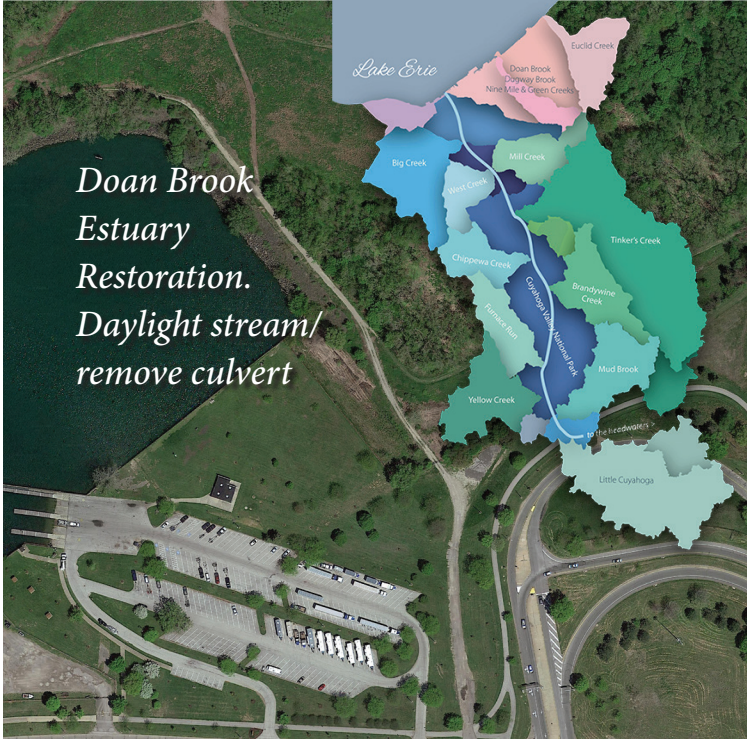


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PROJECTS PROGRESSING THE AOC TOWARDS DELISTING

# DOAN BROOK ESTUARY RESTORATION



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*Doan Brook HUC12 #: 041100030504*

## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Daylighting this stream will provide a more natural stream channel. The stream will now create a more welcoming environment for both people and fish. The wetland estuary will provide habitat for lotic fish, which will also provide food for migratory birds at CLNP. Three stream daylighting locations were considered in previous preliminary studies for the potential daylighting of Doan in this area. One option indicated removal of the entire culvert within the diked area (2,000 LF) and recreating a meandering channel within the closed confined disposal area. This option would require significant earth moving, tree clearing, additional environmental evaluation/clean up and would be very costly to perform. This project is not currently anticipated to be funded through the AOC program, but is in the feasibility stage for possible implementation.

The AOC has specific targets to meet before it is taken off the list of impaired waters, or "delisted" as outlined by the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement (GLWQA). The Advisory Committee developed a plan to identify and rectify the Beneficial Use Impairments (BUIs) to categorize criteria for restoration and create benchmarks toward achieving the goals of delisting.



Learn more about the status of the Cuyahoga River AOC Management Action progress and current state of the delisting efforts at [www.cuyahogaoc.org](http://www.cuyahogaoc.org).

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