### **Shoreline and Bank Protection Options**



#### Breakwaters



#### Pocket Wetland

## **Basic Restoration Scoring Factors**

#### Habitat Scoring Factors

- Width of riparian and intertidal areas (<25', 25-60', >60')
- Excavation required (to achieve 5 to 1 slope)
- Protection from wakes/currents (exposed, moderate, protected)
- Living versus hardened shoreline (% armoring)
- Site Wide Factors
  - Interest of landowner (low, medium, high)
  - Environmental (high, moderate, background)
  - Stewardship (little resources, private with O/M staff, public with staff/friends)
- Recreational Factors
  - Public access
  - Types of uses (walk by, passive park, high active/passive uses)



Roxann: bottom substrate and depth

Chirp: subbottom to detect substrate change







## Examples of higher priority sites; 34 parcels along reach ranked

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**Dodge Steel** 

PA F&BC

Pleasant Hill Park

Goog

Pennypack Park

Saint Vincent's

Lardner's Point and vicinity

K&T Trail N of Frankford Launch

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### Pennypack Park on the Delaware

#### Back-channel aquatic habitats



### Saint Vincent's

#### Saint Vincent's

Enhance-restore meadows and river bank forest.

Metal Bank

Metal Bank Superfund Clean-up NRDA Assessment

Enhance existing wetland to high/low marsh system.

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#### 6975 and 7001 Wissinoming

Consider excavated wetland behind bulkhead; with inlet/outlet.

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## Lardner's Point Park



#### Fringe intertidal wetland



# Lardner's Point and Vicinity

Enhance-restore meadows, scrub-shrub, and river bank forests...or Excavate wetland

Marsh sills to protect/build low to high marsh

## K& T North of Frankford Boat Launch

Newman

Trail right of way

Kasper's

Bradford

Restore and enhance existing wetland

Wissinoming Creek

Enhance river bank forests

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# **Ecosystem Services**

• Benefits people obtain from ecosystems



- Feasibility Assessment (DuPont Clear Into The Future funding)
- Determine economic and/or biophysical service values
  - Recreation (visitation income or visits/year)
  - Carbon sequestration (net present value of carbon credits or pounds/acre)
  - Flood mitigation (cost of flood damage or probability of flood)

# **Ecosystem Service Categories**

- Production
- Sediment stabilization
- Flooding and storm surges
- Stormwater and runoff improvements
- Bio-geochemical process
- Water quality maintenance
- Recreation, spiritual, inspirational, cultural
- Educational
- Living resources and their habitat

#### Value Added Restoration Matrix

#### Ecosystem Service vs Shoreline Type

High Service Value

Low Service Value



Intermediate Service Value



\*Gas regulation is carbon sequestration, carbon dioxide and oxygen production

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