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10 N. Ludlow Street  
Dayton, Ohio 45402

Dear Sirs:

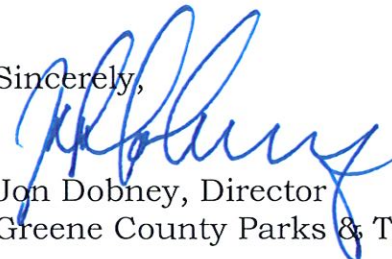
The Little Miami Watershed Network is a group of local citizens that are passionate about protecting the Little Miami River and its corridor for future generations. They have hosted annual clean ups since 2010 and taken nearly 12 tons of trash and 900 tires out of the River in Greene County. They are also concerned about the water quality and have witnessed the negative impact of its high water. They have given nearly 150 presentations in the last two years to raise the awareness of local citizens and elected officials on the value of the river.

At many of these presentations they are asked for cost/benefit numbers which they are unable to supply. No agency in the county currently has these numbers available. This report would be very helpful to all the governmental agencies in the county and give us all the resources for implementing policies more favorable to the long term health of the Little Miami River and its corridor, which is a major source of recreational, tax, and eco-service value to the county.

This study would benefit Greene County Parks & Trails as we have several parks along the river corridor and need to make informed decisions on future development. This study would help supply key information for that process.

We encourage your participation in making this study possible.

Sincerely,



Jon Dobney, Director  
Greene County Parks & Trails