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Fact Sheet

EMERGENCY WATERSHED PROTECTION PROJECT CHAPLIN ROAD, EASTFORD, CONNECTICUT

DISASTER:

During the week of October 7-15, 2005, the State of Connecticut was struck by two very heavy rainfall events. Combined, the rainfall from these two events totaled 9-16 inches across the state. This rainfall resulted in major flooding of several sub-regional river basins in Hartford and Tolland Counties on October 14-15, 2005.

PROJECT:

31 ft. of streambank along Bigelow Brook and the Natchaug River eroded jeopardizing the Charlie Brown Campground.

MEASURES TAKEN:

Eroded section of the streambank was repaired and stabilized. The total contract cost for this project was \$7,832.00.



Before Construction



COSTS: NRCS AND SPONSORS

Natural Resources Conservation Service provided \$5,874.00. CT Department of Environmental Protection and the Town of Eastford provided \$1,958.00.

SMALL BUSINESS CONTRACTOR:

Vynalak Construction Company, Inc., of Higganum, Connecticut, was awarded the contract.

After Construction

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