



U.S. Congressman
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BARBOURSVILLE STREAMBANK EROSION PROTECTION CAPTURES FEDERAL FUNDS

WASHINGTON, DC -- U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D-WV) announced today that the U.S. Department of Army authorized \$404,000 for an emergency streambank erosion protection project in Barboursville.

Stone will be placed along an 860 foot section of riverbank on the Mud River to provide erosion protection for a wastewater sewage treatment lagoon. Officials estimate the total cost of the project to be \$539,000.

"I have been told that the citizens of Barboursville may expect this much needed project to be completed approximately one year from today," said Rahall.

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Honorable Nick J. Rahall
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515-4804

Dear Congressman Rahall:

Today I have authorized the Chief of Engineers to allocate funds, pursuant to the continuing authority provided by Section 14 of the Flood Control Act of 1946, as amended, to construct an emergency streambank erosion protection project at the village of Barboursville, Cabell County, West Virginia. The project consists of placing stone along an 860-foot section of riverbank on the Mud River to provide erosion protection to a wastewater sewage treatment lagoon.

The total cost of the project is estimated to be \$539,000, of which \$404,000 would be borne by the Federal Government. Final design and preparation of contract plans and specifications for the project are complete, and the Local Cooperation Agreement between the Army Corps of Engineers and the village of Barboursville is ready for signature. The Corps has informed me that the project construction contract should be awarded in about 9 months. During this time, the sponsor will be performing those tasks required by the Local Cooperation Agreement. The project should be completed approximately three months after contract award.

I am sending similar letters to Senators Byrd and Rockefeller.

Sincerely,

G. Edward Dickey
Acting Assistant Secretary of the Army
(Civil Works)