

Tree Planting (Community Involvement)

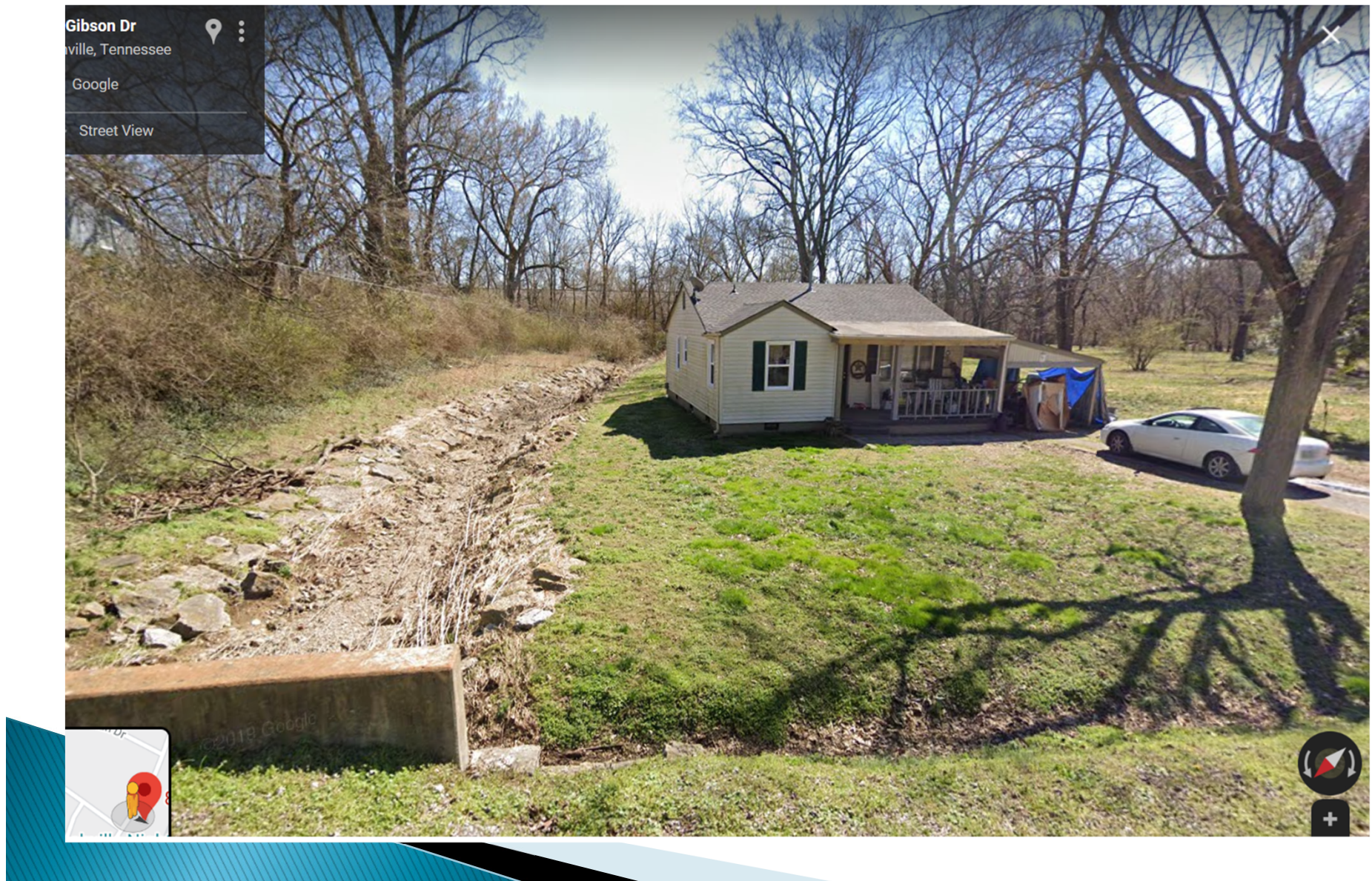


To Condemn or not to Condemn?

- ▶ Not allowed with FEMA projects
- ▶ Hard to force someone out when you have a lot of willing sellers
- ▶ Is getting an “option” an option?
- ▶ Offer declined, home sells, flood, home repaired, home sells, flood... (rinse repeat)
- ▶ “Subsequent victim” syndrome



Please Let Us Help You



Accomplishments to Date

- ▶ \$58 million spent to date
- ▶ 392 homes removed from floodplain
- ▶ 439 parcels acquired (some back tax and donated)
- ▶ 20 mobile homes
- ▶ 66 (of 222) Repetitive Loss Properties eliminated
- ▶ 205 acres of open space created (102 acres mowed)
- ▶ 2 community gardens
- ▶ 4 projects with Greenway trails



Buyout Program is Ongoing

- ▶ Currently working with USACE in Mill Creek to purchase 44 homes (10 of 44 purchased)
- ▶ Will begin this fall to purchase 45 homes in Sevenmile Creek through USACE (future projects under discussion)
- ▶ Waiting for approval from FEMA on 4 small projects (20 homes)
- ▶ Preparing to apply for HMGP funds made available from the March 2020 tornado

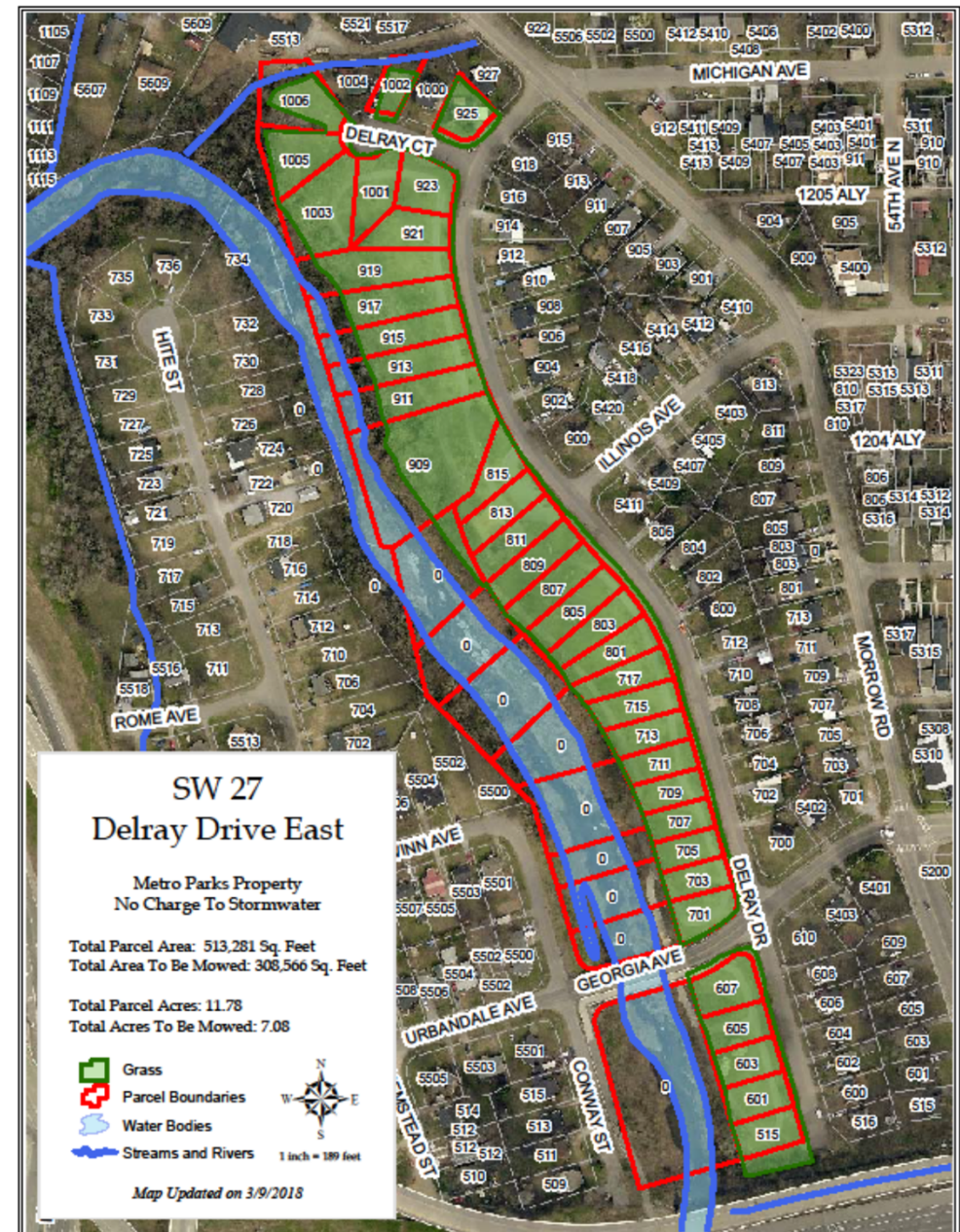
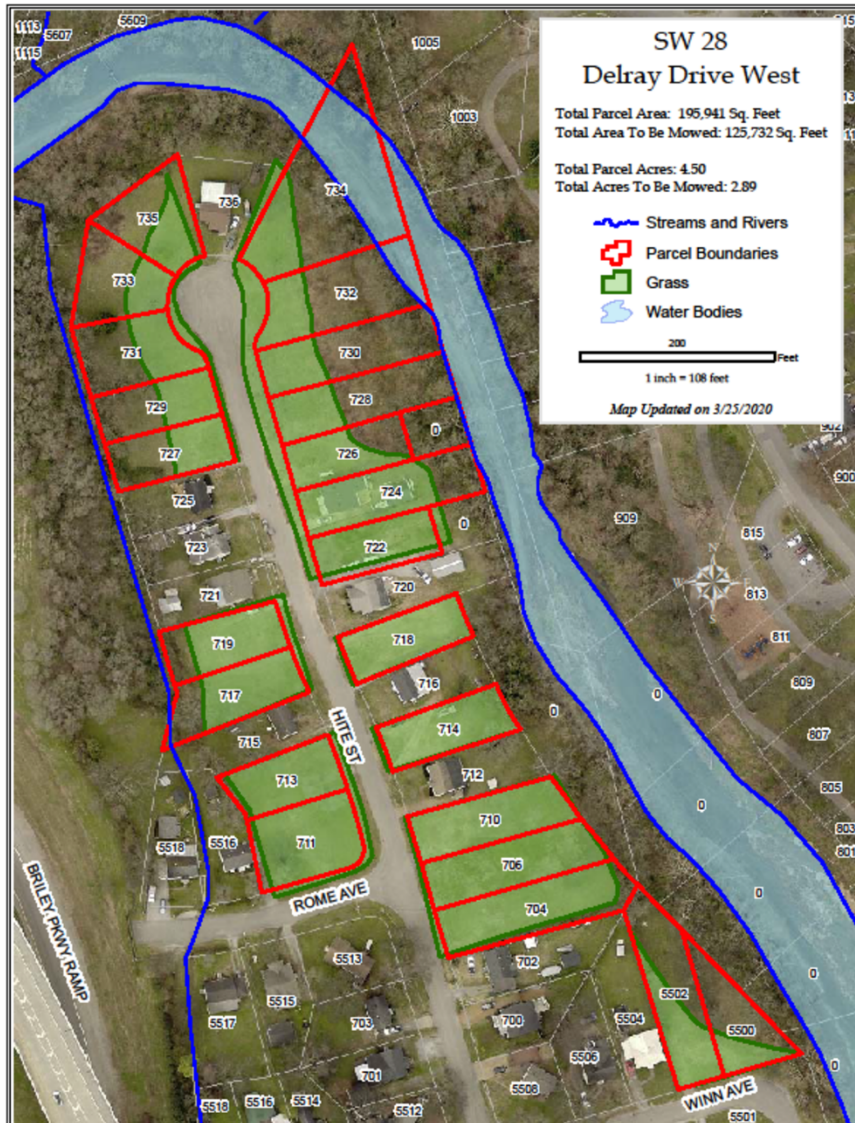


Take Home Message

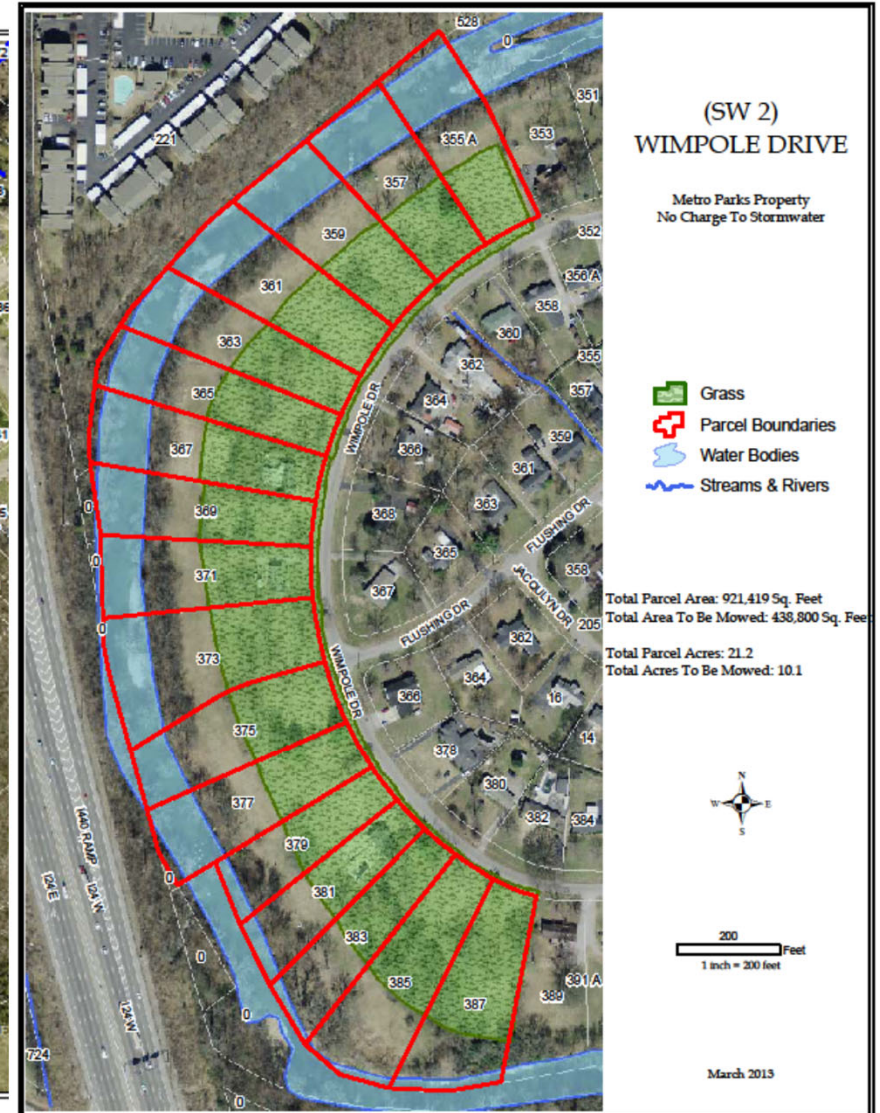
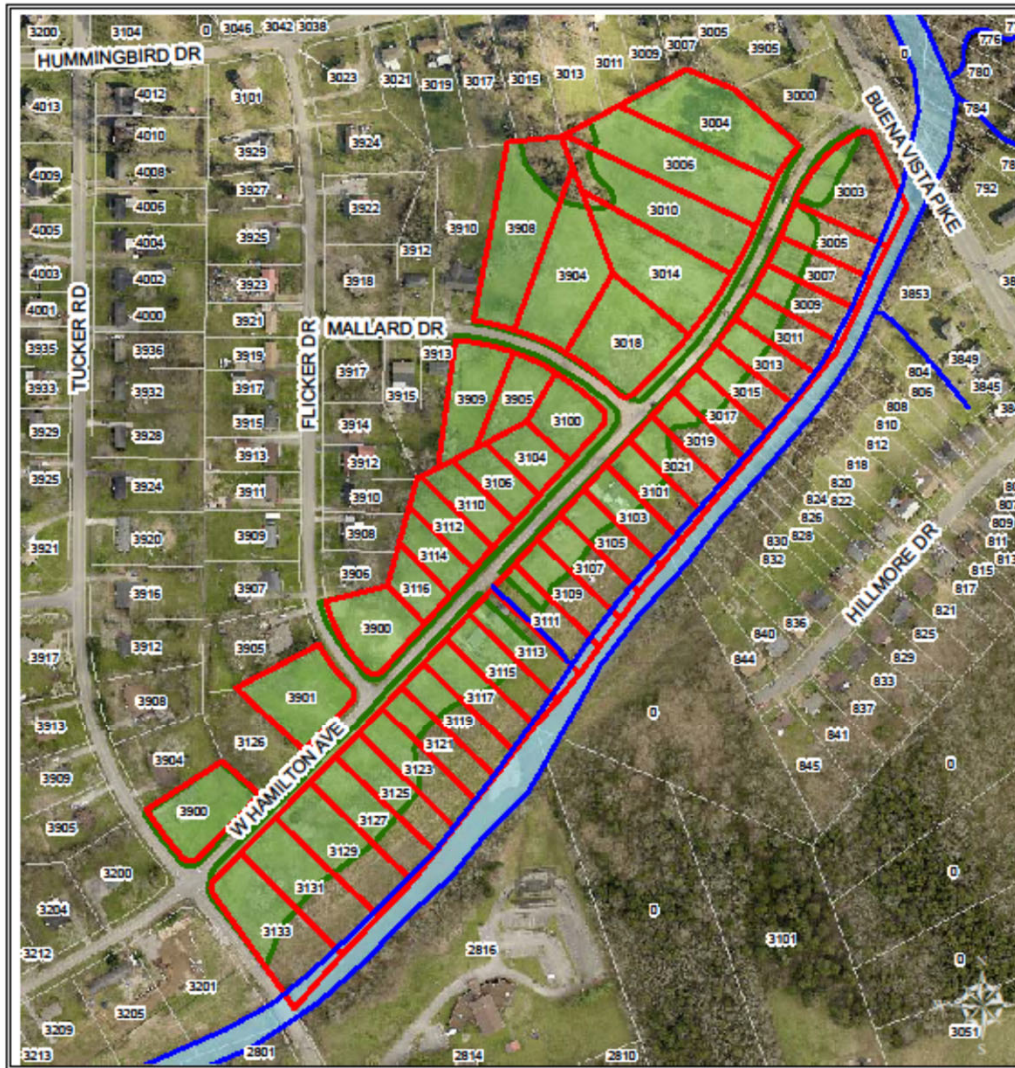
- ▶ Get to know Doug Worden and Amy Miller
- ▶ Identify the lowest most obvious homes in your jurisdiction (Repetitive Loss)
- ▶ Get support of community leaders
- ▶ For every \$1 spent on mitigation = \$6 of community benefit
- ▶ Put a plan together (consultant help if needed)
- ▶ Seek funding – be patient
- ▶ Just Do It!



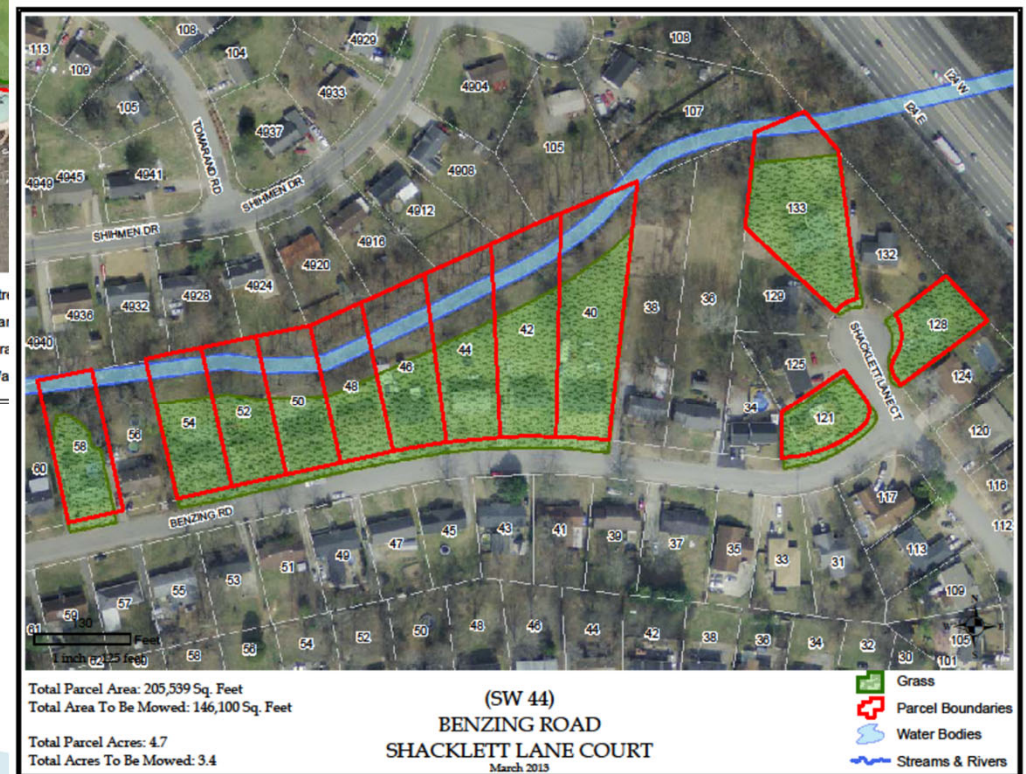
Richland Creek



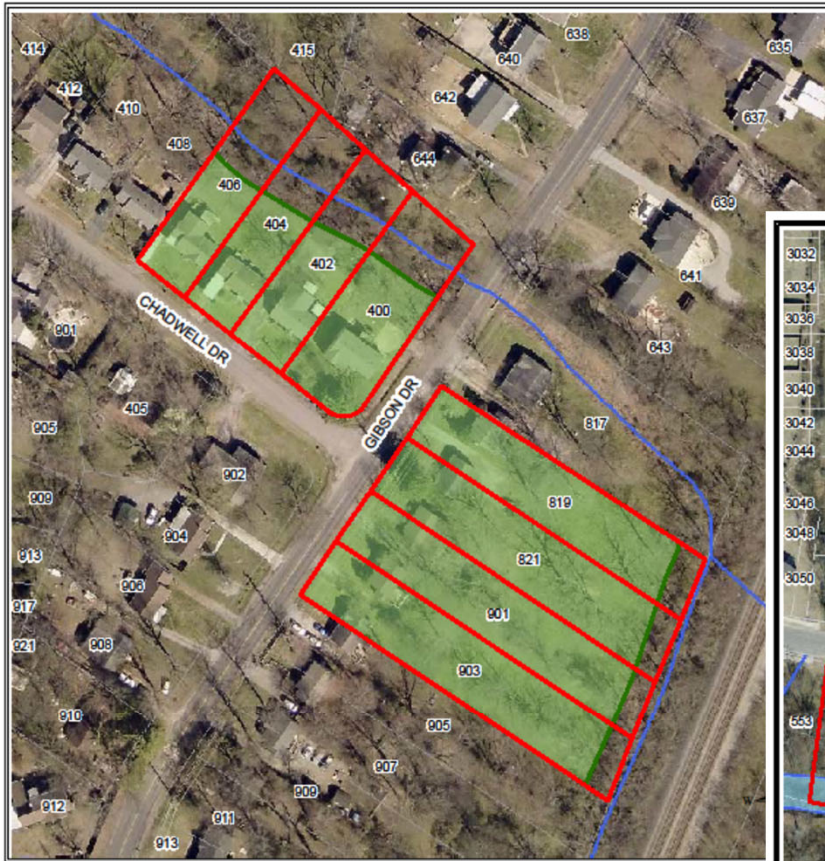
Whites Creek / Mill Creek



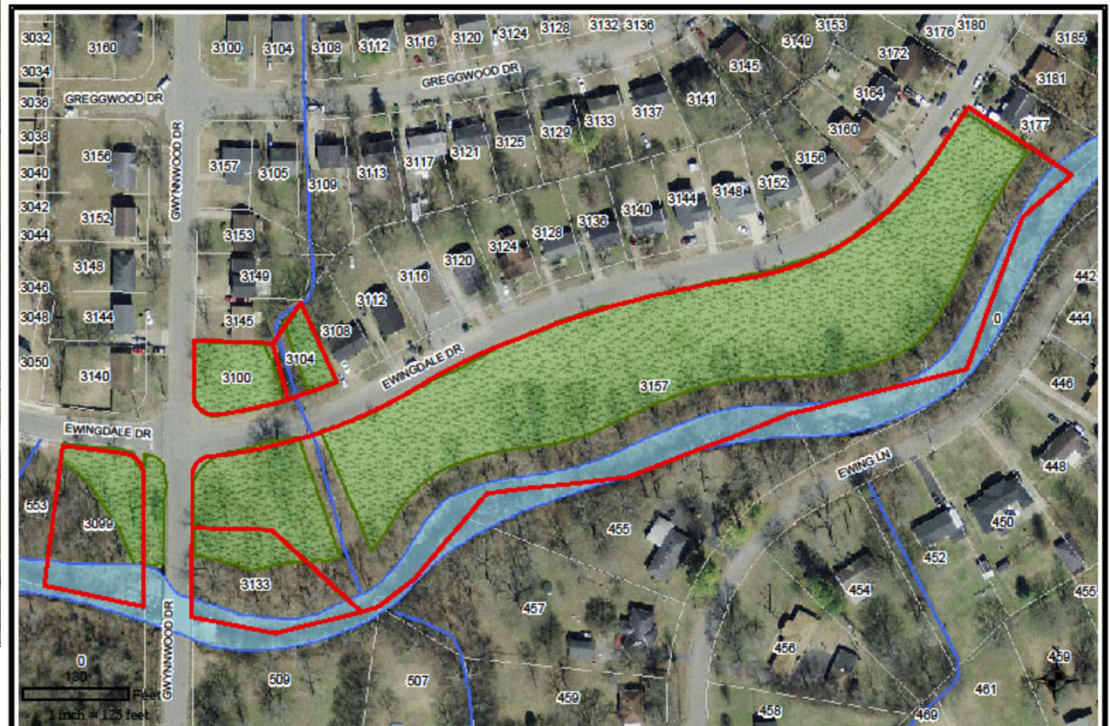
Browns Creek / Whittemore Branch



Gibson Creek / Ewing Creek



(SW 67)
CHADWELL DRIVE
GIBSON DRIVE



Total Parcel Area: 253,885 Sq. Feet
Total Area To Be Mowed: 163,500 Sq. Feet

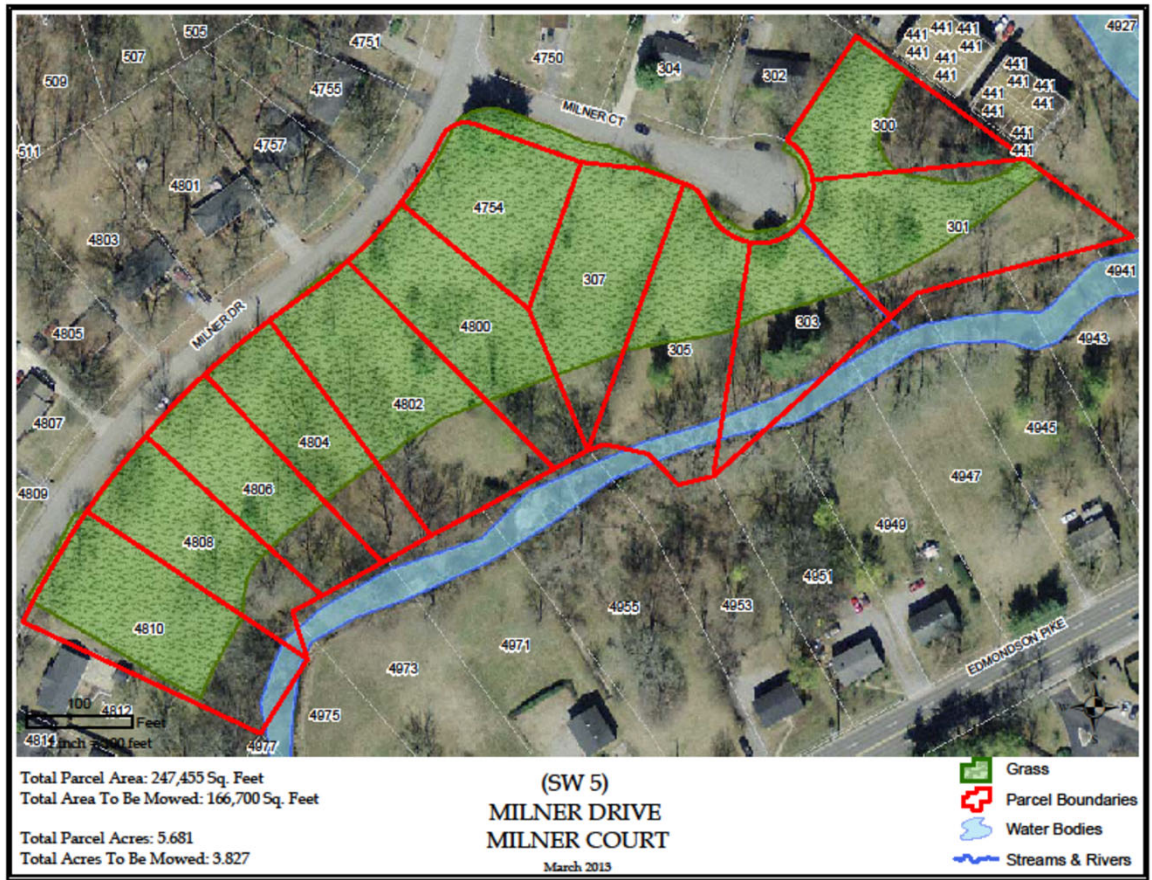
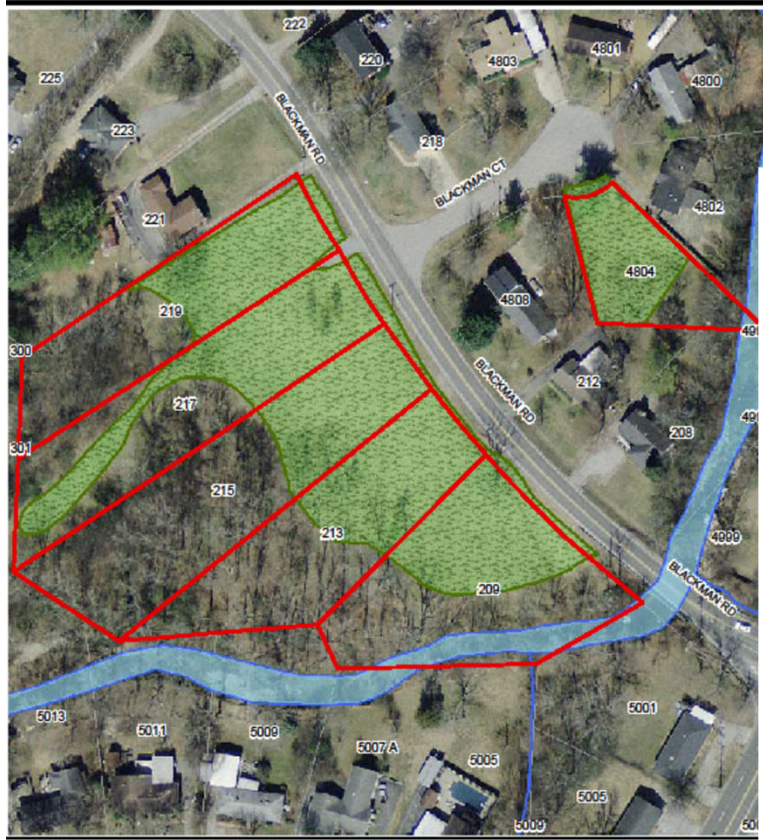
Total Parcel Acres: 5.83
Total Acres To Be Mowed: 3.75

(SW 1)
EWINGDALE DRIVE
GWYNNWOOD DRIVE

March 2013

- Grass
- Parcel Boundaries
- Water Bodies
- Streams & Rivers

(SW 8)
BLACKMAN ROAD



Questions?

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