Public/Private Partnerships

The Town was fined $45,900.00 for violations related to the Chapel Hill Wastewater Treatment Plant reporting violations of its NPDES permit for BOD limits.

TDEC acted as an arbitrator between the Town and Tennessee Riverkeeper to avoid potential litigation.

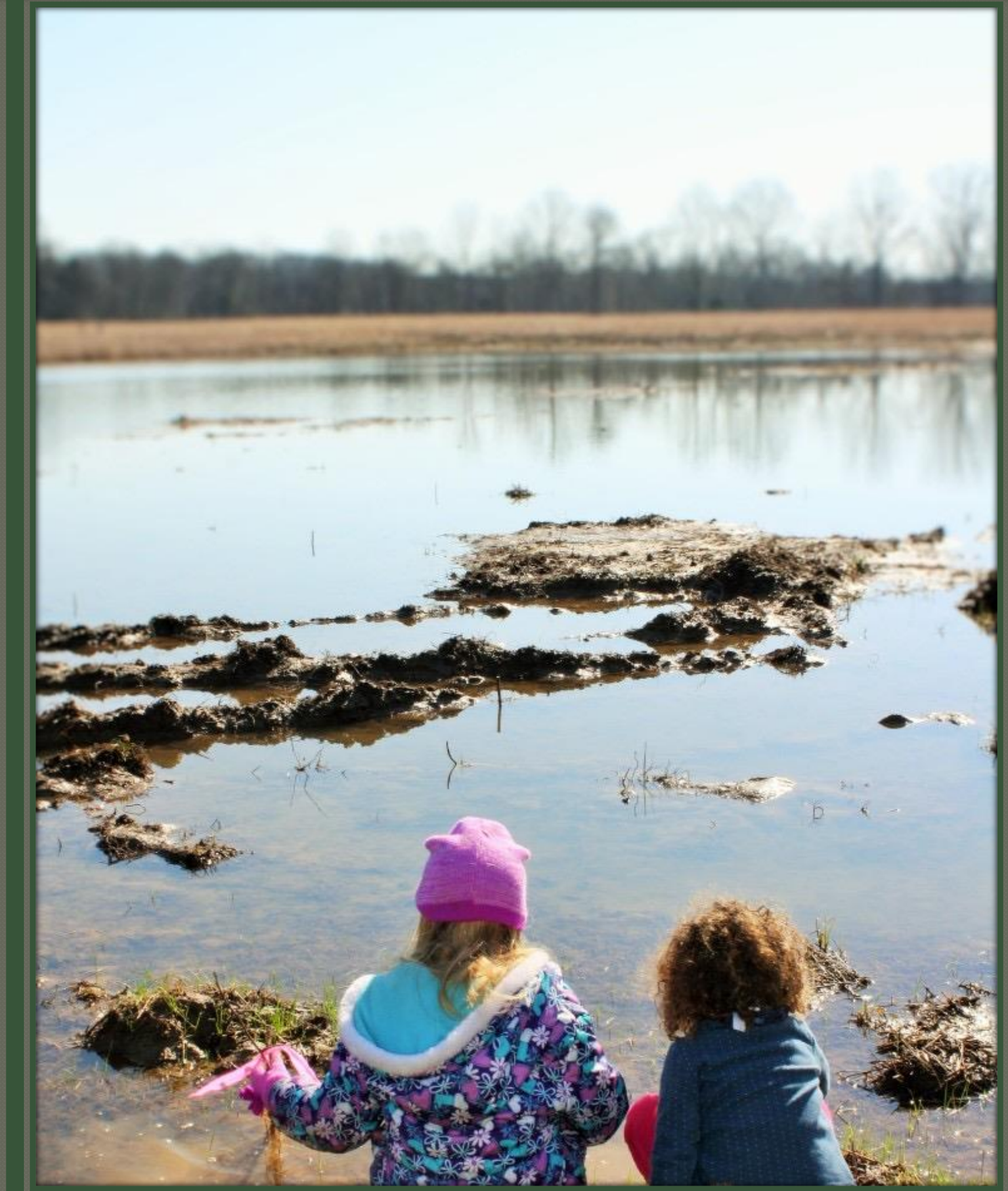
This resulted in a Consent Order from TDEC which included actions required to alleviate the problem. (The problem had already been addressed to some degree with the addition of aerators in the treatment lagoons, and the purchase of new and upgraded testing equipment)

With the Consent Order in place, the Town of Chapel Hill worked with the Friends of Henry Horton State Park to approach TDEC to utilize the fine to help fund a local wetlands project.

From Consent Order:

(a) The Respondent shall, within 60 days of entry of this ORDER and ASSESSMENT, pay a CIVIL PENALTY in the amount of NINE THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY DOLLARS ($9,180.00). Such payment shall be placed into the Mitigation Fund to be put towards a wetlands project at Henry Horton State Park. Payment should note that it is to be placed in mitigation fund.

(b) If, and only if, the Respondent fails to comply with item 1 above in a timely manner, the Respondent shall pay a CIVIL PENALTY in the amount of NINE THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY DOLLARS ($9,180.00), payable within 30 days of default.



The Partnership of the Friends of Henry Horton State Park and The Town of Chapel Hill

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Billy Joe

Requested equipment in order of priority	Quantity	Estimated Unit Cost	Total
Compost collection container	4	$200.99	$803.96
Earth Tub compost mixer	2	$9,850.00	$19,700.00
Compost Greenhouse	1	$28,369.66	$28,369.66
Tractor + Attachments	1	$32,995.00	$32,995.00
Rain Barrel	12	$164.05	$1,968.60
Tiller + 3 yr extended warranty	1	$799.96	$799.96
Vermeer Brush Chipper	1	$57,681.00	$57,681.00
		Total Estimated Equipment Cost	$142,318.18
		Less Local Matching Share 30%	$42,695.45
		Maximum Grant	$99,624.00

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