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Ardrossan Trails
Board of Commissioners Meeting

Radnor Township
February 27, 2017

Welcome & Introduction

- Rick Tralies, Natural Lands Trust
- Radnor Township Study Committee
  - Commissioner Elaine Schaeffer
  - Commissioner John Nagle
  - Commissioner Lucas Clark
  - Cheryl Tumola
  - Dave Toomey
  - Gretchen Groebel
  - Jeff Goggins
  - John Fischer
  - Laura Luker
  - Mary Coe
  - Pat Gillan
  - Roger Phillips
  - Steve Norcini
  - Tammy Cohen
  - Tracey Carney
  - Eric Janson
  - Lisa Goldstein
  - Melissa Conn
  - Jay Bowden

Ardrossan Trails - Process

2014-2015	Conceptual Plan – Funded by an anonymous, private foundation No public process
2016	NLT & Radnor Contract to Advance Project
May	Project Kickoff
June	1st Public Meeting – Facilitated Workshop on 1st Draft
May – Nov	Multiple meetings with neighbors and boy scouts
September	Radnor Township Staff Traffic Meeting
October	2nd Public Meeting – Presentation and Facilitated Scorecard Exercise on Revisions
January	Park and Recreation Board Recommendation
2017 Next Steps:	RFP for Engineering Detailed Design – Engineering & Landscaping

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Where do you see opportunities or concerns on the proposed trail alignment?

Opportunities

Opportunity for major trailhead at Willows

Coordinate with other Radnor trails

Connect both sides of creek near Saw Mill

More new trails to connect existing trails

Newtown Road paths to connect neighborhoods to parks

Expand existing informal parking near Saw Mill Road

Add parking near Saw Mill Park

Overlook area has special view

Additional trails and bridge to provide access to Malin Road

Additional trail access to Briarwood Road

Where do you see opportunities or concerns on the proposed trail alignment?

Concerns

Disruption to viewshed along Darby Paoli Road
Need parking at upper Rye Field

Lawrence Lane parking

Saw Mill Road intersection dangerous
Newtown Road intersection dangerous
Dangerous between boy scouts and Lawrence Lane
Potential parking on Briarwood Lane

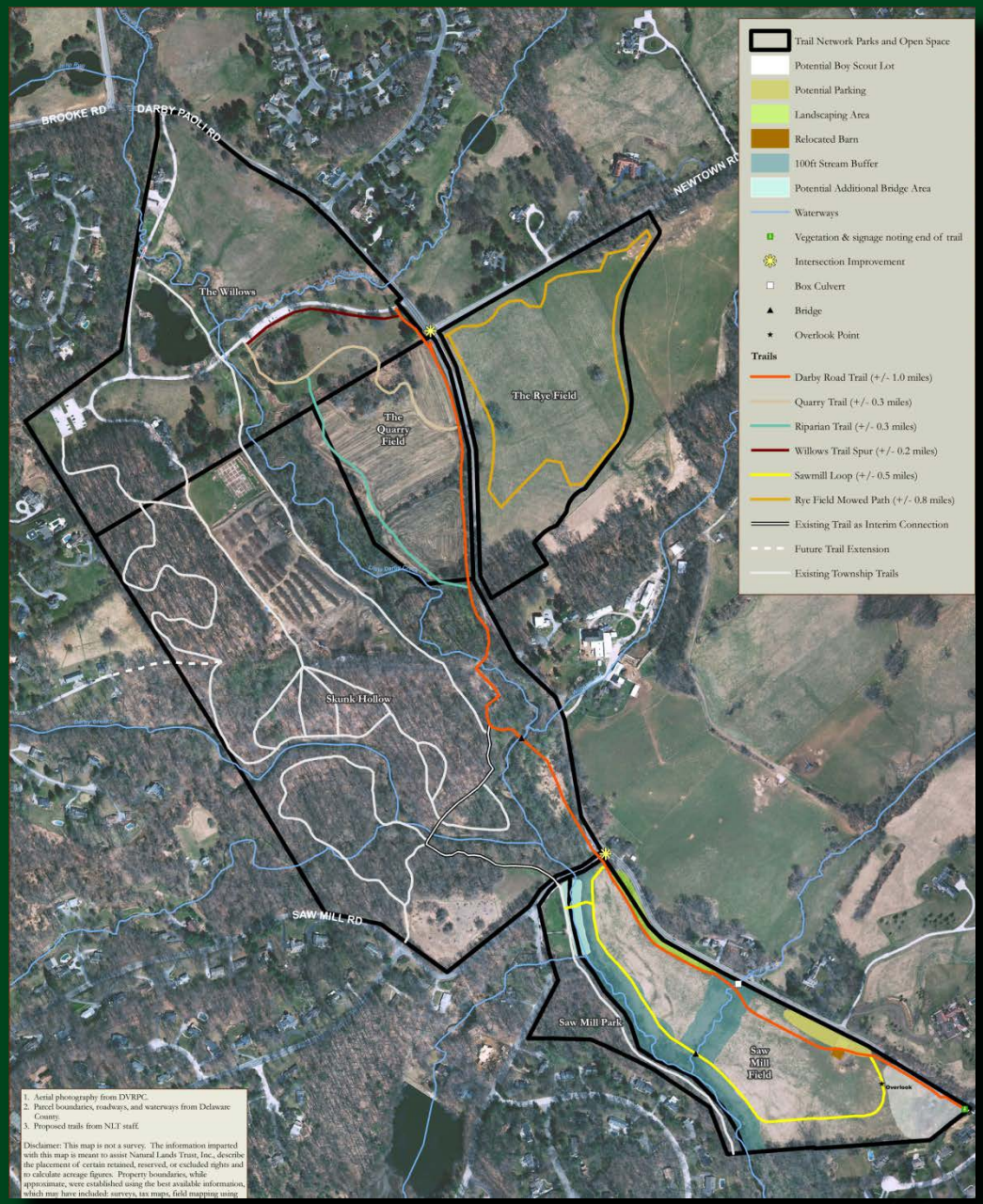
Privacy and security to neighbors

Trail too close to Darby Paoli Road in places
Dogs off leash in Skunk Hollow Park
Crossing Newtown Road at upper Rye Field
Paper Mill Road connector subject of legal action
Saw Mill Field floods
8-10' is too wide for main trail

Proposed parking lot location is unacceptable

Trail extension to Lawrence Lane is unnecessary

Saw Mill Bridge is dangerous



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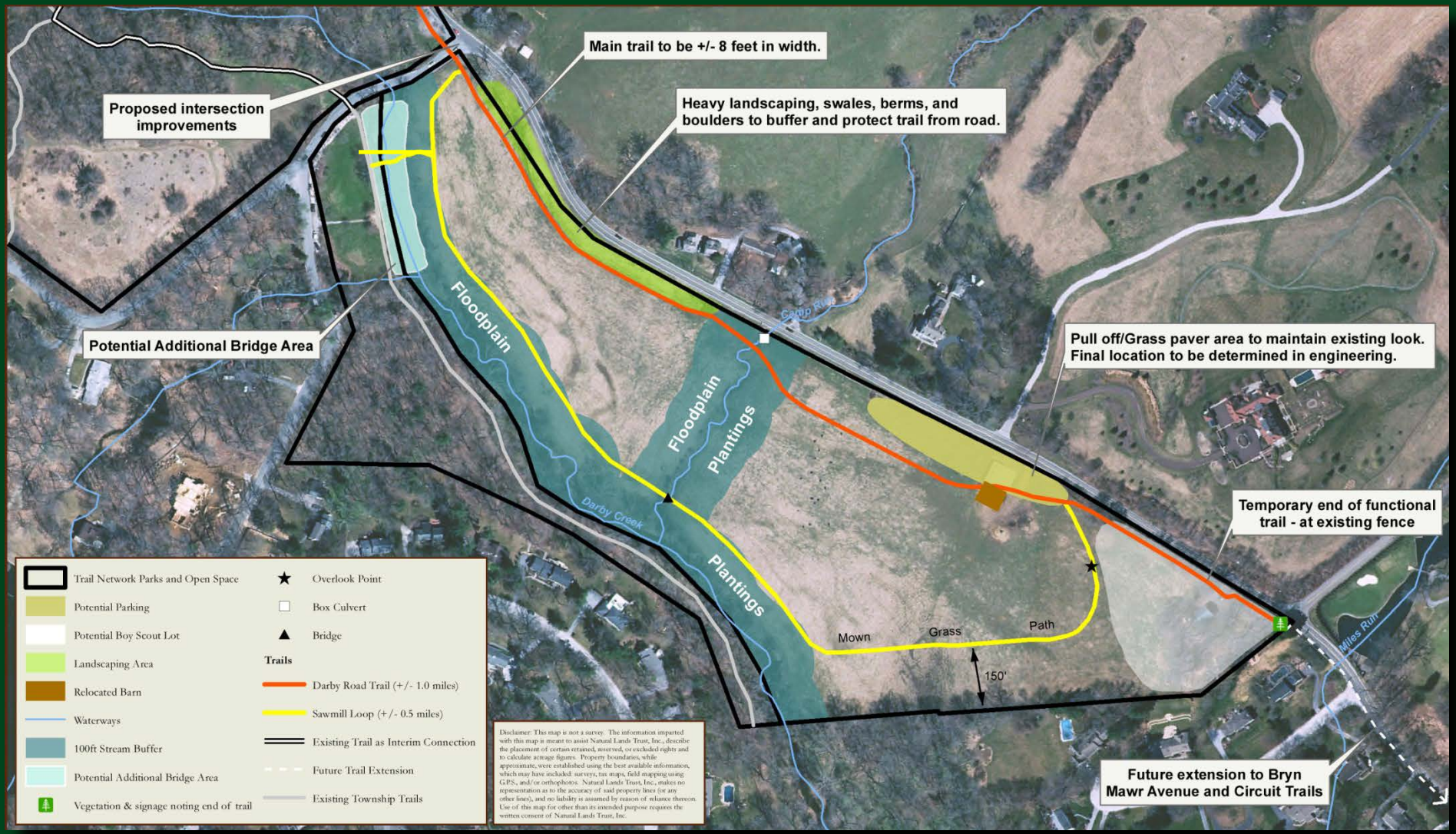

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