Hollow Rock Access Area at New Hope Creek

Announcement

To: Neighbors, community groups, and other interested parties

What: A community meeting to present a draft Master Plan for the Hollow Rock Access

Area at New Hope Creek.

When: Wednesday, December 3, 2008 (6 pm and 7 pm)

Both one-hour sessions will cover the same information.

Where: New Hope Improvement Association Center

4012 Whitfield Road Chapel Hill, NC 27514

On Wednesday, December 3rd the Hollow Rock Master Plan Committee will host a community meeting to present a draft master plan for the Hollow Rock Access Area at New Hope Creek. This is the second of two community meetings held for this master plan effort. The Hollow Rock Access Area is a regional conservation project supported by a partnership of Durham County, Orange County, City of Durham, Town of Chapel Hill, Triangle Land Conservancy, the Erwin Area Neighborhood Group, and the Clean Water Management Trust Fund. The project is envisioned as a northern focus area for the New Hope Creek Corridor open space effort.

The Hollow Rock Access Area is located at the intersection of Erwin Road and Pickett Road (see attached map) and includes land within both Orange and Durham Counties. The project area consists of mature forest, headwater streams and New Hope Creek frontage. Hollow Rock integrates protection of our land, water, and wildlife resources with passive recreational opportunities such as hiking, bird watching, picnicking, and environmental education.

Please mark your calendar to attend this community meeting. Both one-hour sessions (6pm and 7pm) will include a presentation, a question/answer period, and opportunity for you to give us feedback. The feedback received from this meeting will be considered as the proposed master plan is being finalized. The feedback received will also be included in the final report that will go to the elected officials for their consideration and approval.

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