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Board of Directors Project Update

April 15th, 2021





Outreach: Community Free Tree Giveaways



SNC Staff at Curbside Tree Pick-Up Sites
Spring 2020

Community Free Tree Update

- All partner Municipalities approved giveaways activities
- Costs covered by the Art for Trees Online Auction proceeds
- 8 Municipalities confirmed matching funds
- 10,000 seedlings reserved
- Pick Up dates scheduled in first two weeks of May



Connecting With Municipal Partners

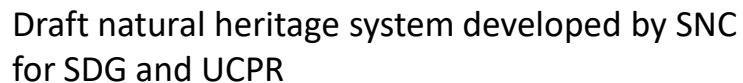


- Annual event held by SNC
- Over 75 attendees from 15 Municipalities
- Attendees viewed presentations from 18 SNC Staff



Outreach: Annual Forest Contractors Meeting





- Information sessions viewed 330 times
- 35 local wildlife sightings reported
- 15 stakeholder meetings
- 96 letters distributed to stakeholders and special interest groups
- Social media campaign generated over 88,000 impressions
- Featured in over 12 news articles
- Ads placed in 11 newspapers

Final reports and draft mapping to be provided to both Counties this month.



Protecting People and Property: Watershed Conditions



Chesterville
April 7, 2021

- Mild winter and an early Spring Freshet
- Lower than normal precipitation throughout the spring



Expanded Partnership: Environment Canada



Turtle Nesting Habitat Monitoring

- 8 nesting habitat projects
- Paid for by Environment Canada
- Weekly monitoring of turtle nesting from May to July





Science-Based Decisions: Watercourse Monitoring

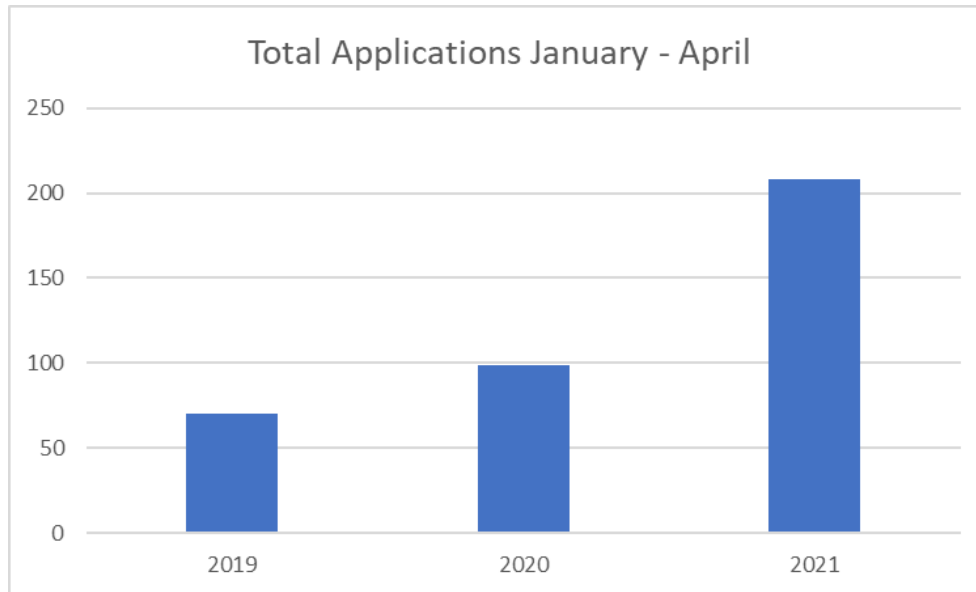


Headwater Drainage Features

- 60 sites within the South Bear Brook Catchment
- Targeted sites within expansion lands
- Recommendations to be provided in South Bear Brook Catchment Study



Planning Activity Comparison by Year



- SNC and municipal staff adjusting to COVID-19
- 56 technical reviews in 2021
- 450 applications by end of 2020
 - 208 applications by April 2021



Protecting People and Property



Riverine Erosion
Scotch River

- Landslide Inspection
- Mitigation and Consultation
- Understanding current and future risks



Protecting Municipal Drinking Water



Containers of engine products at retail store

- Site visit with business owner; follow-up to previous Risk Management Plan
- Risk Management Official working with owner to ensure chemicals and fuels are stored and handled safely to protect drinking water sources



Protecting Natural Resources

- Discuss process, methods, and materials
- Liaison with other agencies
- SNC technical review



Spencerville Mill



Updating SNC Flyover Video

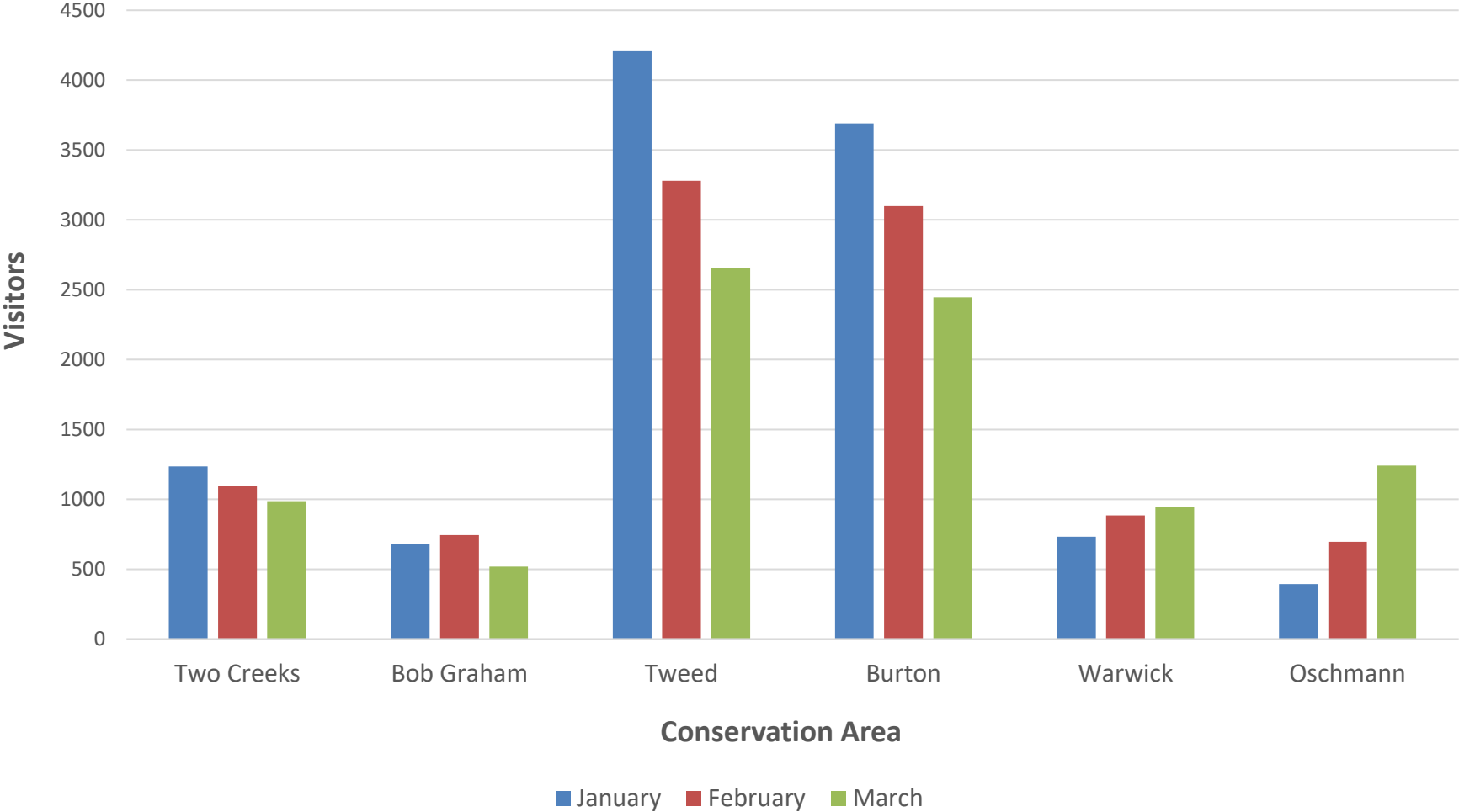


High resolution elevation data and newest aerial imagery



Recreation: Conservation Area Use – Monthly Stats

January - March Visitation at Conservation Areas



Our Local Environment, We're in it Together.



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