

The Park Plan

The plants that have been selected for this park were designed to reduce the soil erosion around the banks, provide food and shelter for the wildlife, and have an aesthetic value for visitors. Blue bird and bat boxes will be added to provide additional shelter for the song birds and bats. Another aspect of this project is to reduce the invasive plants in various places within the park that have reduced the wildlife value and use. The primary method of control will be a manual removal of the invasive species. With the future interests of the park to create an arboretum, this project is also including several identification markers of the plants for future educational purposes.



The project is being hosted by
AmeriCorps
with the assistance from the
Genesee County Parks Department, Soil
and Water districts of Niagara, Genesee,
and Orleans, Lake Plains RC&D Council,
and the USDA NRCS.



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DeWitt Park Wildlife Planting Project



At Cedar street in Batavia
Donate! OR Come join us April 24, 2010
From 9am to 3pm



Donate or Come and have some fun!

Tel: (716) 434-4949

DeWitt Park

DeWitt Park is one of Batavia's best parks; however, it has a low

wildlife value. There is a decent amount of

wildlife activity, and

this project hopes to

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Donation Information

If you are interested in donating, you can mail your donation or stop in at the Genesee County Youth Bureau.

\$1.00 is enough for 1 plant!

We are accepting

\$1.00

\$5.00

\$10.00

Or any amount that you wish for this project.

There will be over 250 plants needed for this project.

Donation and Volunteering

You can send any amount to:

Genesee County Youth Bureau
Attn: Dewitt Park
3837 W. Main St. Rd.
Batavia, NY 14020

If you would like to volunteer

Or

Have any questions contact:

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Amount Enclosed: _____