

Thank You for Staying on the Trail

Sustainable Trails Reduce Erosion and Protect Our Watershed.

Off-trail riding can cause erosion by loosening sediment, which can be carried into the creek during a storm.

Sustainable Trails

Are trails that reduce erosion by slowing down water flow and directing sediment carried by storm water into vegetation.

Vegetation

Grass sifts out sediment and holds soil in place.

Resource Management Areas (RMAs)

Are areas with more vegetation and sustainable trails to reduce erosion. Off-trail riding is prohibited in an RMA.

Rolling Dip

Directs sediment into vegetation.

Lack of Erosion Control

Can lead to deeply rutted trails, eroded hillsides, and muddy waterways.

Sediment

Loose dirt, rocks, minerals, plant life

Sediment Catchment Basins

Catch and filter out sediment and other pollutants before storm water enters the creek.

Too much sediment can cloud the creek and harm the park's water quality.