0400 for more information.

16 - Plymouth, City of – 9am to Noon on Byron Creek at Main St. & Byron . Trash/debris removal. Contact Chris Porman at (734) 453-7737 ext. 108 for details.

17 - Plymouth, Charter Township of – 9am to Noon at Plymouth Township Park (46440 Ann Arbor Trail). Buffer zone extension with native plantings, Guided tour of Rouge River interpretive barrier-free pathway. Contact Susan Vignoe at (734) 453-8131 ext. 33 for information.

18 - Redford – 8am to 1pm at Lola Valley Park (Redford CSO basin). Trash/debris removal, storm drain marking. Contact Carl VanAartsen at (313) 387-2643 for details.

Southfield

19 - Site #1 – 8am to 4pm at Beechwoods Recreation Center (Beech and 9 Mile Rd.). Trash/debris removal, woody debris management. Contact Brandy Bakita, at (248) 796-4806 for additional information.

20 - Site #2 – 9am to Noon at Valley Woods North (at s. end of Streamwood Lane off 12 Mile 1/3 mile east of Telegraph). Herbaceous invasive species removal, Trash/debris removal. Contact Gail Barber at (248) 356-0891 to sign up.

21 - Troy – 9am to 2pm at Firefighter's Park (Square Lake Road. between Coolidge & Crooks). Trash/debris removal, Native buffer plantings, Weeding of existing buffer zone, Duck race, Invasive species removal, Barbeque. Contact Dana Calhoun or Jennifer Lawson at (248) 524-3381 for more information or to register.

22 - Wayne – from 9am to 1pm at Dynamite Park (Josephine St. between Venoy & Sims). Trail building, native plantings, trash/debris removal. Contact Kurt Kuban (734) 641-9267 for details.

23 - Westland – from 8:30am to Noon at Holliday Nature Preserve. Trash/debris removal, Trail maintenance, Invasive species removal. For more information call Robert Patterson at (734) 595-0288 ext. 223.

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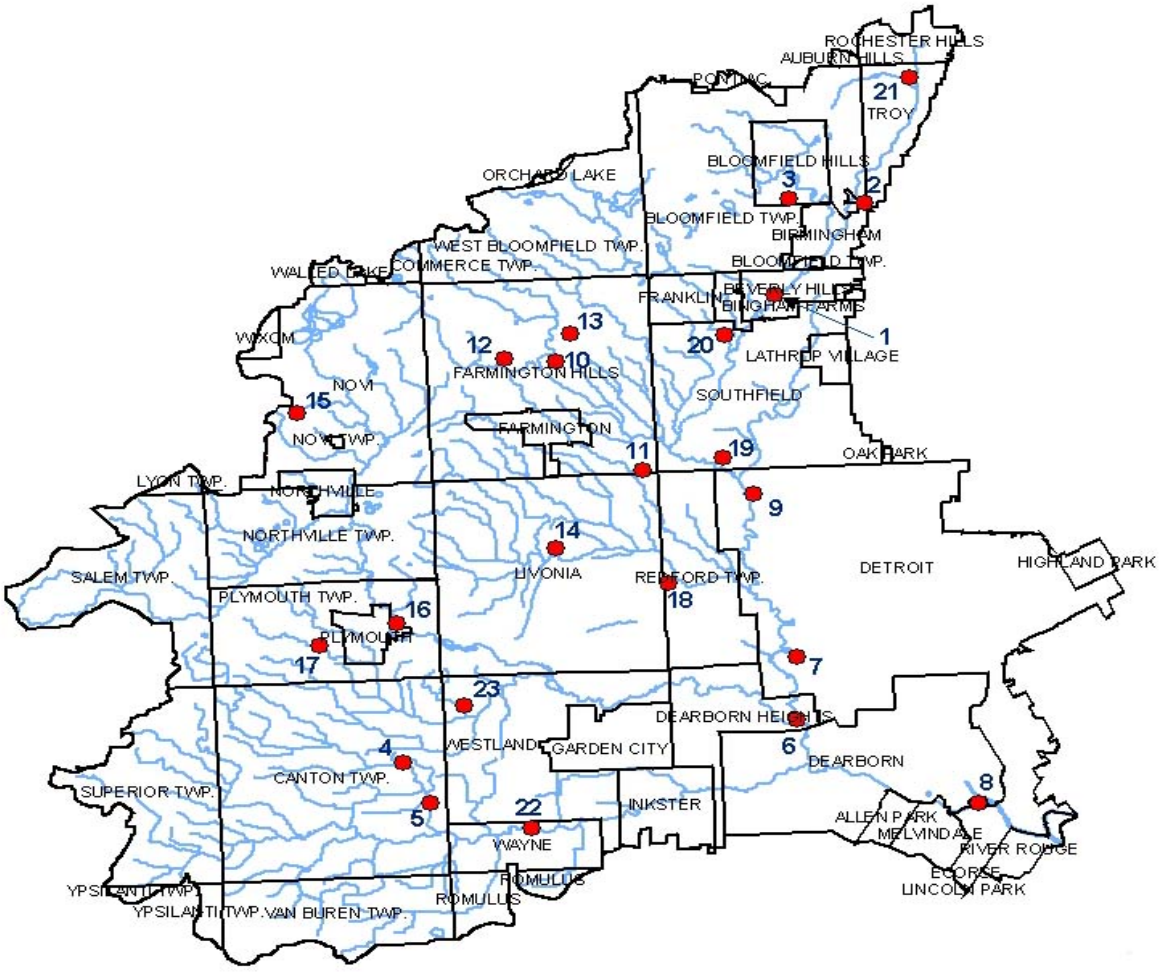
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