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NORTH CAROLINA WILDLIFE FEDERATION

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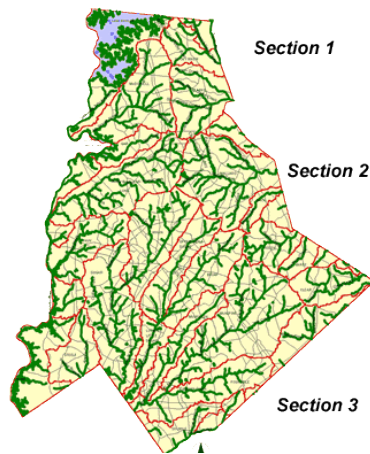
GREENWAYS FOR MECKLENBURG

Free Community
Environmental
Program

Tuesday
January 8th
6:30PM to 8PM

Discovery Place Nature

1658 Sterling Road
Charlotte, NC 28209



Although for most citizens of Mecklenburg County, Greenways are a top requested amenity, we are far behind our goal of 200 miles projected by the year 2035. Projections made a decade ago indicated a goal of 129 miles of greenway trails by 2018. As of December this year, our total falls short of 55 miles. What happened ?

Our guest speaker for January is Ed Barnhart, who serves as President of Greenways for Mecklenburg. Ed has advocated for our greenway system for 18 years and chairs the Greenway Citizen Advisory Council. He also served as a Park and Recreation Commissioner for seven years. With help from the Park and Recreation Department and support from citizens, he helped form Greenways for Mecklenburg in 2017. Their purpose is to advocate for a more expeditious completion of the full greenway system with a focus on securing more public funding and raising awareness to both public and corporate interests. Can we achieve 10 miles of new greenway yearly?

Join us to learn how this active group has been working on your behalf to identify opportunities for appropriate action toward completing 150 miles of connected greenway networks. Hear the latest updates and how you can play a part.

Details and more:
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