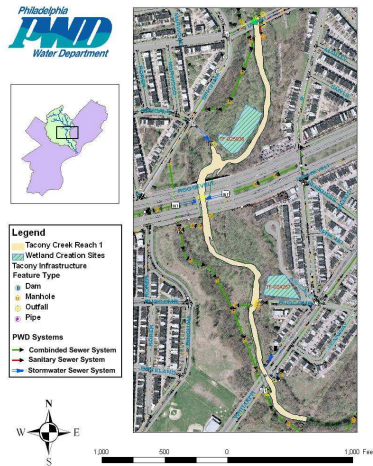


# Tacony Creek Stream Restoration: Tabor Rd to Whitaker Ave Bridge -- Reach 2

## Restoration Project



## Tacony-Frankford Watershed



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This project proposal is for riparian and stream restoration of a reach within mainstem Tacony Creek, which is bounded upstream by Tabor Road Bridge and ends 400 feet downstream from the Whittaker Avenue Bridge. Typical of urban streams, the Tookany/Tacony-Frankford Creek Watershed experiences a flashy hydrologic regime where the ratio of bankfull flow to baseflow far exceeds the ratio of 10:1 considered normal for healthy streams. Changes in hydrology have resulted in de-stabilization of much of the watershed. This project proposal is for riparian and stream restoration, and a native-species landscaping plan. Efforts previously addressed, including the wetland creation and stream restoration, will create habitat for aquatic organisms.

### Benefits:

- Reduced erosion and sediment load
- Enhanced aquatic and riparian habitat
- Improved biological integrity
- Improved ecological stability

