HARLAN WOLFE REGIONAL PARK FLOOD RESTORATION AND PARK IMPROVEMENT PROJECT









PROJECT UPDATE AND GRANT ACCEPTANCE

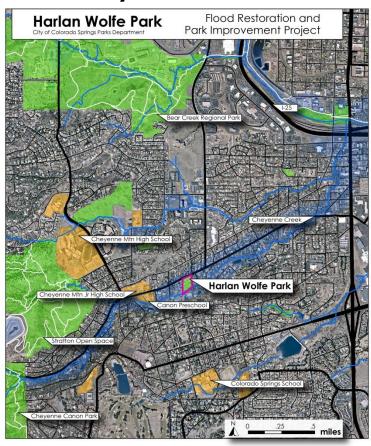
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Harlan Wolfe Park

- 4-acre neighborhood Open Space Park
- Bordered by Cheyenne Creek & Cheyenne Rd
- Home to 1894 Wolfe House,
 PPUG community garden,
 trails and riparian habitat







Project Background

- Widespread damage to Harlan Wolfe during the 2013 Flood, including:
 - Severe damage to the foundation of 1960's era house
 - Deposition of sediment across large portions of park
 - Destruction of many existing trails, educational signs
- GOCO Flood Recovery grant awarded in 2014



GOCO Flood Recovery Grant

- \$98,521 GOCO Award
- Required 25% match provided by FEMA disaster funds
- No Parks or General Fund dollars anticipated
- One of 14 GOCO Flood Recovery projects statewide
- Acceptance of funds requires City Council vote

Harlan Wolfe Project Scope

- Guided by 2009 Master Plan
- Informed by stakeholders
- Project Elements:
 - Restored Trails
 - Gravel parking lot
 - Expanded garden
 - Sediment removal
 - Demo '60's house
 - Educational elements
 - New pavilion/outdoor gathering space





Project Partners

- Great Outdoors Colorado
- Pikes Peak Urban Gardens
- Friends of Cheyenne Canon
- Mile High Youth Corps
- Historic Preservation Alliance
- Cheyenne Creek
 Conservation Club
- FEMA



Questions

